TOWN OF STAR CITY

Council Meeting February 18, 2025 6:00 P.M.

PRELIMINARIES:

Mayor Doyle recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

CALL TO ORDER:

Mayor Doyle called the meeting to order.

ATTENDANCE:

Mayor - Sharon Doyle

SCPD - Chief Colebank

Treasurer - Lea Hassler

Town Attorney - Tim Stranko

Public Works - Phillip Davis

Recorder - Steven A. Blinco

Councilor - Jennifer Hunt

Councilor - Lynette DeChristopher

Councilor - Dr. Gregory Epps

Councilor - Andy Laskody

Code Enforcement - Bob Doyle Councilor - Jim Morris

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Motion to approve the minute from the previous meeting.

- 1. Councilor Epps
- 2. Councilor Laskody

Motion carried.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

Bills to be Paid:

Motion to pay the bills as presented in the amount of \$175,134.27

- 1. Councilor Epps
- 2. Councilor Morris

Motion carried.

Financial Report:

Motion to approve the financial report ending on January 2025.

- 1. Councilor Hunt
- 2. Councilor Laskody

Motion carried.

SPECIAL SPEAKERS / PRESENTATIONS: (NONE)

CITIZENS: (NONE)

MAYOR'S COMMENTS: (NONE)

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: (NONE)

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Beautification Committee Meeting – 3/4/25 (After the Regular Council Meeting)

SUPERVISOR'S REPORTS:

Treasurer - Lea Hassler

- 2024 Audit has been successfully completed

Code Enforcement - Bob Doyle (NONE)

Public Works - Phillip Davis

- Down a few workers but still managing
- Large Truck Maintenance is continuing
- Dealing with multiple water leaks throughout Town
- Road Issues throughout Town / DOH notified

Star City Police Department - Chief Colebank

- Police Applications still being taken
- Dealing with a stolen vehicle

RECORDER'S COMMENTS: (NONE)

ATTORNEY'S COMMENTS: (NONE)

NEW BUSINESS:

Steptoe & Johnson Engagement Letter for Sale of Boyers Avenue

Motion to approve the Steptoe & Johnson Engagement Letter for Sale of Boyers Avenue

- 1. Councilor Laskody
- 2. Councilor Morris

Motion carried.

General Fund Budget Revision #1

Motion to approve the General Fund Budget Revision #1.

- 1. Councilor DeChristopher
- 2. Councilor Hunt

Motion carried.

Coal Severance Budget Revision #2

Motion to approve the Coal Severance Budget Revision #2

- 1. Councilor Epps
- 2. Councilor DeChristopher

Motion carried.

Approval of Final Draft of Police Department Take Home Vehicle Policy

Motion to approve the SCPD Take Home Vehicle Policy as presented.

- 1. Councilor DeChristopher
- 2. Councilor Morris

Motion carried.

City Hall Cleaning Services Bid Approval

Motion to award the City Hall Cleaning Service to MJS Cleaning Solutions. (2x per week initially, then 1x per week thereafter)

- 1. Councilor DeChristopher
- 2. Councilor Hunt

Motion carried.

CJA Properties Alley Ownership (NO ACTION WAS TAKEN)

Schedule Finance Committee Meeting(s) for FY2026 Budget Preparations

- First Meeting will be held on March 4, 2025 @ 5:00 PM (Before Council Meeting)

*Letter Submission from William Solomon

- Inquiring about future street / alley repairs (Fairfield in particular)

PERMITS:

- Power is set to be wired to the new sign on Thursday (2/20/25)
- End of Congress Avenue (Concerns with new sidewalk installation)

ADJOURNMENT:

Motion to adjourn at 6:41 P.M.

- 1. Councilor Laskody
- 2. Councilor DeChristopher

Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Steven A. Blinco, Star City Recorder

Sharon Doyle, Star City Mayor