

MINUTES OF THE MARCH 19, 2018 CITY COMMISSION MEETING

The City Commission of the City of Holton met at 7:00 p.m. in City Hall on Monday evening, March 19, 2018. Commissioners Mike Meerpohl, Twila White, Tim Morris and Dan Brenner were present. Mayor Bob Dieckmann was also present.

Mayor Bob Dieckmann called the regular meeting to order.

Minutes of the March 5, 2018 meeting were approved as written.

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE: Claims against the City of Holton between March 6, 2018 and March 19, 2018 were presented to the commission for their approval. After careful consideration, said claims were approved and given the title Appropriation Ordinance 2205. Tim Morris moved and Twila White seconded the motion for their approval. Vote thereon: all; yes.

DRINKING ESTABLISHMENT LICENSE: El Milagro Mexican Restaurant's Drinking Establishment License is up for renewal. Dan Brenner made the motion to approve the renewal of a Drinking Establishment License for El Milagro. Twila White seconded the motion. Vote thereon: all; yes.

LIBRARY BOARD APPOINTMENT: The Beck-Bookman Library Board needed a replacement appointment for board member Rita Ent who moved out of the city limits. Judy Olson has expressed interest in the position. Mike Meerpohl made the motion to appoint Judy Olson to the Beck-Bookman Library Board. Dan Brenner seconded the motion. Vote thereon: all; yes.

Kerwin McKee, City Manager, passed out the tree report from Kim Bomberger with Kansas Forest Service. McKee told commissioners to read the report and we could discuss it at another meeting.

Greg Tanking, representing Quail Forever, spoke to the commissioners about the pollinator area they have at Prairie Lake. One of the goals of Quail Forever is to bring back habitat which will bring birds back. They currently have a pollinator area at the lake, but would like to add another. The area they are interested in is about 1 acre just east of the entrance. Tanking commented that this project would go hand in hand with the 4-H project that is setting up bee hives at the lake. Dan Brenner made a motion to approve allowing Quail Forever to put a pollinator area in by the front gate at Prairie Lake. Tim Morris seconded the motion. Vote thereon: all;

Meeting Adjourned.

Teresa Riley
City Clerk