

CITY COUNCIL  
PALMYRA, MISSOURI

July 8, 2010

The Palmyra City Council met on the above date in City Hall at 7:00 p.m. with Mayor Graham leading the Pledge of Allegiance. The following council members answered roll call: Emmett Garner, Jim Bross, Robert Lovegreen, Andy Bross, Carolyn Andresen and Gerre Feigenspan. Also present were Raymond Houston, Chase Hickman, Mark Cheffey, Christine Crawford and Gary Luck.

A motion was made by Councilman Garner and seconded by Councilmember Andresen to approve the consent agenda as presented. The roll call vote was as follows: Ayes; Garner, J. Bross, Lovegreen, A. Bross, Andresen and Feigenspan. Nays; none. The motion carried. The consent agenda included the following:

- a. Approval of the June 17th Minutes
- b. Bills for Approval
- c. Municipal Judge's Report-June

Crawford reported on recent park activities including seeking bids for replacement of light fixtures at the ball fields.

Gary Luck, representing Luck, Humphries and Associates, presented the annual audit report for the City General Revenue, Board of Public Works and Park. Luck answered questions from the council members. Luck left the meeting at 7:35 p.m.

A motion was made by Councilman Garner and seconded by Councilman A. Bross to approve the amended budget for fiscal year 2009-10. The roll call vote was as follows: Ayes; Garner, J. Bross, Lovegreen, A. Bross, Andresen and Feigenspan. Nays; none. The motion carried.

Councilmember Reports: Councilman Garner asked about a bankruptcy notice received by the Board of Public Works. City Attorney Hickman stated that Internet paid some monies during the 90 day period preceding their filing for bankruptcy and now the liquidation attorneys are requesting reimbursement.

Street Commissioner Houston reported that the asphaltting of 18 blocks of city streets is completed. He also reported on a water leak on N. Main Street that MoDot may require that the city pay for repairs. Houston stated that the ditch along the railroad track between New and Main Cross has been cleaned out.

City Clerk Dodd presented a proposed contract which would allow the Marion County Collector's office to begin billing and collecting the city real estate and property taxes. A motion was made by Councilman Garner and seconded by Councilmember Andresen authorizing the mayor to sign the agreement with Marion County to allow them to bill and collect the city taxes beginning with the 2010 taxes. The roll call vote was as follows: Ayes; Garner, Lovegreen, A. Bross, Andresen and Feigenspan. Nays; J. Bross. The motion carried.

Dodd also reported that she attended a Brownfield Conference and has filed an application for a Phase I assessment of the Architectural Woodworking building.

Mayor Graham reported that representatives from MoDot and the railroad will be in attendance at the August 19<sup>th</sup> meeting.

With no further business before the council a motion to adjourn was made at 8:00 p.m.

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Loren Graham, Mayor

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Rhonda J. Dodd, CMC, MRCC, City Clerk