

City of Goodview
City Council Minutes
April 4, 2011

The meeting was called to order by Acting Mayor Baumgart at 5:00 p.m.

The Pledge of Allegiance was said.

Upon Roll Call: Acting Mayor Steve Baumgart and Councilmembers Dick Ledebuhr, Sandy Erdman, and Mike Alexander were present. Mayor J.P. Weimerskirch was absent.

City Staff Present: Director of Public Works Greg Volkart, Police Chief Kent Russell, Maintenance II worker Dave Schultz, and Clerk-Typist Nancy Gaulke.

Consent Agenda: Councilmember Erdman moved and Councilmember Alexander seconded the Consent Agenda be approved as presented. The agenda included the minutes of the March 21, 2011 regular City Council meeting.

All voted aye and the motion carried.

There was no community comment or input.

Acting Mayor Baumgart thanked the Police Chief and his staff for the pancake breakfast which was held at the Winona Elks club yesterday. It benefited the Police Reserve unit.

Director of Public Works, Greg Volkart, gave the Council an update on the latest flood levels from Winona County. He indicated they are predicting a second crest of the Mississippi River by mid-April around 17 feet. He informed the Council that the City's sewer re-lining project, started last fall, has been completed. The cost was approximately \$90,000 which covered about five City blocks. He also mentioned Dave Schultz continues to plug away at getting all the City streets swept. Councilmember Erdman asked if the work being done on the 41st Street side of The Bar was the City's project or Knitcraft's. Mr. Volkart informed her this work is still part of the job to repair the water service to The Bar. Police Chief Kent Russell gave the Council updates on numerous items; (1) the 800 megahertz project; the City will start installing the radios in our squads in the near future. However, the actual implementation date from Winona County may have to be pushed back to early 2012 due to the construction of a new tower. (2) He informed the Council his department has had to respond to incidents at The Bar each of the past two weekends. The Chief had a sit-down with Manager Tom Overland to discuss this topic, and it was decided the Police Department will conduct more walkthroughs on the weekends. Councilmember Erdman questioned if The Bar has a Bouncer on staff, of which she was told no. (3) Chief Russell informed the Council he continues to work closely with the new on-site manager of Lake Village, and (4) The Goodview Police Department has been involved in several drug busts which have taken place in the area over the past few weeks.

The Maintenance Department on-call schedule for April was acknowledged.

The letter from the Winona County Assessor's Department concerning the 2011 Board of Appeal & Equalization meeting (to be held on Monday, April 18, 2011) was reviewed by the Council.

The additional census data received from the Winona County Recorder was reviewed.

Councilmember Ledebuhr moved and Councilmember Erdman seconded to adjourn. All voted aye, motion carried.

Adjournment at 5:13 p.m.

NOTE: The next regular meeting of the Goodview City Council will be on Monday, April 18, 2011 at 5:00 p.m. at Goodview City Hall.