

**MINUTES
NEW COUNCIL CHAMBERS IN THE CIVIC COMPLEX
401 WEST WASHINGTON STREET, EAST PEORIA, ILLINOIS**

NOVEMBER 15, 2022

The Regular Meeting of the City Council of the City of East Peoria, Illinois was called to order by his Honor Mayor John P. Kahl presiding at 6:00 P.M. with proper notice having been given.

Upon the roll being called the following answered present: Mayor John P. Kahl, Commissioner Daniel S. Decker, Commissioner Mark E. Hill, and Commissioner Michael L. Sutherland.
Absent: Commissioner Seth D. Mingus.

The invocation was given by Commissioner Hill.

Mayor Kahl led the Council and the audience in the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Motion by Commissioner Decker, seconded by Commissioner Sutherland; Mr. Mayor, I move that the minutes of the Regular Meeting held on November 1, 2022 and the Special Meeting held on November 1, 2022 be approved as printed.

Yeas: Commissioner Decker, Hill, Sutherland, and Mayor Kahl.

Nays: None.

Mayor Kahl declared the motion carried.

Mayor Kahl proclaimed November 26, 2022 as "Small Business Saturday".

Mayor Kahl stated if there was anyone in the audience who wanted to speak on any items on the agenda to come to the podium and state the matter or matters to be discussed. Central Cleaning Services came forward and talked about the problems seen and take that into account. There was no response.

CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS BY OMNIBUS VOTE:

Mayor Kahl asked if any Commissioner wished to remove any items from the Consent Agenda for discussion. There was no response.

Motion by Commissioner Hill, seconded by Commissioner Decker; Mr. Mayor, I move to adopt a consent agenda consisting of items numbered 1 through 8 as listed on the agenda for this meeting to be considered by omnibus vote.

Item Number 1 - Adoption of Resolution Number 2223-106 – Resolution to Approve Payment of the Schedule of Bills Listed on Schedule Number 13 in the amount of \$3,145,951.83.

Item Number 2 - Adoption of Resolution Number 2223-089 on its Second Reading - Resolution approving Cleaning Services Contract for City Buildings.

Item Number 3 - Adoption of Ordinance Number 4685 on its Second Reading – (AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE SELLING PROCESS BY SEALED BID FOR CITY-OWNED SURPLUS REAL ESTATE.)

Item Number 4 – Adoption of Resolution Number 2223-086 on its Second Reading - Resolution Approving Annual Renewal of Software Maintenance & Support Services from Harris Computer Systems for the City's Enterprise Software System.

Item Number 5 - Adoption of Resolution Number 2223-085 on its Second Reading - Resolution allocating \$1,200,000 of Motor Fuel Tax Funds for the 2023 Street Maintenance Program and confirming and approving 2023 Engineering Extension Agreement with Patrick Meyer & Associates and associated rate of compensation for Engineering Services related to the 2023 Street Maintenance Program.

Item Number 6 - Adoption of Resolution Number 2223-088 on its Second Reading - Resolution to Approve Contract for the Street Resurfacing Project for Portions of West Washington Street and Camp Street.

Item Number 7 - Adoption of Resolution Number 2223-084 on its Second Reading – Resolution Authorizing Payment of an Invoice to GFL Environmental for Wastewater Treatment Plant Sludge Processing and Disposal in the amount of \$10,523.82.

Item Number 8 - Adoption of Resolution Number 2223-087 on its Second Reading – Resolution accepting and approving the Proposal from R.N.O.W., Inc. for the Pipeline Software Project.

Yeas: Commissioners Decker, Hill, Sutherland, and Mayor Kahl.

Nays: None.

Mayor Kahl declared the motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Hill, seconded by Commissioner Decker; Mr. Mayor, I move you that Items numbered 1 through 8 listed on the Consent Agenda be hereby approved and adopted, the items numbered 2 through 8 having been read once by their title and having laid on the table for no less than one week for public inspection be adopted as presented.

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Yeas: Commissioners Decker, Hill, Sutherland, and Mayor Kahl.

Nays: None.

Mayor Kahl declared the motion carried and the items adopted by omnibus vote designation.

Motion by Commissioner Hill, seconded by Commissioner Decker; Mr. Mayor, I move you that Ordinance No. 4686, hereto attached, (AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING A TAX LEVY FOR CITY OF EAST PEORIA SPECIAL SERVICE AREA 2021A (VALLEY VIEW KNOLLS WATER SYSTEM IMPROVEMENT)) having been read once by its title and having been laid on the table for no less than one week for public inspection, be adopted as presented.

Commissioner Hill commented on the tax levy and the special service area that was adopted in 2021 to bring Valley View Knolls into the City water system. Owners were allowed to pay all at once or have a tax levy on the property every year for the length of the Special Service Area.

Yeas: Commissioners Decker, Hill, Sutherland, and Mayor Kahl.

Nays: None

Mayor Kahl declared the motion carried and Ordinance No. 4686 be adopted as presented.

Motion by Commissioner Hill, seconded by Commissioner Decker; Mr. Mayor, I move you that Ordinance No. 4687, hereto attached, (AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING A TAX LEVY FOR CITY OF EAST PEORIA SPECIAL SERVICE AREA 2019A (ACCESS ROAD 6 IMPROVEMENT)) having been read once by its title and having been laid on the table for no less than one week for public inspection, be adopted as presented.

Commissioner Hill commented on the Special Service Area and the tax levy. It is a Special Service Area adopted in 2019 for a roadway improvement. The properties that benefited from the improvement will be assessed tax levies through the end of the Special Service Area.

Yeas: Commissioners Decker, Hill, Sutherland, and Mayor Kahl.

Nays: None

Mayor Kahl declared the motion carried and Ordinance No. 4687 be adopted as presented.

Motion by Commissioner Hill, seconded by Commissioner Decker; Mr. Mayor, I move you that Ordinance No. 4689 hereto attached, (AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS AND A FUND TRANSFER FOR THE FISCAL YEAR COMMENCING THE FIRST MONDAY IN MAY A.D. 2022) be accepted on its first reading as read by its title, and be laid on the table for no less than one week for public inspection.

Commissioner Hill commented on the ordinance. The Illinois statutes allow supplemental appropriations when there are revenues that the city did not know of and there is allowed transfers. Due to some additional revenues in state sales tax and personal property replacement tax, there are some projects that this will be applied toward.

Finance Director Becker explained that there are additional funds and a transfer of funds. These items have already been approved by council and will be covered by unbudgeted revenue or reserve funds. In addition to the capital purchases, the city will be paying off two loans early to capture savings on interest expense.

Yeas: Commissioners Decker, Hill, Sutherland, and Mayor Kahl.

Nays: None.

Mayor Kahl declared the motion carried.

Resolution No. 2223-094 by Commissioner Hill; WHEREAS, a vacancy exists on the East Peoria Zoning Board of Appeals; and

WHEREAS, the Honorable Mayor John P. Kahl has recommended the appointment of John Broshears to fill the vacancy on the East Peoria Zoning Board of Appeals;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EAST PEORIA, ILLINOIS, THAT the appointment by Mayor John P. Kahl of John Broshears to the East Peoria Zoning Board of Appeals to fill the vacancy for a term ending April 30, 2027.

AND THAT THIS RESOLUTION NO. 2223-094 BE ADOPTED AS PRESENTED.

Motion by Commissioner Hill, seconded by Commissioner Decker; Mr. Mayor, I move you that Resolution No. 2223-094 be adopted as presented.

Commissioner Hill explained that John Broshears has been a lifelong resident and helps with the Festival of lights. He will be a good addition to the Zoning Board of Appeals.

Mayor and Commissioners commented on John Broshears being a retired firefighter and explained that that Mr. Broshears will be a valuable addition on the Zoning Board of Appeals.

Yeas: Commissioners Decker, Hill, Sutherland, and Mayor Kahl.

Nays: None.

Mayor Kahl declared the motion carried and Resolution No. 2223-094 be duly adopted as presented.

Resolution No. 2223-092 by Commissioner Hill, seconded by Commissioner Decker; BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EAST PEORIA, ILLINOIS that Resolution No. 2223-092, hereto attached, a Resolution to Approve Second Amendment to Development Agreement with Flaherty & Collins, Inc. for Downtown Mixed-Use Project, be approved. Mr. Mayor, I move you that this Resolution No. 2223-092 be accepted on its first reading as read by its title, and be laid on the table for no less than one week for public inspection.

Commissioner Hill commented on the original development agreement for mixed use with residential and retail/commercial. The development will be located next to City Hall. The attached Second Amendment to the City's development agreement with Flaherty & Collins recognizes the delay caused by the pandemic, along with material shortages and rising finance costs. With the latter issue, the financing is being restructured and extended to account for increased costs related to the project. The plan is for final construction documents to be submitted to the City by first quarter next year, with construction to commence in the spring.

Mayor Kahl explained that nothing with the design of the project has changed. The developer is adamant that they will be breaking ground by the end of March and completion date is being moved to December 2024.

Yeas: Commissioners Decker, Hill, Sutherland, and Mayor Kahl.

Nays: None.

Mayor Kahl declared the motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Hill, seconded by Commissioner Decker; Mr. Mayor, I move you that Ordinance No. 4688 hereto attached, (AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING A SPECIAL USE FOR NEW FIRE STATION SITE LOCATED AT 2100 CENTENNIAL DRIVE IN THE CITY OF EAST PEORIA, TAZEWELL COUNTY, ILLINOIS) be read at length by the Clerk, and that said Ordinance No. 4688 be accepted on its first reading, and be hereby adopted as presented.

The City Clerk read the ordinance at length. Commissioner Hill commented on the special use. He explained that Senator Koehler and former state Representative Mike Unes assisted in getting grants to help in paying for the construction of the new fire station. He commented on the benefits of shorter response time with the new fire station.

Mayor Kahl explained that Senator Koehler and former State Representative Unes secured grant funds to help pay for the part of the project. The groundbreaking is this Friday at 11am.

Yeas: Commissioners Decker, Hill, Sutherland, and Mayor Kahl.

Nays: None.

Mayor Kahl declared the motion carried and Ordinance No. 4688 to be duly adopted as presented.

Resolution No. 2223-095 by Commissioner Hill, seconded by Commissioner Decker; BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EAST PEORIA, ILLINOIS that Resolution No. 2223-095, hereto attached, a Resolution Accepting and Approving the Proposal for the Purchase of a Power Generator for the New Fire Station on Centennial Drive, be approved. Mr. Mayor, I move you that this Resolution No. 2223-095 be accepted on its first reading as read by its title, and be laid on the table for no less than one week for public inspection.

Commissioner Hill commented on the purchase of the new generator that will come from Altorfer Cat in cooperation with Sorce. Through this cooperation there is a 31% savings.

Yeas: Commissioners Decker, Hill, Sutherland, and Mayor Kahl.

Nays: None.

Mayor Kahl declared the motion carried.

Resolution No. 2223-101 by Commissioner Hill, seconded by Commissioner Sutherland; BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EAST PEORIA, ILLINOIS that Resolution No. 2223-101, hereto attached, a Resolution Regarding Contract Extension for Preferred Physician and Hospital Network for the City's Group Health Insurance Plan with UnityPoint Health Plus (Health Plus, Inc.), be approved. Mr. Mayor, I move you that this Resolution No. 2223-101 be accepted on its first reading as read by its title, and be laid on the table for no less than one week for public inspection.

Commissioner Hill commented on the contract extension being recommended by health insurance committee. City Attorney Brunton commented on the previous arrangement that has been going for around 25 years plus. He commented on the UnityPoint network and commented on the savings for the next 3 years.

Commissioner Decker explained that he would be abstaining from voting on this item and the next resolution due to his employment with the city out of an abundance of caution.

Yeas: Commissioners Hill, Sutherland, and Mayor Kahl.

Nays: None.

Abstain: Commissioner Decker.

Mayor Kahl declared the motion carried.

Resolution No. 2223-104 by Commissioner Hill, seconded by Commissioner Sutherland; BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EAST PEORIA, ILLINOIS that Resolution No. 2223-104, hereto attached, a Resolution Approving Renewal of Property, Casualty, and Liability Insurance Coverage and Workers' Compensation Insurance Coverage, be approved. Mr. Mayor, I move you that this Resolution No. 2223-104 be accepted on its first reading as read by its title, and be laid on the table for no less than one week for public inspection.

Commissioner Hill commented on the current coverage expiring at the end of November. This is the most cost effective policy. For the upcoming policy year, the City will realize an increase in the premium for Property, Casualty, and Liability Insurance coverage (approximately \$44,892), while also seeing an increase in the premium for Workers' Compensation Insurance coverage (approximately \$47,955). The annual policy premium for the Property, Casualty, and Liability Insurance coverage is \$529,730 and for Workers' Compensation Insurance coverage is \$223,575, for a total premium of \$753,305. Thus, the overall total premium will increase by approximately \$92,847 for the upcoming policy year (an overall increase of approximately 14%).

Yeas: Commissioners Hill, Sutherland, and Mayor Kahl.

Nays: None.

Abstain: Commissioner Decker.

Mayor Kahl declared the motion carried.

Resolution No. 2223-093 by Commissioner Hill, seconded by Commissioner Decker; BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EAST PEORIA, ILLINOIS that Resolution No. 2223-093, hereto attached, a Resolution Approving the Purchase of Ten Laptops from SHI International Corp. in the amount of \$29,610, be approved. Mr. Mayor, I move you that this Resolution No. 2223-093 be accepted on its first reading as read by its title, and be laid on the table for no less than one week for public inspection.

Commissioner Hill commented on the purchase of laptops to replace older laptops and these are for the police department. There have been issues with computers because of car accidents at no fault of the officers.

Yeas: Commissioners Decker, Hill, Sutherland, and Mayor Kahl.

Nays: None.

Mayor Kahl declared the motion carried.

Resolution No. 2223-096 by Commissioner Hill, seconded by Commissioner Decker; BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EAST PEORIA, ILLINOIS that Resolution No. 2223-096, hereto attached, a Resolution Approving Change Order to the Eastside Centre Synthetic Turf Fields One and Seven Project to Add Field 7 Bullpens Replacement and Upgrade to the Project, be approved. Mr. Mayor, I move you that this Resolution No. 2223-096 be accepted on its first reading as read by its title, and be laid on the table for no less than one week for public inspection.

Commissioner Hill commented on the upgrade of synthetic turf that is being placed on two of the fields. It was more cost effective to do the bullpens work as part of this project.

Mayor Kahl explained that he and Jeff Becker looked at the project, and it made more sense for the contractor to do the job instead of the city completing the job. There will also be updates to the concessions' buildings.

Commissioner Decker is thankful that the staff was willing to do the job. However, he agrees that having the contractor do this work will allow the city workers to do work elsewhere and the contractor can do the work more efficiently.

Yeas: Commissioners Decker, Hill, Sutherland, and Mayor Kahl.

Nays: None.

Mayor Kahl declared the motion carried.

Resolution No. 2223-097 by Commissioner Decker, seconded by Commissioner Hill; BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EAST PEORIA, ILLINOIS that Resolution No. 2223-097, hereto attached, a Resolution Approving Supplemental Agreement to Provide Additional Construction Engineering Services with Midwest Engineering Associates for Fairlane Drive Pavement Patching Project, be approved. Mr. Mayor, I move you that this Resolution No. 2223-097 be accepted on its first reading as read by its title, and be laid on the table for no less than one week for public inspection.

Commissioner Decker commented on the bids came in at a better price than planned and this allowed the city to do the entire project instead of half of the job. This will add the engineering for the entire project. This additional work by the engineering firm adds \$16,000 bringing the total engineering costs for this project to \$67,000.

Yeas: Commissioners Decker, Hill, Sutherland, and Mayor Kahl.

Nays: None.

Mayor Kahl declared the motion carried.

Resolution No. 2223-099 by Commissioner Decker, seconded by Commissioner Sutherland; BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EAST PEORIA, ILLINOIS that Resolution No. 2223-099, hereto attached, a Resolution to approve an Agreement with Midwest Engineering Associates, Inc. for Design and Construction Engineering Services for Pinecrest Drive Phase I Pavement Patching Project, be approved. Mr. Mayor, I move you that this Resolution No. 2223-099 be accepted on its first reading as read by its title, and be laid on the table for no less than one week for public inspection.

Commissioner Decker commented on the project being Phase 1 with another phase to come. This is the current plan for the city, and we are hopeful this will get the city to a point where the road can be redone in the future.

Mayor Kahl commented on half costs in this and the other half in the next fiscal year. It is for concrete patching project.

Yeas: Commissioners Decker, Hill, Sutherland, and Mayor Kahl.

Nays: None.

Mayor Kahl declared the motion carried.

Resolution No. 2223-098 by Commissioner Decker, seconded by Commissioner Sutherland; BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EAST PEORIA, ILLINOIS that Resolution No. 2223-098, hereto attached, a Resolution Approving Design and Construction Engineering Services Contract with Midwest Engineering Associates for the Winners Way and Illini Drive Pavement Patching Project, be approved. Mr. Mayor, I move you that this Resolution No. 2223-098 be accepted on its first reading as read by its title, and be laid on the table for no less than one week for public inspection.

Commissioner Decker commented on the project to be completed. Mayor Kahl explained that the project includes (1) Winners Way and (2) another at the foot of Illini Drive by the McDonald's restaurant and is expected to be completed in 2023. Half of the cost of this project is being paid for in this fiscal year and the other half of the cost is being paid in the next fiscal year. He commented on gravity being an issue on the hill and pavement at that location.

Yeas: Commissioners Decker, Hill, Sutherland, and Mayor Kahl.

Nays: None.

Mayor Kahl declared the motion carried.

Resolution No. 2223-102 by Commissioner Decker, seconded by Commissioner Hill; BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EAST PEORIA, ILLINOIS that Resolution No. 2223-102, hereto attached, a Resolution Approving Design and Construction Engineering Services Contract with Midwest Engineering Associates for East Washington Street ADA Ramps Reconstruction from Mall Street to Division Street Project, be approved. Mr. Mayor, I move you that this Resolution No. 2223-102 be accepted on its first reading as read by its title, and be laid on the table for no less than one week for public inspection.

Commissioner Decker explained that this is part of a Peoria/Pekin Urbanized Area Transportation Study (PPUATS) project that was approved. All the ramps must be upgraded to ensure that they meet the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) standards.

Commissioner Sutherland wants to ensure that he does not have any pipe under this area and stated that he would like to be involved in the process to look at the pipes.

Yeas: Commissioners Decker, Hill, Sutherland, and Mayor Kahl.

Nays: None.

Mayor Kahl declared the motion carried.

Resolution No. 2223-105 by Commissioner Decker; **WHEREAS**, the Open Meetings Act (5 ILCS 120/1 *et seq.*) requires the City to give public notice of its schedule of regular meetings at the beginning of the calendar or fiscal year; and

WHEREAS, the City shall post said public notice at City Hall and send copies in the manner provided by law; and

WHEREAS, the City desires to approve of such notice in the form attached hereto and incorporated herein as attached;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EAST PEORIA, TAZEWELL COUNTY, ILLINOIS, THAT:

Section 1. The City of East Peoria, Tazewell County, Illinois, adopts hereby the public notice of its regular meetings in the form attached.

Section 2. The City Clerk of the City of East Peoria is directed to post a copy of the Public Notice contained in this Resolution in the City Hall and to supply copies of this Notice in the manner provided by law.

Section 3. This Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval in the manner provided by law.

Motion by Commissioner Decker, seconded by Commissioner Hill; Mr. Mayor, I move that Resolution No. 2223-105 be adopted as presented.

Commissioner Decker commented on this being an annual item that will be noticed and posted.

Yeas: Commissioners Decker, Hill, Sutherland, and Mayor Kahl.

Nays: None.

Mayor Kahl declared the motion carried and Resolution No. 2223-105 be duly adopted as presented.

Resolution No. 2223-100 by Commissioner Sutherland, seconded by Commissioner Decker; BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EAST PEORIA, ILLINOIS that Resolution No. 2223-100, hereto attached, a Resolution Approving Proposal from Hohulin Fence Co. for the Fencing of the new Water-Sewer Building, be approved. Mr. Mayor, I move you that this Resolution No. 2223-100 be accepted on its first reading as read by its title, and be laid on the table for no less than one week for public inspection.

Commissioner Sutherland commented on the new building by the Festival of Lights building. The money came from a grant due to the tornado back in 2013. This is being done as a security measure. Mayor Kahl explained that the city sought two proposals and received one bid.

Yeas: Commissioners Decker, Hill, Sutherland, and Mayor Kahl.

Nays: None.

Mayor Kahl declared the motion carried.

Resolution No. 2223-103 by Commissioner Sutherland, seconded by Commissioner Decker; BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EAST PEORIA, ILLINOIS that Resolution No. 2223-103, hereto attached, a Resolution Approving the Proposals from Hoerr Construction, Inc. for Slip Lining Sewer Mains located near Reinders Road and near Par 3 Lane & Woodlawn Boulevard, be approved. Mr. Mayor, I move you that this Resolution No. 2223-103 be accepted on its first reading as read by its title, and be laid on the table for no less than one week for public inspection.

Commissioner Sutherland commented on the project. He explained that this pipe does not have any laterals, and it is a good place for this slip lining process. This process is harder than normal pipe and is most cost-efficient way to do the project.

Mayor Kahl commented on the costs of the projects.

Yeas: Commissioners Decker, Hill, Sutherland, and Mayor Kahl.

Nays: None.

Mayor Kahl declared the motion carried.

Mayor Kahl stated if there was anyone in the audience who wanted to speak on any items not on the agenda to come to the podium state the matter or matters to be discussed. There was no response.

Mayor Kahl then asked for comments from Council.

Commissioner Decker wished his youngest son a happy 17th birthday.

Commissioner Hill commented on the Shop and Stroll being held on December 10 from 12pm to 3 pm. He commented on the location of the shops participating.

Commissioner Sutherland commented on an unplanned closure of Oakwood Road. There have been breaks in pipes. He thinks that the pipes may be at the end of their lives and is hoping to fix Oakwood Road permanently. The pump station pipe must be replaced. There have been a large number of catalytic converters and break ins in the area. He asked residents to be watchful. He stated that he keeps his porch lights on. Deterrents from break-ins are things like lights, dogs, and watchful neighbors. He asked neighbors to call should they see something.

Mayor Kahl commented on the 38th Festival of lights parade happening on Saturday, November 19. He congratulated the Festival of Lights Queen, 1st Runner up, and 2nd Runner up. The Queen lit the wreath last night. The is a FOLEPI classic is coming up with details on the website and Facebook page. The Knights of Columbus will not have their nativity scene this year at no fault of their own. Thanksgiving is coming up next week and open burning is prohibited November 23 to November 27 for the Holiday. He wished everyone a Happy Thanksgiving.

Motion by Commissioner Sutherland, seconded by Commissioner Decker; Mr. Mayor, I move you that we adjourn until Tuesday evening, December 6, 2022 at 6:00 P.M.

Yeas: Commissioners Decker, Hill, Sutherland, and Mayor Kahl.

Nays: None

Mayor Kahl declared the motion carried and the meeting adjourned at 6:58 P.M.

/s/ Morgan R. Cadwalader
City Clerk Morgan R. Cadwalader