

Sutherland, Iowa City Council Meeting – December 4, 2017 – 7:00 PM – 110 Ash Street – Meeting Room

Mayor Elizabeth Peters called the council meeting to order. Roll call showed council members present were: Joe Sweeney, Steve Koch, Jack Wallinga, Jill Jurgensen and Bruce Engelke. Others present were: Neomia Foley, Margaret Dau, Dennis Templer, Alan Vogel, Johanna Homan, Dennis Fogelman, Mark Cody, Tony Larsen, Kay Gifford, Dan Wetherell, Corey Zimmer and Officer Jami Webster. Mari Radtke arrived at 7:07 p.m.

A motion was made by Wallinga seconded by Koch to approve the agenda, previous minutes and clerks report. All were in favor. Motion carried.

The R.L. Johannsen Center Board stated that they voted to keep the board as it is with the current seven members.

A few questions were asked regarding the bills. A motion was made by Engelke seconded by Wallinga to pay the bills. Roll call: Ayes – Steve Koch, Jack Wallinga, Jill Jurgensen, Bruce Engelke, and Joe Sweeney. Motion carried.

The Economic Development report was given by Johanna Homan.

Library Report was given by Dan Wetherell.

Fire and Ambulance Report was given by Assistant Chief Tony Larsen.

Police Report was presented by Officer Jami Webster. Council advised Officer Webster to order the camera for the car and advised her to see what it would take to get the police blazer running.

Communications and topics for discussion:

The January City Council Meeting is being moved to Monday, January 8 due to the holiday.

The Budget Workshop is set for January 18th at 7:00 p.m.

A motion was made by Koch seconded by Engelke to approve Ordinance 2017-006 repealing and re-adopting Chapter 75. All were in favor. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Koch seconded by Engelke to waive the third reading of Ordinance 2017-006. All were in favor. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Sweeney seconded by Engelke to accept Resolution 2017-10. Roll call: Ayes – Jack Wallinga, Jill Jurgensen, Bruce Engelke, Joe Sweeney, and Steve Koch. Motion carried.

Standing Committee Reports:

Town Property –All equipment is ready for winter.

Park – 2 new members will be needed.

Weeds and Debris – Officer Webster has been working on several properties in the community.

Lights – Light is not working at the gravel road and Hwy 10 intersection on the west side of town.

Councilmember and Mayor Pro-Tem Jack Wallinga presented Mayor Peters with a certificate from the council and city employees for her four years of service as Sutherland's Mayor.

A motion was made by Koch seconded by Wallinga to adjourn. All were in favor. Motion carried.

_____ Mayor Elizabeth Peters

_____ Natosha Pettitt City Clerk