



CITY OF FREEPORT

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December 27, 2016 – Meeting Minutes

A regular meeting of the Freeport City Council was convened at 7:00pm by Mayor Rodney Atkinson with Councilmembers, Ken Goebel, Mike Eveslage and Ben Eittle present.

Members not in attendance: Tim Hennen

Staff in attendance: Clerk-Treasurer Adrianna Hennen, Deputy Treasurer Joan Wall, City Attorney Scott Dymoke, City Engineer Dave Blommel, and Public Works Director Loren Goebel

Others in attendance:

Andrea Ramacher (720 1st Ave N)

Jake Renneker (107 9th St SE)

Approve Agenda

Eveslage moved to approve the agenda, seconded by K. Goebel. Motion carried 4-0.

Open Public Forum

No comment was given

Consent Agenda

K. Goebel moved to approve the consent agenda, seconded by Eittle. Motion carried 4-0.

Reports

Clerk Report

A. Hennen updated the council on the swearing in ceremony to be held on January 9th.

Atkinson presented K. Goebel with a plaque thanking him for his service to Freeport as a councilmember.

Deputy Treasurer Report

No report was given.

Public Works Report

No report was given.

Engineer Report

No Report was given.

Attorney Report

No report was given.

Fire Department Report

No report was given.

Old Business

Resolution 2016-16 – 2017 Final Budget

Eveslage moved to approve Resolution 2016-16, seconded by Ertle. Roll-call vote was requested: Atkinson-yes, Ertle-yes, Eveslage-yes, K. Goebel-yes. Motion carried 4-0.

Public Works Performance/Pay

Eveslage moved to give Loren Goebel a raise to \$18 immediately, followed by a raise to \$20 with the completion of his wastewater license, seconded by Ertle. Motion carried 4-0.

Compost Site

Council agreed this would be an ongoing topic and something to keep discussing.

New Business

Resolution 2016-14 – Fire Department Officer Appointment

Eveslage moved to approve Resolution 2016-14, seconded by Ertle. Motion carried 4-0.

Resolution 2016-15 – Fire Department Personnel Policy

Ertle moved to approve Resolution 2016-15, seconded by K. Goebel. Motion carried 4-0.

Adjourn

Mayor, Rodney Atkinson

City Clerk-Treasurer, Adrianna Hennen