

**NEW SHARON CITY COUNCIL
REGULAR MEETING
Wednesday January 19, 2022**

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The City Council prior to publication.**

The New Sharon City Council met in regular session on Wednesday January 19, 2022 @ 6:00 p.m. Meeting called to order with Mayor Long and the following members answering roll call: Ron Wyatt, Tom German, Justin Stout, Larry Applegate and Ben Hansen. Others in attendance were Elizabeth Wehrle, Brad Latcham, Josh Crouse, Brett Morris, Levi Nunnikhoven, Russ VanRenterghem, Kevin Lamberson, and Lisa Munn.

1. Roll Call answered by:

Ayes: Wyatt, German, Applegate, Stout, Hansen

2. Consent Agenda:

Motion made by Wyatt and seconded by Hansen to approve the following consent agenda items.

1/05/2022 minutes

1/19/2022 agenda

1/19/2022 distributions pending

AYES: German, Hansen, Stout, Wyatt, Applegate

NAYS: None

ABSTENTIONS: None

3. Public Comments:

A. Brett Morris to discuss teen serve. Teen serve is a faith- based youth group mission trip coming to New Sharon June 26-July 2nd. This will consist of approximately 300-400 7th-12th graders plus chaperones. They will be in town to help residents with exterior house painting, handicap ramps, redoing steps, etc. They are fundraising and excepting donations as well as applications if you know someone that might be in need of some help. The cost per child to come and serve is approximately 400-500.00 plus a week of their time. At this time, they have 33 projects and are in need of at least 3 times that many. People in Indiana choose the projects for our area. The residents pay nothing for this help teen serve just wants to give back to people who are deserving. If you know of anyone that needs a project done the teen serve hotline is 800-596-3498 and this will ring into Brett Morris. If you have a teen or are an adult that would like to help serve also please contact Brett Morris.

4. Requests from the Community: None

5. Public Hearings:

A. Motion made by German and seconded by Hansen to open public hearing for Max Levy FY2022-2023 at 6:10 p.m.

AYES: Applegate, Hansen, German, Wyatt, Stout

NAYES: None

ABSTENTIONS: None

No one present for public hearing and no written comments.

B. Motion made by German and seconded by Wyatt to close public hearing at 6:14 p.m.

AYES: Stout, Applegate, German, Hansen, Wyatt

NAYES: None

ABSTENTIONS: None

C. Motion made by German and seconded by Wyatt to approve Resolution 011922 approving Max Levy FY2022-2023.

AYES: Wyatt, German, Stout, Hansen, Applegate

NAYES: None

ABSTENTIONS: None

6. Resolutions and Motions:

A. Prairie Knolls to discuss getting an alcohol permit. Since no one was present from Prairie Knolls this will be tabled until next agenda

B. Motion made by German and seconded by Stout to table approval of Prairie Knolls filing for alcohol permit.

AYES: Wyatt, German, Stout, Applegate, Hansen

NAYES: None

ABSTENTIONS: None

C. Motion made by Wyatt and seconded by German to approve pump and motor for 62-61 the 1999 Tanker in the amount of approximately \$5000.00.

AYES: Stout, Applegate, Hansen, German, Wyatt

NAYES: None

ABSTENTIONS: None

D. Motion made by Hansen and seconded by German to approve Resolution 011922A approving 28 E agreement for landfill as long as no charges are made.

AYES: Wyatt, Stout, German, Applegate, Hansen

NAYES: None

ABSTENTIONS: None

E. Motion made by Wyatt and seconded by German to approve Fox Construction to haul rock for city, approximately same price as last year.

AYES: Applegate, Hansen, Wyatt, German, Stout

NAYES: None

ABSTENTIONS: None

F. Motion made by German and seconded by Wyatt to approve new garage door opener for shop in the amount of approximately \$1700.00

AYES: Hansen, Stout, German, Wyatt, Applegate

NAYES: None

ABSTENTIONS: None

7. Ordinances: None

8. Department Reports

A. Water Report- none

B. Sewer Report-putting aerators together

- C. Street Report-** blading snow this week
- D. Park Report** – none
- E. Police Report-** on table, working on car camera software, B3 will hook up wireless
- F. Mahaska Sheriff Report-** none
- G. Cemetery Report-** none
- H. City Clerk Report-** budget, insurance, asset management training in next couple weeks, LOST in senate to go to state instead of cities, W2's and 1099's mailed.
- I. City Attorney Report** –none
- J. Fire Department Report-** talked to one of the trustees, will see if Jamey can meet with some if they ask to answer questions.
- K. Library Report-** Minutes, expenses and last agenda are in council packet. Elizabeth Wehrle gave report 214 people in December, 219 items circulated, 3 applications turned in for director position will interview 2 beginning next week.

9. Departmental Requests:

10. City council Information:

11. Mayor Information:

- A.** EMA meeting coming up

12. Adjournment:

There being no further business to discuss, it was moved by German and seconded by Hansen to adjourn at 6:34 p.m. All in favor, whereupon the Mayor declared said motion approved.

Lisa Munn, CMC
Certified City Clerk

Jeff Long
Mayor