

CITY OF KREBS  
COUNCIL MEETING  
SEPTEMBER 21, 2021

KREBS CITY HALL  
5 NE WASHINGTON  
KREBS, OKLAHOMA

SEPTEMBER 21, 2021  
TUESDAY  
7:00 P.M.

1. MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

Mayor Bobby Watkins called the meeting to order.

2. ROLL CALL

Jessica Green, City Clerk called roll. Bobby Watkins-present, Tommy Walker-present, Connie Poole-present, Jason Wagnon-absent, David Bailey-present.

3. PRAYER AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Mayor Watkins led the prayer and pledge.

4. DISCUSS AND ACT TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THE AUGUST 17, 2021 COUNCIL MEETING.

Mayor Watkins asks for a motion to approve the minutes. Connie Poole makes the motion to approve the minutes. David Bailey seconds the motion. Mayor Watkins calls for a vote. Tommy Walker-yes, Connie Poole-yes, David Bailey-yes. Motion passed.

5. DISCUSS AND ACT TO APPROVE THE CLAIMS.

Mayor Watkins asks for a motion to approve the claims. David Bailey makes the motion to approve the claims. Connie Poole seconds the motion. Mayor Watkins calls for a vote. David Bailey-yes, Connie Poole-yes, Tommy Walker-yes. Motion approved.

6. REVIEW CITY OF KREBS FINANCIAL STATEMENT WITH MIKE KERN.

Mr. Kern addresses the council. Mr. Kern states on page 3 for the month of August the total expense revenue was \$204,847.69. Mr. Kern states for the 2-month ending August we have revenue of \$380,851.98. Mr. Kern states on page 5 the total expenses for the month of August \$127,321.34. Mr. Kern states the net income of \$77,526.35. The year-to-date expenditures in excess of \$24,196.18. Mr. Kern states that we transferred \$75,000 to the PWA. Mr. Kern asks if there are any questions.

7. BUSINESS PREVIOUSLY DISCUSSED.

A. DISCUSS AND ACT TO TAKE BIDS ON THE DILAPIDATED BUILDING AT 90 SW 8<sup>TH</sup>. PROPERTY OWNED BY ROSE ANN ROBERTSON.

Mayor Watkins states that this is the house that caught fire by Pete's Place. Mayor Watkins states that nothing has been done with the extension that we gave. Mayor Watkins states that there was a dumpster there, but now it is gone. Mayor Watkins asks for a motion to approve to take bids.

Tommy Walker makes the motion to approve to take bids. David Bailey seconds the motion. Mayor Watkins calls for a vote. David Bailey-yes, Connie Poole-yes, Tommy Walker-yes. Motion passed.

8. BUSINESS NOT PREVIOUSLY DISCUSSED.

A. DISCUSS AND ACT TO OPEN AND ACCEPT BIDS FOR RE-SURFACING THE WALKING TRACK AT DEERINWATER PARK

Mayor Watkins states that we received one bid.

H& G Paving Contractors, INC in the amount of \$56,999.69. David Bailey asks how many inches it is. Mayor Watkins states 8X2 and 1 mile long. David Bailey asks about the cracks. Mayor Watkins states that the city should be able to do that. Mayor Watkins asks the council wants to table. Pat Layden states that the council needs to vote to reject due to the price. Mayor Watkins asks for a motion to reject the bid due to the price being out of the budget. Connie Poole makes the motion to reject the bid. Tommy Walker seconds the motion. Mayor Watkins calls for a vote. David Bailey-yes, Connie Poole-yes, Tommy Walker-yes. Motion rejected passed.

B. DISCUSS AND ACT TO USE IT FUNDS TO PURCHASE A WIRELESS RADIO SYSTEM FOR THE KREBS FIRE DEPARTMENT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$4,159.00 FROM MUSKOGEE COMMUNICATIONS.

Chuck Nelms Fire Chief addresses the council. Mr. Nelms states that when they ordered the brush truck did not include the wireless radio system. Watts would install the system into the new truck at no charge. Mayor Watkins asks for a motion to approve. David Bailey makes the motion to approve. Connie Poole seconds the motion. Mayor Watkins calls for a vote. David Bailey-yes, Connie Poole-yes, Tommy Walker-yes. Motion passed.

C. DISCUSS AND ACT TO ACCEPT A CHANGE ORDER FROM WATTS FIRE APPARATUS FOR CHANGES TO THE NEW BRUSH TRUCK IN THE AMOUNT OF \$4,812.50.

Chuck Nelms, Fire Chief addresses the council. Mr. Nelms states that when they did the prebuild there were some things that needed to be changed and added. They were recommended to upgrade the light bar, and off-road lights. Mr. Nelms states that he would like the lightbar to come out of the IT fund. Mayor Watkins asks for a motion to approve. Connie Poole makes the motion to approve the change order. David Bailey seconds the motion. Mayor Watkins calls for a vote. Tommy Walker-yes, Connie Poole-yes, Tommy Walker-yes. Motion passed.

D. DISCUSS AND ACT TO ADOPT A COVID POLICY FOR CITY EMPLOYEES

Mayor Watkins states that we need to adopt a policy for city employees. Mayor Watkins asks if the council would like to do an incentive for the ones that have not been vaccinated.

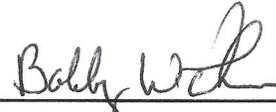
Connie Poole asks about how many employees the city has. Kay Scott states about 23. Tommy Walker states that they should be vaccinated if they work for the city. Kay Scott states that we need to know how the city needs to handle when someone is exposed. Mayor Watkins states that if they are sick, they need to use their own leave. Kay Scott states that we have already paid time off for a year for employees when this first started. David Bailey asks if we should have a special meeting to work this out. Connie Poole states she is all about the incentive for people to get the shot, because they are putting others at risk. Connie Poole states we can give \$100 for their first shot and \$50 for the second. Mayor Watkins states that we can give them time off to get the shot. Mayor Watkins calls for a motion to Table. Tommy Walker makes the motion to Table. David Bailey seconds the motion. Mayor Watkins calls for a vote. David Bailey-yes, Connie Poole-yes, Tommy Walker-yes. Motion Tabled.

9. COMMENTS FROM THE COUNCIL AND MAYOR

David Bailey asks about roadwork being done. Billy Robinson states that we can only get 25 tons a week.

10. ADJOURN TO KUA

Mayor Watkins asks for a motion to adjourn to KUA. Tommy Walker makes the motion to adjourn to KUA. Connie Poole seconds the motion. Mayor Watkins calls for a vote. David Bailey-yes, Connie Poole-yes, Tommy Walker-yes. Motion passed.



Bobby Watkins, Mayor

ATTEST:



Jessica Green, City Clerk