

MINUTES
REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING
MAY 6, 2021
6:30 PM

CALL TO ORDER: @ 6:30 PM

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

ROLL CALL: Rivera, Solis, Newton, Lorenzini, (Murakami excused)

PUBLIC COMMENTS: “This time is set aside for the public to address the City Council on matters listed on the Consent Agenda as well as other items not included on the Regular Agenda. If your comments concern an item noted on the Regular Agenda, please address the Council when that item is open for public comment.” (The Brown Act requires the public be given the opportunity to address the Council before action is taken. If there is a Consent Agenda, there is no other opportunity for public comment on items on the Consent Agenda.) The Council has the right to reasonably limit the duration of each speaker to three minutes. Speakers may not cede their time. The Council may ask questions but may take no action during the Public Comments portion of the meeting, except to direct staff to prepare a report, or to place an item on a future agenda.

SPEAKERS: Speakers, please stand at the podium and speak loudly so the entire room can hear you.

The mayor will recognize you and ask that you state your name and mailing address so that the City Staff can follow up on any issues requiring City action, or provide you with information, if appropriate.

- Kitty Aiello of 460 S. 9th St. Brought a formal complaint regarding the incident that happened on 4/16/2021 at 10:30 PM.
- Snow Thorner of 125 S. 11th St. Advised that there has been more crime in Montague and that she is having a town hall meeting at her address in Montague on 5/27/2021. She also advised that she will be submitting an agenda item for June’s meeting regarding installing a box for tennis rackets at the tennis courts.
- Gerald Moore of 161 S. 9th St. Made a verbal complaint to Sgt. Towers regarding the speed of traffic in the area.

CONSENT CALENDAR: Discussion/possible action - All matters listed under the consent calendar are considered routine and will be enacted by one motion unless any member of the Council wishes to remove an item for discussion, or a member of the audience wishes to comment on an item. The City Clerk recommends approval of the following consent calendar items:

MINUTES: 4/1

Motion made by Rivera to approve meeting minutes 4/1 with changes, seconded by Solis. All Ayes.

DEPARTMENT REPORTS:

Sheriff’s update for April 2021- Sgt. Towers present with verbal report. See attached report.

City Engineer update for April 2021 – No report.

Planning Commission update for April 2021 – John Hammond present with verbal report.

OLD BUSINESS:

1. Discussion/possible action on the City’s plan to safeguard against the COVID-19 pandemic: Motion made by Solis to continue with the City’s plan to safeguard against the COVID-19 pandemic, seconded by Rivera. All Ayes.
 - a. Staff reports
 - b. Continuation of City’s plan

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Discussion/possible action to approve pre-pay/reimburse lifeguard training: Motion made by Rivera to keep the policy as is, seconded by Solis. All Ayes.
2. Discussion/possible action to approve Siskiyou County Local Transportation Claim FY 20/21: Motion made by Solis to approve Siskiyou County Local Transportation Claim FY 20/21, seconded by Rivera. All Ayes.
3. Discussion/possible action to approve budget amendment for the Public Works department; decrease WATER CAP ACCOUNT in the amount of \$6,200 and increase WATER MAINTENANCE ACCOUNT in the amount of \$6,200: Motion made by Rivera to approve budget amendment for the Public Works department; decrease WATER CAP ACCOUNT in the amount of \$6,200 and increase WATER MAINTENANCE ACCOUNT in the amount of \$6,200, seconded by Solis. All Ayes.
4. Discussion/possible action to approve Resolution No. 21-08, **A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MONTAGUE AUTHORIZING THE CITY CLERK TO OBTAIN DEED OF RECONVEYANCE FOR PROPERTY LOCATED AT 3228 GOLDEN MOUNTAIN LANE, TONOPAH, NEVADA (A.P.N 2008-2009: 02-331-08)**: Motion made by Solis to approve Resolution No. 21-08, **A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MONTAGUE AUTHORIZING THE CITY CLERK TO OBTAIN DEED OF RECONVEYANCE FOR PROPERTY LOCATED AT 3228 GOLDEN MOUNTAIN LANE, TONOPAH, NEVADA (A.P.N 2008-2009: 02-331-08)**: seconded by Rivera. All Ayes.
5. Discussion/possible action to implement a City Yard/Garage Sale Ordinance: Motion made by Solis to implement an ad hoc committee to create a City Yard/Garage Sale Ordinance of Lorenzini and Newton, seconded by Rivera. All Ayes.
6. Discussion/possible action to amend Chapter 13 of the Montague Municipal Code: Motion made by Rivera to amend Chapter 13 of the Montague Municipal Code, with adding contact information and making the Landlord/Property Manager responsible for the utility bill if the tenant does not pay the final bill, and City Hall is responsible for getting written approval from the Landlord/Property manager, seconded by Solis, All Ayes.

COUNCIL AND STAFF REPORTS for April 2021

- Fire Department – See attached report.
- Public Works - See attached report.
- Water/Sewer – See attached report.
- Animal Control/Code Enforcement – See attached report.
- City Clerk – See attached report.
- Treasurer – See attached report.
- Pool – See attached report.
- Library – See attached report.
- Commissioners/Council Statements and Requests: Members of the council may make brief announcements, reports, or request staff to report to council on any matter at a subsequent meeting.

Motion made by Solis to adjourn meeting, seconded by Rivera. All Ayes.

ADJOURN: @ 7:45 PM

ATTEST:

CITY OF MONTAGUE:

X

SARA KLEIER, CITY CLERK

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TIFFANIE LORENZINI, MAYOR

