

City Council
May 20, 2015
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, Stuart, Halder, and Cord. Absent: None.

Hayes moved, Hartkopf seconded, to approve the agenda as posted. All in favor.

Hayes moved, Jimerson seconded, to approve the consent agenda which includes the minutes of the May 6, 2015 Council Meeting; Class E Liquor License for After 5 Somewhere; and Cigarette Permits for After 5 Somewhere, Casey's General Store – 911 SW 7th, Casey's General Store – 1408 E 7th Street, Casey's General Store – 701 Poplar, Olive Street Station, and Wal-Mart Supercenter. All in favor.

Somers moved, Halder seconded, to close Cedar Street from 2nd Street to 3rd Street from 3:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Sunday, August 2, 2015 for the First United Methodist Church Community Block Party. All in favor.

Jimerson moved, Hartkopf seconded, to approve an Engineering Agreement with Snyder & Associates for the Connector Trail and Pedestrian Bridge Project. All in favor.

Somers moved, Hartkopf seconded, to adopt resolution #28-15 entitled, **“RESOLUTION TO ACCEPT EASEMENT FOR ASH STREET STORMWATER PROJECT: PHASE 1.”** All in favor.

Mayor Jones opened the public hearing as officially published regarding an amendment to the FY15 budget. No written comments or oral comments were filed.

Jimerson moved, Halder seconded, to close the public hearing. All in favor.

Jimerson moved, Hartkopf seconded, to adopt resolution #27-15 entitled, **“A RESOLUTION AMENDING THE CURRENT BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 2015.”** All in favor.

Jimerson moved, Hartkopf seconded, to pass ordinance #956 entitled, **“AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF ATLANTIC, IOWA, ADDING SECTION 69.20 ENTITLED ‘PROHIBITED PARKING WITHIN DESIGNATED CONSTRUCTION ZONES,’”** on the third and final reading. All in favor.

Jimerson moved, Hayes seconded, to amend resolution #29-15 by changing “Chamber of Commerce” in Section 1 and Section 2 to “City of Atlantic” and to adopt said resolution entitled, **“RESOLUTION ALLOWING SIGNAGE ALONG PUBLIC ROADWAYS DURING HIGHWAY 6 RECONSTRUCTION,”** as amended. All in favor.

City Administrator John Lund reported on a number of items including: Highway 6 reconstruction beginning May 26 and reminded the public that it is a State project and not a City project, the Finance Committee discussed TIF for the Boose project, reviewed the City Annual Debt Report, and that the City is responsible for the sidewalk and seeding of 611 Linn Street.

Jimerson moved, Hartkopf seconded, to appoint Richard Casady as the 5th Ward Councilman, effective June 4, 2015. All in favor.

Council Committee Reports were given as follows: Halder-Library, CADCO, and AMU; Jimerson-thanked everyone involved with the E Recycling project and reported on the new playground at the Little League Complex; Somers-Auditorium Task Force with the consensus from the Council will move forward with a full study of the auditorium including the elevator for \$10,000; Hartkopf-Airport.

Hayes moved, Hartkopf seconded, to approve the bills totaling \$98,800.33. All in favor.

Jimerson moved, Hayes seconded, to adjourn at 6:10 p.m. All in favor.

David R. Jones
Mayor

Attest: Deirdre Derby
Deputy City Clerk