

**YATES CENTER CITY COUNCIL MINUTES
OCTOBER 28, 2013**

City Council met in regular session on Monday, October 28, 2013, at 7:00pm at city hall. The Pledge Of Allegiance was recited.

Mayor Weber called the meeting to order. Roll call as follows: Reser, Randall, Beecher, Black, Stuber, and Jones. Absent: Day and Bishop. Other city official present included: City Attorney Tom Mikulka, Street Superintendent Randy Hegwald, and City Clerk Becky Boice.

AGENDA APPROVED

Motion was made by Beecher, seconded by Randall, to approve the agenda as printed. Motion carried unanimously.

MINUTES APPROVED

Motion was made by Beecher, seconded by Stuber, to approve the minutes of the October 14, 2013, council meeting as printed. Motion carried unanimously.

CITY ATTORNEY

Mikulka had nothing to report.

MASONS – BBQ

No one was present from the Masons.

**COMMITTEE REPORTS
ADMINISTRATIVE
G&W 2014 CMB LICENSE**

Black presented a cereal malt beverage application from G&W Foods. Motion was made by Black, seconded by Beecher, to approve the 2014 cereal malt beverage application for G&W Foods. Motion carried unanimously.

PIZZA HUT 2014 CMB LICENSE

Black presented a cereal malt beverage application from Pizza Hut. Motion was made by Black, seconded by Beecher, to approve the 2014 cereal malt beverage application for Pizza Hut. Motion carried unanimously.

CASEY'S 2014 CMB LICENSE

Black presented a cereal malt beverage application from Casey's General Store. Motion was made by Black, seconded by Beecher, to approve the 2014 cereal malt beverage application for Casey's General Store. Motion carried unanimously.

**SAFETY
COYOTES IN TOWN**

Stuber reported that he had tried to trap coyotes on his property in town without any success. He encouraged hunters to legally hunt coyotes as close to town as they could without being inside of city limits. He stated that under no circumstances will people be allowed to discharge firearms inside of city limits to hunt coyotes.

POLICE CAR ORDERED

The new police car has been ordered and should be here in six to ten weeks.

**PUBLIC WORKS
ORDINANCE #1069 CORRECTED**

Beecher presented a corrected copy of Ordinance Number 1069 for approval. Motion was made by Beecher, seconded by Reser, to approve Ordinance Number 1069 as corrected. Motion carried unanimously.

WATER PLANT HEATER

Beecher presented three bids for a new tube heater at the water plant. After discussion, it was the consensus of the council to have a third party look at the current heater to see if it could be repaired.

PARKS & PUBLIC LANDS

LAKE ORDINANCES

Randall presented council with a draft ordinance to replace the current ordinances regarding the city owned lakes. After reviewing the ordinance, Randall tabled the approval for two weeks to allow the city attorney to review.

POOL REPORT

Randall informed council that members of the committee had met with Don Paddock, who's company originally built the Yates Center Swimming Pool. Paddock's opinion of the chlorine filter was that it is in usable condition, but the outside could be cleaned and painted. Other suggestions included:

- completely draining the baby pool for the winter
- putting handrails on the diving board
- caulking or grouting the tiles around the top of the pool with an acid resistance formula
- dumping 100 pounds of chlorine in the pool water for the winter

Randall to set a committee meeting to discuss if a city employee or a contractor should be responsible for completing the suggestions before winter.

HEALTH INSIGHT CAMERAS

Randall received two bids back from the four companies he had solicited security cameras for Health Insight from. After discussion and reviewing the bids, they were tabled for two weeks to allow Randall time to contact the two companies with questions regarding their bids.

Doors and locks for Health Insight were also discussed. Boice to check with the city's financial advisor Bob Agler, to see if money can be taken from the economic development fund for maintenance at Health Insight.

CFAP

Randall presented the 10-year Community Fisheries Assistance Program contract from the Kansas Department of Wildlife, Parks, and Tourism. Motion was made by Randall, seconded by Black, to instruct Mayor Weber to sign the contract with KDWPT. Motion carried unanimously.

CRAPPIE LIMIT

Randall presented a request from Justin Morrison, the city's fisheries biologist to change the length limit and creel limit on crappie at the Yates Center Reservoir. The proposed change is:

- no length limit, 20 per day creel limit on crappie at the Yates Center Reservoir.

Motion was made by Randall, seconded by Black, to approve the change as proposed. Motion carried unanimously. The change will go into effect on January 1, 2014.

CHAMBER UPDATE

Black gave an update on upcoming events sponsored by the chamber. He also reminded council his term on the chamber board would be end in a few months and to be thinking which council member would like to take his place. He also invited council to the Woodson County Chamber of Commerce Annual Dinner to be held November 9th.

MAYOR COMMENTS

Weber had nothing to report.

CLAIMS & VOUCHERS

Motion was made by Stuber, seconded by Beecher, to pay the claims and vouchers in the amount of \$68,056.67. Motion carried unanimously.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion was made by Reser, seconded by Beecher, to adjourn. Motion carried unanimously and council adjourned at 8:05pm.



Benjamin J Weber, Mayor

ATTEST:


Wynona B Boice, City Clerk

Approved November 12, 2013