Mayor Jensen called the council meeting to order on Wednesday January 3, 2024, at 6:00 p.m. at City Hall.

Present: Mayor Jensen, Administrator Jackson,

Council Members: Ostrem, Phillips, O'Connor, Sporleder

Absent: Solberg

Also Present: Nicole Englehardt, EDC; Shanon McKinley, GCC; Matt Sporleder, Chief of Police

Motion by Sporleder, seconded by O'Connor, to approve the agenda.

Aye: Ostrem, Phillips, O'Connor, Sporleder

Nay: None Motion Carried.

Motion by Ostrem, seconded by Phillips, to approve the December 18, 2023 regular meeting minutes.

Aye: Ostrem, Phillips, O'Connor, Sporleder

Nay: None Motion Carried.

LEGAL ITEMS

A) Resolution No. 24-1 – Designate the Official Depositories for the City Motion by Ostrem, seconded by Sporleder, to approve Resolution No. 24-1 – Designate the Official Depositories for the City

Aye: Ostrem, Phillips, O'Connor, Sporleder

Nay: None Motion Carried.

B) Resolution No. 24-2 – Designate the Date, Time, and Place of Regular Council Meetings

Motion by Sporleder, seconded by Phillips, to approve Resolution No. 24-2 – Designate the Date, Time, and Place of Regular Council Meetings

Aye: Ostrem, Phillips, O'Connor, Sporleder

Nay: None

Motion Carried.

C) Resolution No. 24-3 – Designate the Official Newspapers

Motion by Phillips, seconded by Ostrem, to approve Resolution No. 24-3

Designate the Official Newspapers

Aye: Ostrem, Phillips, O'Connor, Sporleder

Nay: None

Motion Carried.

D) Resolution No. 24-4 – Appointment of City Attorney

Motion by Sporleder, seconded by Ostrem, to approve Resolution No. 24-4

Appointment of City Attorney

Aye: Ostrem, Phillips, O'Connor, Sporleder

Nay: None Motion Carried

E) Resolution No. 24-5 – Appointment of City Clerk & Treasurer

Motion by O'Connor, seconded by Phillips, to approve Resolution 24-5 –

Appointment of

City Clerk & Treasurer

Aye: Ostrem, Phillips, O'Connor, Sporleder

Nay: None Motion Carried

F) Resolution No. 24-6 – Appointment of Building Inspectors

Motion by Ostrem, seconded by O'Connor, to approve Resolution No. 24-6 -

Appointment of Building Inspectors

Aye: Ostrem, Phillips, O'Connor, Sporleder

Nay: None Motion Carried

ADMINISTRATIVE ITEMS

A) Approve Construction Pay Application No. 2 for the Carousel

Ballfield Fencing Project

Motion by Sporleder, seconded by Phillips, to approve Construction Pay

Application No. 2 for \$86,509.08 for the Ballfield Fencing Project

Aye: Ostrem, Phillips, O'Connor, Sporleder

Nay: None Motion Carried

B) Request Authorization to Hire Aaron Adams for Police Officer Position Chief Matt Sporleder presented the request to council and answered questions about the officer.

Motion by Phillips, seconded by O'Connor, to approve Request Authorization to Hire Aaron Adams for Police Officer Position

Aye: Ostrem, Phillips, O'Connor, Sporleder

Nay: None Motion Carried

C) Consideration, with Option to Approve, Health Improvement Program Fringe Benefit for Deputy Clerk/Treasurer

Motion by O'Connor, seconded by Ostrem, to approve Health Improvement Program Fringe Benefit for Deputy Clerk/Treasurer

Aye: Ostrem, Phillips, O'Connor, Sporleder

Nay: None Motion Carried

Consideration, with Option to Approve, Downtown Building Grant Program D) Guidelines Motion by Phillips, seconded by Sporleder, to Approve Downtown Building Grant Program Guidelines Aye: Ostrem, Phillips, O'Connor, Sporleder Nay: None **Motion Carried** APPROVAL OF BILLS AND CLAIMS Motion by Ostrem, seconded by Sporleder, to approve payment of bills and claims. Aye: Ostrem, Phillips, O'Connor, Sporleder Nay: None Motion Carried. There being no further business before council, the meeting adjourned at 6:13 p.m. ATTEST:

Mike Jensen, Mayor

Heather Slifka, City Clerk