

MAY 18, 2020

The Greene City Council met in special session on Monday, May 18, 2020 via Zoom and telephone conference call with Mayor William Christensen presiding. Council members participating were Al Zweck, Marilyn Folkers, Rod Fesenmeyer, Ed Corwin and Marnie Schmidt. Also participating via Zoom were Mike Danburg, Maggie Burger, Laura Schafer, Kim Marshal, Al Schroeder and Andrea Gotto. Cory Wiegmann also attended.

Motion by Folkers/Schmidt to approve the agenda. Roll call, all ayes. MC

Motion by Zweck/Fesenmeyer to approve the May 11, 2020 minutes with a change to show that the Supplement Agreement should show as letter #2 not #3 as shown in the minutes. Roll call, all ayes. MC

Maggie Burger, Speer Financial, discussed with the Council bonding requirements for the North First Street Project and the 2020 Street Improvements Project (Harrison and Butler Streets). A public hearing will be held on June 8th with bond sales to be held on June 29th. Interest rates currently are around 2.5%.

Mike Danburg discussed the 2020 Street Improvements Project (Harrison & Butler Streets) and went over the proposed assessment schedule. He discussed how assessments were calculated for residents that are abutting both projects. Motion by Corwin/Zweck to proceed with plans for the reconstruction of Harrison and Butler Streets. Roll call, all ayes. MC

After much discussion and serious consideration, the Council and Swimming Pool Board has decided to not open the City pool for the 2020 season. Repairs are still being done and will continue throughout the summer. The City will be working with the Fire Department to do pool fills for local residents for a short period of time beginning May 18th thru June 5th. Contact City Hall for details. Motion by Schmidt/Zweck to not open the pool for the 2020 season. Roll call, all ayes. MC

Motion by Folkers/Schmidt to approve the appointment of Ashley Coake to the swimming pool board for a three-year term to expire 12-31-22. Roll call, all ayes. MC

Discussion regarding re-opening City Hall and the Community Center was held. Both will remain closed to the public at this time. This will be re-evaluated at the June 8th meeting.

Motion by Zweck/Schmidt to approve the purchase of a Lincoln dual welder from NAPA Auto Parts for \$1,694.99. Roll call, all ayes. MC

Motion by Fesenmeyer/Schmidt to adjourn at 6:05.

Signed: _____
William Christensen, Mayor

Attest: _____
Jayne Knapp, City Clerk