

City Council
June 20, 2018
5:30 p.m.

The Atlantic City Council met in regular session in the Council Chambers at City Hall with Mayor Jones presiding. Council Members present were: Jimerson, Somers, Hayes, Hartkopf, Casady, Halder, and Brink. Absent: None.

Mayor Jones requested that the items involving the city engineer be moved to after the consent agenda was approved. Hayes moved, Somers seconded to approve the agenda as amended. All ayes. Motion carried.

Somers moved, Jimerson seconded to approve the consent agenda which included the following: minutes of the June 6, 2018 Council Meeting, Class B Beer Permit with Outdoor Sales for Atlantic Area Chamber of Commerce, and Class C Beer Permit with Sunday Sales for Olive Street Station. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Jimerson; second by Brink to approve Resolution #28-18 "APPROVING PLANS, SPECIFICATIONS, AND FORM OF CONTRACT FOR THE OLIVE STREET AND NISHNA STREET BRIDGE REPAIRS PROJECT". Ayes: Jimerson, Somers, Hayes, Hartkopf, Casady, Halder, Brink. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Hayes; second by Jimerson to approve Resolution #27-18 "MAKING AWARD OF CONTRACT FOR THE OLIVE STREET AND NISHNA STREET BRIDGE REPAIRS PROJECT". Ayes: Hayes, Hartkopf, Casady, Halder, Brink, Jimerson. Nays: None. Abstain: Somers. Motion carried.

Motion by Somers; second by Brink to approve Resolution #29-18 "AUTHORIZING BIDS FOR 2018 BULL CREEK TUNNEL IMPROVEMENTS." Ayes: Somers, Hayes, Hartkopf, Casady, Halder, Brink, Jimerson. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Motion by Casady; second by Brink to approve Change Order #1 for the Well Field Trail Project. All ayes. Motion carried.

Mayor David Jones reviewed Resolution #05-02 (which states that the Mayor shall preserve order and decorum and shall decide all questions of order, subject to an appeal to the Council) and public forum procedures.

Motion by Casady; second by Hartkopf to close streets necessary for American Legion Post #43's "Welcome Home" Event, from 10:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M. on Sunday, June 24, 2018. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Jimerson; second by Casady to temporarily restrict parking to only the east side of Palm Street, from 7th to 10th Streets on July 28th for the Cass County Fair. All ayes. Motion carried.

Council discussed a possible business grant program. Following discussion, an informal majority of the council members' opinions was to not proceed with such a program.

City Administrator John Lund reported:

- The Treasury approved Atlantic's Opportunity Zone application
- Received sign specifications for the Beautification Committee's review
- Projected date of January 1, 2019 for the launch of an employee HR/benefit portal
- No personal fireworks will be allowed at the airport on July 4th.

Mayor Dave Jones reported:

- Fireworks are not allowed on city streets and alleys and public school grounds
- When using fireworks, please be courteous to neighbors
- This year, citations will be issued to those in violation of the city's fireworks ordinance
- Good things happening at airport
- City had a tour of Elite Octane last week; it was very impressive

City Council Reports were as follows: Casady – CPC; Halder – CADCO, Library; Brink – Chamber, Community Protection; Jimerson- Community Protection; Hayes- Park & Rec; Hartkopf- Airport.

Motion by Casady; second by Brink to approve bills totaling \$81,415.80. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Jimerson; second by Halder to approve the May financial reports. All ayes. Motion carried.

Jimerson moved; Halder seconded to adjourn at 7:15 p.m. All ayes. Motion carried.

David Jones, Mayor

ATTEST: _____

Barb Barrick
City Clerk