

**YATES CENTER CITY COUNCIL MINUTES
APRIL 18, 2022**

Yates Center City Council met in regular session on Monday, April 18, 2022, at City Hall. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Mayor Weston called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm. Roll call as follows: Barney, Stewart, Spoon, Cathcard, Cavender, and Kee. Absent: Reed and Shaffer. Other city officials present included: City Attorney Brian Duncan, Street Lead Rodney Ryther, Police Officer Chris Bowman, and Deputy City Clerk Janet Thompson.

AGENDA AMENDED & APPROVED

Kee removed Adopting an Ordinance correcting Ward Division wording under Administrative. This will be taken up at the next meeting.

Motion was made by Kee, seconded by Spoon, to approve the agenda as amended. Motion carried unanimously.

MINUTES APPROVED

Motion was made by Spoon, seconded by Cathcard, to approve the minutes of the April 4, 2022, meeting as printed. Motion carried unanimously.

LEA ANN SMITH

Lea Ann Smith was present to voice her concerns over other vendors selling plants in the city.

CITY ATTORNEY

No comments from the attorney.

**COMMITTEE REPORTS
ADMINISTRATIVE**

The executive session was removed.

BEE ORDINANCE REVIEW

Kee made a brief statement on the Keeping of Bees Ordinance.

Motion was made by Kee, seconded by Cavender to repeal Ordinance No. 1132, Code 2021, Section 2-123. Motion carried unanimously.

SAFETY

Cathcard announced there would be a committee meeting at 5:00 pm on April 19, 2022 at City Hall.

**PUBLIC WORKS
ROAD CLOSURE FOR PROM
GRAND MARCH**

On April 23, 2022 there will be barricades at Main and Butler and also Green and Rutledge for the safety of the students participating in Grand March on the east side of the square. Grand March will start at 6 pm.

MAYOR'S COMMENTS

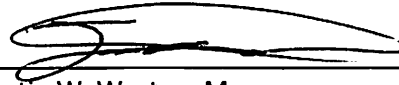
Weston read a thank you note from the Schinstock family.

CLAIMS AND VOUCHERS

Motion was made by Kee, seconded by Cathcard, to pay the claims and vouchers in the amount of \$74,016.83. Motion carried unanimously.

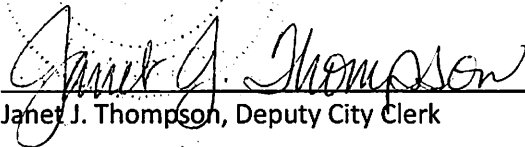
ADJOURNMENT

Motion was made by Spoon, seconded by Cathcard, to adjourn. Motion carried unanimously. Council adjourned at 7:25 pm.



Justin W. Weston, Mayor

ATTEST:


Janet J. Thompson, Deputy City Clerk

Approved May 2, 2022