March 21, 2022

The regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of Angola, Indiana was called to order at 7:00 p.m. at City Hall, 210 North Public Square with Mayor Richard M. Hickman presiding. Council Members Gary L. Crum, David B. Martin, Kathleen G. Armstrong, and Jerold D. McDermid answered roll call. Council Member David A. Olson was absent. Accounts Payable Clerk Stephanie Dean recorded the minutes.

Among those present were City Attorney Kim Shoup, Chief of Police Ken Whitmire, City Engineer Amanda Cope, Fire Captain Jason Meek, Water Superintendent Tom Selman, Economic Development & Planning Director Jennifer Barclay, and Human Resources Director Sue Essman.

Also, among those present were Eugene Burd, and Beth Swary of The Herald Republican.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

Council Member Martin moved to approve the March 7, 2022 minutes. Council Member Crum seconded the motion. The motion carried 4-0.

Minutes of the January 3, 2022 Board of Public Works and Safety meeting were presented for Council information.

NEW BUSINESS

Mayor Hickman presented a Certificate of Appreciation to Eugene Burd.

Ordinance No. 1694-2022, ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE FOR THE CITY OF ANGOLA, INDIANA ARP CORONAVIRUS FISCAL RECOVERY FUND, was read by title and presented to Council for first reading. Council Member Martin moved to approve. Council Member Armstrong seconded the motion. The motion carried 4-0.

The Clerk-Treasurer's Depository Statement and Cash Reconcilement for the month ending February 2022 was presented for Council information.

APPROVAL OF ACCOUNTS PAYABLE VOUCHERS

Council Member Martin moved to approve the Allowance of Accounts Payable Vouchers 56184 through 56444 totaling \$990,811.32 which includes interfund transfers of \$109,039.56. Council Member McDermid seconded the motion. The motion carried 4-0.

OTHER NEW BUSINESS

Mayor Hickman requested to waive the requirement to appoint the Fire Chief from active personnel of the department per IC 36-8-4-6 Promotions. Council Member Martin moved

to approve the request. Council Member Crum seconded the motion. The motion carried 4-0.

Council member Crum had questions regarding both the recycling pickup and bulk pickup. There has been bulk items sitting out at curbs for over a week. People seem to be confused on when picks are for their area. Council member Armstrong stated that the communication with Republic Services needs to be better. Council members would like to invite Republic Services to a meeting so they could get some clarification.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting was considered adjourned at 7:13 p.m.

Richard M. Hickman, Mayor

Presiding Officer

Attest:

Ryan P. Herbert, Clerk-Treasurer