

The Sheldon City Council met in regular session on Thursday, June 10, 2010 at 12:00 p.m. Mayor Katricia Rider called the meeting to order. Roll call was taken. Present: Ron Rensink, Brad Hindt, Mark Postma, and Dave Popkes. Duane Seehusen arrived at 12:04 p.m. Also present: Todd Uhl, Lyle Bolkema, Scott Wynja, and Arlene Budden.

There were no public comments.

A motion was made by Rensink and seconded by Hindt to approve the consent agenda with the following items:

- a. City Council Minutes of May 19, 2010.
- b. Summary List of Claims and additional Claims as Presented.
- c. Approval of Cigarette Permits for the following businesses:  
Casey's General Store; Fareway Store, Inc.; Hy-Vee; Jensen Liquor;  
Kum & Go-504 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave.; Kum & Go-519 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave.; Sheldon Plaza.
- d. Approval of Liquor License for Fareway Store.
- e. Approval of Outdoor Service for Family Table on July 3, 2010.
- f. Approval of Native Wine Permit for Ben Franklin Store.
- g. Approval of EMA Applicant Jordan Holtrop.
- h. Approval of Request from EMA for Village NW Celebration on July 2, 2010 to close 19<sup>th</sup> Ave. from East 6<sup>th</sup> Street to Highway 18 through the fireworks display to prevent traffic from the south onto Highway 18 at the conclusion of the fireworks; make 18<sup>th</sup> Ave. one-way going north from Fantasia to Oak Street from 5:00 p.m.; make Oak Street from 18<sup>th</sup> Ave. to Wansink Ave. one-way going west from 5:00 p.m.; after the parking spaces are filled on these two streets, close the street to non-essential traffic; and have barricades placed earlier on July 2<sup>nd</sup> at the intersections of 18<sup>th</sup> Ave. & Highway 18, Wansink Ave. and Oak Street, and by the Village Greenhouse.
- i. Student Fire Applicants Jenna Marie Kurger and Trisha Wood, pending firemen physicals being completed on these two applicants.
- j. Approve the Request from SCDC for following summer events:
  1. The annual Sheldon Crazy Days Celebration is scheduled this year on Friday, July 23, 2010. Request to block off streets according to the following information: 9<sup>th</sup> Street from 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue through 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue, as well as 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave from 10<sup>th</sup> Street through 8<sup>th</sup> Street. Request for garbage cans from the street department.
  2. Hot Dog Day Customer Appreciation, Monday, August 9, 2010: Request permission to set up grills and serving tables on the downtown sidewalks beginning at approximately 4:30 p.m. and ending by the close of business hours. Request for garbage cans from the street department.

Celebrations Days:

3. Block off 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue from 9<sup>th</sup> Street to 10<sup>th</sup> Street on Saturday, September 4, 2010 for Sheldon Fire Company Water Fights from 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Request for garbage cans from the street department.
  
4. The annual Celebration Days parade will be held on September 6, 2010 beginning at 2:00 p.m. The parade route and parade staging area will be the same as previous years, with the parade headquarters located at the SCDC office in the Community Services Building. The staging area will include 10<sup>th</sup> & 11<sup>th</sup> Streets from 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave to Washington Ave.  
The parade route will begin at the intersection of 10<sup>th</sup> St. & 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave, proceed north on 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave to 6<sup>th</sup> Street, turn east on 6<sup>th</sup> Street, proceed to Washington Ave. and continue on Washington Ave past the Christian Retirement Home (See attached map for clarification.) We are requesting that: All streets and avenues which intersect the parade route be blocked to through-traffic beginning at noon and remain blocked until the conclusion of the parade at approximately 3:30 p.m. That 4<sup>th</sup> Ave. be blocked off from 7:00 a.m. -6:00 p.m. from the corner of 6<sup>th</sup> Street north of Parkview Assembly in order to accommodate for various activities.  
That east 4<sup>th</sup> street (in front of the high school) from its intersection with 19<sup>th</sup> Ave. to its intersection with Union Avenue is closed from 9:00 a.m. to the conclusion of the car show at approximately 5:00 p.m.
  
5. Use of ATV's- (A training course will be provided for committee members and volunteers).

Roll call was taken. Ayes, all. Motion carried.

The Council held the third reading on the proposed ordinance for the water and sewer rates for 2010/2011. A motion was made by Hindt and seconded by Postma to approve Ordinance O10-3197, AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF SHELDON, IOWA BY AMENDING PROVISIONS OF SECTION 92.02 PERTAINING TO RATES FOR WATER SERVICE; BY AMENDING PROVISIONS OF SECTION 92.03 PERTAINING TO WATER SERVICE RATES OUTSIDE THE CITY; BY AMENDING PROVISIONS OF SECTION 92.10 PERTAINING TO MULTIPLE UNITS HOOKED TO ONE METER; AND BY AMENDING PROVISIONS OF SECTION 99.05 PERTAINING TO SEWER SERVICE CHARGES. Roll call was taken. Ayes: Rensink, Seehusen, Hindt, Postma, and Popkes. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Popkes and seconded by Hindt to approve Resolution R10-3962, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF SHELDON, IOWA, TO MAKE AN APPLICATION TO THE IOWA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TRAFFIC

SAFETY IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (TSIP) FOR THE PARTIAL FUNDING OF THE PROJECT FOR SITE SPECIFIC IMPROVEMENTS ON THE CORRIDOR NEAR INTERSECTION OF U.S. 18 & COUNTRY CLUB ROAD AND FURTHER OBLIGATES THE CITY TO ASSUME RESPONSIBILITY FOR ANY ADDITIONAL FUNDS NECESSARY FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF SAID PROJECT. Roll call was taken. Ayes: Rensink, Seehusen, Hindt, Postma, and Popkes. Motion carried. This TSIP application is for \$200,000, the City has a verbal commitment of \$200,000 for USTEP funds, and the local share would be \$210,000, with a combined total of \$610,000 to put toward the Highway 18 & Country Club Road Roadway Improvement Project.

A motion was made by Seehusen and seconded by Postma to approve the request from The Northwest Iowa Tractor Pullers Club to host their Mini-Rod Tractor Pull at the former horse arena on Saturday, September 4, 2010, contingent upon the receipt of their insurance certificate naming the City of Sheldon as an additional insured, and the insurance coverage with a minimum general aggregate value of \$1,000,000 specifically for this event during the Sheldon Celebration Days. Ayes, all. Motion carried. Councilman Ron Rensink, speaking on behalf of ICAP and as the City's insurance agent, recommended approval of this request only if these conditions are met to avoid putting the City's liability at risk.

Press comments-none.

Council comments-Councilman Rensink stated that he has received questions about a sidewalk path out to the new Hy-Vee Store. City Manager Wynja commented this has been discussed, and Hy-Vee is receptive to the idea. He will continue to work with Hy-Vee regarding installation of sidewalks.

A motion was made by Hindt and seconded by Postma to adjourn the meeting at 12:13 p.m. Ayes, all. Motion carried.

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Arlene Budden, City Clerk/Treasurer/Finance Officer

