

Minutes of the Garland City Council meeting held on October 18, 2023, at 8:02 pm at the Garland City Building with the following council members present:

Linda Bourne	Mayor
Sharla Nelson	Council Member
John Losee	Council Member
Jeanette Atkinson	Council Member
Tena Allen	Council Member

Mayor Bourne called the meeting to order. Council Member Losee gave a thought and the invocation and Council Member Nelson led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Council Member Atkinson made a motion to approve the agenda. A second was made by Council Member Nelson with all council members present voting in favor of the motion.

Council Member Nelson made a motion to approve the August 16, 2023, September 6, 2023, and October 4, 2023 minutes. A second was made by Council Member Allen with all council members present voting in favor of the motion.

Mayor Bourne asked if there were any open comments from the public.

Sandy Roundy complained about the weeds west of her between the railroad tracks and 300 West. Debra Long stated she has heard about things going on in the city. She is concerned about the storm drain under the railroad tracks. She is concerned about the money being spent on the projects around the city and overspending. She was also concerned about the crossing guards with winter coming and safety. Josh Munns listed off all the vehicles the city has to plow snow and doesn't think we should add a snow plow or sander to the new F550 truck. He is also concerned that we don't want to sell water connections to bring in money. Merrilee Gardner said she dittoed what the others have said but her main concern is the council hearing what the people have said.

Mayor Bourne stated the first item under new business was a discussion and possible action on bids for an HVAC unit in the emergency preparedness office.

Council Member Allen made a motion to table the HVAC for the emergency preparedness office until we can get some more bids. A second was made by Council Member Losee with all council members present voting in favor of the motion.

Mayor Bourne stated the second item under new business was a discussion and possible action on the sidewalk repair plan and said that from the discussion in the work session that we just want to turn that over to the public works to take the best course of action. No formal action was taken.

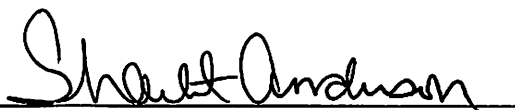
Mayor Bourne stated the final item under new business was a discussion and possible action on bids for a snowplow and sanders for the new sewer truck. Council Member Losee stated that he thinks we should not do it and Council Member Allen agreed. Council Nelson stated that it sounds like we have plenty of other equipment we can use. No formal action was taken.

Mayor Bourne asked if there were any financial questions. Council Member Nelson asked if the interest earnings go back into the general fund. Sharlet answered yes. Council Member Losee asked if the bonus check we gave to Officer Bare was just for Garland Officers. Mayor Bourne stated if it is a Tremonton paid officer then Tremonton pays for it.

Council Member Atkinson made a motion to approve the coding for payroll and accounts payable. A second was made by Council Member Nelson with all council members present voting in favor of the motion.

Mayor Bourne asked if there were any requests for future agenda items. Council Member Allen stated that she would like to discuss the issue that JoAnn Mortensen brought up at the last meeting. Mayor Bourne stated that she and Council Member Atkinson have been down and looked at the situation. Council Member Atkinson said she has spoken with JoAnn and public works is working on it. Council Member Losee stated that he would like to discuss the ongoing projects in the city.

Council Member Atkinson made a motion to adjourn at 8:26 p.m. A second was made by Council Member Losee with all council members present voting in favor of the motion.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Sharlet Anderson". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial 'S' and 'A'. A horizontal line is drawn underneath the signature.

Sharlet Anderson, Recorder