

DECEMBER 2, 2019

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, Council Chambers, 210 North Public Square, with Mayor Richard M. Hickman presiding. Councilmembers Gary L. Crum, David A. Olson, Kathleen G. Armstrong, David B. Martin, and Joseph M. Hysong answered roll call. No Councilmember was absent. Clerk-Treasurer Debra A. Twitchell recorded the minutes.

Present were Chief of Police Stu Hamblen, City Attorney Kim Shoup, City Engineer Amanda Cope, Deputy Clerk Tammy Onofrietti, Economic Development and Planning Director Vivian Likes, Wastewater Superintendent Craig Williams, and Water Superintendent Tom Selman.

Also present were Ashlee Hoos of *The Herald Republican*, Colin Meadowcroft of WLKI, Jerry McDermid, Brandi Dawson, Flynn Catey, and Mike Landram.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

Councilmember Olson moved to approve the November 18 and November 21, 2019 minutes. Councilmember Crum seconded the motion. The motion carried 5-0.

NEW BUSINESS

Councilmember Martin moved to approve the Memorandum of Understanding with the Community Anti-Violence Alliance (CAVA) in the amount of \$5,000 for 2019 and \$5,000 for 2020. Councilmember Olson seconded the motion. Discussion followed. Motion carried 5-0.

Mike Landram of the Steuben County Economic Development Corporation was introduced. Councilmember Martin moved to approve the Agreement for Services with the Steuben County EDC for 2020 in the amount of \$59,430. Councilmember Armstrong seconded the motion. Motion carried 5-0.

The 2020 Fire Protection Agreement with the Town of Fremont for a portion of Jamestown Township in the amount of \$83,809 was presented to Council for approval. Councilmember Martin moved to approve the 3% increase. Councilmember Hysong seconded the motion. The motion carried 5-0.

The 2020 Fire Protection Agreement with Pleasant Township in the amount of \$446,000, a .87% increase, was presented to Council for approval. Councilmember Martin moved to approve. Councilmember Hysong seconded the motion, which carried 5-0.

Presented to Council for review were the Clerk-Treasurer's Depository Statement and Cash Reconciliation for month ending October 2019. Clerk-Treasurer Twitchell said the reports should have been on the November 18 agenda.

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CLERK-TREASURER AND DEPARTMENT REPORTS

Clerk-Treasurer Twitchell reported receiving the 1782 Notice for the 2020 budget year from the Department of Local Government Finance. No changes were made to the 2020 proposed budget as approved by the Common Council.

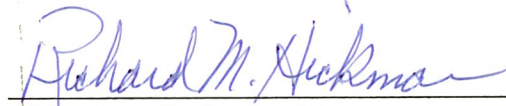
Economic Development and Planning Director Likes said 2019 has been a busy year and there are things in the works now that will make 2020 even busier.

Water Superintendent Selman publicly thanked the Trine Family for donating spruce trees to the City. The gift is appreciated. The donated trees were planted at the satellite treatment plant.

APPROVAL OF ACCOUNTS PAYABLE VOUCHERS

Councilmember Martin moved to approve the Allowance of Accounts Payable Vouchers 43545 through 43763 totaling \$574,173.44. Councilmember Armstrong seconded the motion. Motion carried 5-0.

There being no further business, the meeting was considered adjourned at 7:07 p.m.


Richard M. Hickman, Mayor
Presiding Officer

Attest:


Debra A. Twitchell, Clerk-Treasurer