NEW SHARON CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING September 20, 2017

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The New Sharon City Council met in regular session at city hall, Wednesday, September 20, 2017 @ 6:00 p.m. with Mayor Dustin Hite presiding and the following members answering roll call: Kenneth Ward, Wes White, Larry Applegate, Terry Hudson and Keri Lamberson. Others in attendance were Kevin Lamberson, Lisa Munn, Russ VanRenterghem, RD Keep, Chris Jedlicka, and Scott Farrington.

Roll Call answered by:

Ayes: Ward, Lamberson, White, Hudson, Applegate

Motion was made by Hudson and seconded by White to approve the following consent agenda items.

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AYES: Lamberson, Ward, Applegate, White, Hudson

NAYS: None

ABSTENTIONS: None

Public Comments:

A. **Scooters-** Saturday September 23rd is having a 9th anniversary party in the parking lot from 8-midnight with a DJ for music.

Requests from the Community: None

Public Hearings:

A. Motion was made by Lamberson and seconded by Ward to open public hearing at 6:02 p.m.

AYES: Hudson, Applegate, Ward, Lamberson, White

NAYES: None ABSTENTIONS: None

B. Motion was made by Lamberson and seconded by White to close public hearing at 6:03 p.m.

AYES: White, Lamberson, ward, Applegate, Hudson

NAYES: None

ABSTENTIONS: None

C. Motion was made by Lamberson and seconded by White to approve building permits for the following: Gary Playle & Charlotte Lemke, 209 N. Lincoln, house addition, Dahnovan Builders, 106 N. Park, house, Shane Farnum, 208 E. Cherry, garden shed, and Jayme Johannes, 409 N. Elm, fence.

AYES: Ward, Applegate, Lamberson, White, Hudson

NAYES: None

ABSTENTIONS: None

Resolutions and motions:

A. Motion was made by Lamberson and seconded by White to set a public hearing for October 4th at 6:00 p.m. for building permit for Jacque Griffin, 206 N. Elm, carport.

AYES: Lamberson, Hudson, Ward, Applegate, White

NAYES: None

ABSTENTIONS: None

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B. Motion was made by White and seconded by Hudson to approve bid from Pella Tree Service to remove 4 trees in the amount of \$1750.00.

AYES: Hudson, Applegate, White, Ward, Lamberson

NAYES: None ABSTENTIONS: None

Ordinances: None

Department Reports

- a. Water Report- None
- b. Sewer Report- Meeting with Eric Dursky regarding sewer connections for homes in town
- c. Street Report- None
- d. Police Report- on table. School is going to start locking gates on October 1st.
- **e. Cemetery Report-** gate at cemetery will need to be locked once school gates are locked to keep traffic out of the cemetery. Larry had a couple of stones damaged that he is checking into.
- f. City Clerk Report- sent 70 late reminders east side, Iowa League Cities conference Sept 27-29 in Davenport Lisa will be attending for municipal clerk accreditation, working on the AFR report
- g. City Attorney Report None
- h. Fire Department Report- None
- i. Library Board- None

10. Departmental Requests:

- 11. City council Information
- **12. Mayor Information: -** Update on the Public Forum which will be held on Saturday October 21st from 9:00-11:00 a.m. City council candidates will be introduced, Randy from Mahaska Rural Water will be available for questions regarding the Mahaska Rural Water Franchise and Dianna Klinker to answer any questions regarding the library levy which will also be on the ballot for the November 7th election.

Mid American Energy presented the city with a check in the amount of \$50,000.00 to be used for renovations for the city park building.

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Adjournment:

There being no further business to discuss, it was moved by White and seconded by Hudson to adjourn at 6:18 p.m. All in favor, whereupon the Mayor declared said motion approved.

Dustin D. Hite Mayor