

Town of Garfield
TOWN COUNCIL
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
August 24, 2022 - 7:00 PM
405 W California

CALL TO ORDER: Mayor Pfaff called the regular town council meeting to order at 7:00 pm.

ROLL CALL: Mayor Pfaff, Council Members: Neal Leon, Craig Mitzimberg, Roni Mundell, and Connie Schaut. Staff: Clerk/Treasurer: Cody Lord, Public Works: Shon Clark Absent: Tom Tevlin

INTRODUCTION OF GUEST: Abel and Theresa Rushing and Marti Masten

APPROVAL OF MEETING MINUTES:

Craig Mitzimberg **MOVED** to approve the minutes of the Regular Council Meeting August 10, 2022. Connie Schaut **seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.**

POLICE REPORT:

Marshal Handley provided a report for the meeting. Another chronic nuisance letter has been sent to the resident on Adams Street. Connie asked how many have been delivered and if there is a limit to when it becomes an elevated situation for the resident? Mayor Pfaff said it is up to the prosecutor when to finally take the matter up.

PUBLIC WORKS REPORT: Shon Clark

Water

Everything operating as normal.

Sewer

Everything operating as normal.

Garbage

Everything operating as normal.

Streets/Park

Public works will be ripping up Spokane Street and taking the old asphalt out and turning it back into a gravel road, making it easier to service. The street signs that are in the shop are being installed. The pedestals are being seated in the RV park. M&M will be ordering the wire which is currently running about \$15 a foot so there will likely be about \$10,000 in wire to get electricity up at the RV park. The fence also got stained at the RV park.

Mayor Pfaff asked about the road patching and when it will be completed. Shon has gotten a bid from POE; however, they are in the Lewiston yard now and won't be back to Pullman until the end of the month. Neal Leon suggested also calling Motley for a bid noting that they only have one pit, and it is currently running. Shon said he will call

them for a bid as well and will call Jesse Parkins to see if he can haul the material since his vehicle can haul more and works better with their application schedule.

OLD BUSINESS:

Nothing to discuss.

NEW BUSINESS:

Shon Clark said that the Garfield Community Association will be dissolving and becoming a new entity. The purpose of the organization will remain the same and once the new organization is established then the GCA will be able to donate the final funds in their bank account to the new non-profit. They are planning a Harvest Fest for October 8th. Likely, there will be a street dance with a beer garden, and they will encourage people to drive something fun to the event in hopes to have some tractors and old cars there. This will be to celebrate the local farmers and their harvest. GCA took a vote, and it appears the event will be held downtown and not in the park.

FINANCIAL: Approval of checks

Neal Leon **MOVED** to approve payment of bills. Connie Schaut **seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.**

Payroll: Checks 15363-15366 EFT for DRS, EFTPS	Total =\$9,355.95
Claims: Checks 15367-15370 EFT DOR	Total =\$4,942.03

Total Claims and Payroll: \$14,297.89

ADJOURN:

Connie Schaut **MOVED** to adjourn the meeting. Craig Mitzimberg **seconded the motion and the motion carried unanimously.** The council meeting was adjourned at 7:15 pm.


Jarrod Pfaff – Mayor

ATTEST:


Cody Lord – Clerk/Treasurer