

BOARD OF ALDERMEN WORKSESSION

September 24, 2024 - 5:00 p.m.

A work session of the City of Hamilton Board of Aldermen was held on Tuesday, September 24, 2024, from 5:00 p.m. to 6:56 p.m.

Present at Meeting:

Cole Crawford, Mayor
Cameron Fast, West Alderman
Robert Grant, West Alderman
Toni Schmidt, East Alderman
Deedie Esry, East Alderman (left meeting at 6:03 p.m.)

City Staff present:

Rhabecca Boerkircher, City Administrator
Leslie Bretz, City Clerk

Call to Order: Mayor Cole Crawford called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m.

Approve Agenda: There was a motion by Robert Grant to approve the agenda. Deedie Esry seconded the motion, and the board voted in favor.

Approval of Work Session Minutes from August 28, 2024: There was a motion by Cameron Fast to approve the minutes from August 28, 2024. Toni Schmidt seconded the motion, and the board voted in favor.

Bill Number 092024 – Oil Spill Remediation – Two Readings: Rhabecca Boerkircher spoke to the board about the oil spill from the tanker at the old street barn. There were 3 proposals submitted for oil cleanup. Cole Crawford read the first reading of Bill Number 092024. Robert Grant read the second reading. There was discussion by the board and Rhabecca Boerkircher will contact Clean Management Environmental Group, Inc. and have then add language that the work will be satisfactory to DNR. There was a motion by Robert Grant to sign the contract with Clean Management Environmental Group, Inc., once the language is added that the work will be satisfactory to DNR. Deedie Esry seconded the motion. The board voted as follows: Robert Grant – aye; Cameron Fast – aye; Deedie Esry – aye; and Toni Schmidt – aye.

The board asked that Rhabecca contact MIRMA regarding a claim for vandalism.

Public Comment – Al Doan – Comprehensive Plan: Al Doan spoke to the board regarding the comprehensive plan. Al wanted the board to know that the Comprehensive Plan is important to what Al has planned for the City of Hamilton. Al passed out handouts to the board regarding his proposed plans for the City of Hamilton which included a hotel, long-term housing units, and the Doan Community Center. Sarah Galbraith also spoke to the board.

Park Electrical: The board reviewed the proposed electrical plan by Snyder and Associates. The plan included an engineer's bid. There was a motion by Robert Grant to accept bids. Cameron Fast seconded the motion and the board voted in favor.

Bond Issue Campaign: Rhabecca Boerkircher told the board that she had spoken with Jonathan of DA Davidson regarding the bond issue campaign. He is working on a flyer to send out to the residents of Hamilton.

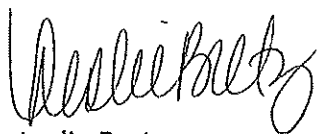
Old Business: None

The next regular council meeting is set for October 9, 2024, at 5:30 p.m.

Closed Session – Pursuant to RsMO 610.021.1, personal issues, legal actions, causes of action or litigation involving a public governmental body. There was a motion by Toni Schmidt to go into closed session at 6:37 p.m. Robert Grant seconded the motion, and the board voted as follows: Toni Schmidt – aye; Robert Grant – aye; and Cameron Fast – aye. Robert Grant made a motion to re-open the meeting at 6:55p.m. Cameron Fast seconded the motion and the voted as follows: Robert Grant – aye; Cameron Fast – aye; and Toni Schmidt – aye.

Adjourn: There was a motion by Robert Grant to adjourn the meeting at 6:56 p.m. Toni Schmidt seconded the motion, and the board voted in favor.

Respectfully submitted,



Leslie Bretz
City Clerk
City of Hamilton