Maharishi Vedic City

Minutes of a City Council Meeting

Wednesday, November 8, 2023, 2:30 PM

City Hall, 1750 Maharishi Center Avenue

Present: Mayor Rogers Badgett; Councilmembers Chris Johnson, Kara Anastasio, Leslee Goldstein, Marty Hulsebos

Absent: Steve Boss

Present in Addition: Loraine Przybylski

Mayor Rogers Badgett called the meeting to order.

1. Silence—Three minutes of silence was taken.
2. Public Comments—None.
3. Minutes—Anastasio moved, Goldstein seconded, to approve minutes from a Regular City Council Meeting on October 26, 2023; Ayes: Johnson, Anastasio, Goldstein, Hulsebos; Nays: none.
4. Receipts and Claims—Goldstein moved, Anastasio seconded to approve the report; Ayes: Johnson, Anastasio, Goldstein, Hulsebos; Nays: none.
5. Treasurer’s Report—Postponed.
6. Consideration of Applying for Walmart Community Grant for 2024 City Trail System—Ms. Goldstein reported that the Recreation and Beautification Committee recommended the City apply for the Walmart Community Grant for the City trail system and Council discussed. No vote was taken.
7. Consideration of Applying for 2023 ICAP Grant for City Hall Portico Repair—Ms. Goldstein reported that the Public Safety and Public Works Committee recommended the City apply for the 2023 ICAP Grant to repair the City Hall portico and Council discussed. No vote was taken.
8. Consideration to Proceed with Farm-to-Market Appeal for 170th St./John Estle St.—Council discussed meeting with the Jefferson County engineer at the next Council meeting. No vote was taken.
9. Committee Reports—Community Outreach Committee: Mr. Hulsebos reported on the Maharishi Vedic City logo design and Council discussed. Public Safety and Public Works Committee: Ms. Goldstein reported on filters for the solar panels and quote from Bill Bathgate and Council discussed.
10. Mayor and Council Comments—Mayor Badgett recognized Mr. Johnson for his email to current and incoming Councilmembers acknowledging their desire to volunteer and serve the City. Mayor Badgett also expressed appreciation to the current and new members for their service. Council also discussed how the City can prepare for the upcoming 2,000 Course at Maharishi International University. The Mayor called for a town hall meeting on the 2,000 Course for Wednesday, November 15, at 7:30 p.m.

Mayor Rogers Badgett adjourned the meeting.

Rogers Badgett, Mayor

Loraine Przybylski, City Clerk

