

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA, COUNTY OF MARSHALL, CITY OF CAMERON, CITY COUNCIL, REGULAR SESSION, JUNE 7, 2021

The City Council of the City of Cameron met in Regular Session June 7, 2021 from the Benedum Community Building. Mayor Greg Galentine called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. The following council members were present: Sarah Burge, Joseph Wendt, Terri Galentine, John "PZ" Winters, Sherry Johnson, and City Attorney Cristian Turak. Absent: Kenny Richmond and Chief Michael Dougherty.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

Led by Joe Wendt

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

1) Councilperson Sherry Johnson moved to approve the minutes as presented on May 17, 2021 meeting, seconded by Councilperson Joe Wendt. Motion carried, vote of 5 YES.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

2) None

NEW BUSINESS:

- Thrasher Engineering and Belomar Regional Council were present to give Council an update on the steps that must be taken for filing an application for funding for Phase 3 Water and Phase 2 Sewer projects.
- 2) Thrasher and Belomar will be looking into everything possible for the IJDC application. They will return next meeting to talk about moving project forward. AC and Bayden from Belomar Regional Council, along with Mayor Galentine and City Clerk Nichole Bryan, submitted an application for the Community Development Block Grant. Cameron was awarded \$100,000 for abandoned/dilapidated house removal. Governor Jim Justice awarded this to Mayor Galentine.
- 3) Councilperson Sarah Burge moved to table discussion on amending our current animal ordinance. Seconded by Councilperson Terri Galentine. Motion carried, vote of 5 yes.
- 4) Councilperson Sherry Johnson moved to Disapprove the allowing of our two fulltime police officers to take cruisers home. Seconded by Councilperson John "PZ" Winters. Motion carried, vote of 5 yes.

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4) Asked if anyone responded to the mowing letters we sent out. Asst. City Clerk said no they haven't.

John "PZ" Winters:

5) N/A

Sherry Johnson:

6) Ask if anyone had talked to Jack Puglia about clean up at his property on Hillcrest. Still in need of mowing.

MAYOR'S COMMENTS:

- 1) Successfully submitted an application today for sidewalk repair, sidewalk extensions, ADA Compliant wheelchair access. This was a group effort between Mayor, City Clerk, and Thrasher. Now we wait.
- 2) City paid for pool rental for the Girls and Boys Basketball team's pool party on Saturday.
- 3) Sent a letter to County Commission requesting a donation for the Fireman's 4th of July Festival.
- 4) There was a request to remove the handicap parking in front of Full Belly Deli.
- 5) Will discuss amending ATV ordinance next meeting.

ADJOURNMENT:

Councilperson Sherry Johnson moved to adjourn the meeting at 8:10 P.M., seconded by Councilperson Sarah Burge. Motion passed vote of 5 YES.

H. Greg Galentine, Mayor Lisa Warren, Assistant City Clerk