

Odessa Town Council Minutes

April 12, 2021

REGULAR ZOOM MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

Mayor Crossley called the regular meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. This meeting was held in person and via the ZOOM app due to the Coronavirus Pandemic, Meeting ID and Password were made available to the public through postings on the office door and the post office community board. Present were Councilmember Iverson, Councilmember Kramer, Councilmember Lobe, Councilmember Watkins, Clerk/Treasurer Bohn, Public Works Director Webster, Police Chief Jimerson, Commissioner Knerr, and public citizens.

ADDITIONS OR DELETIONS TO AGENDA

- Deletion of Trailer parking permit #2021-01 – 108 S Second Street.
- Addition of Building permit 2021-07 house addition at 612 E Second Avenue.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The March 22, 2021 regular Council Meeting Minutes were approved upon a motion by Councilmember Iverson, seconded by Councilmember Lobe.

APPROVAL OF FINANCIALS

March Treasurers Report, March Payroll, April 12, 2021 claim clearing checks and EFT totaling \$44,563.54 and voided checks #9972 and #9990-10007 were approved upon a motion by Councilmember Watkins, seconded by Councilmember Kramer.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

There were no public comments.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

There was no unfinished business.

NEW BUSINESS

- A request was received from a citizen to have an upright monument put in at the cemetery. The town no longer accepts upright monuments, however the placement of this one would be in the same area as the older monuments that are already upright. The request was approved upon a motion by Councilmember Kramer, seconded by Councilmember Watkins.
- Building permit 2021-03 for a new shop at 408 W 8th Ave was approved upon a motion by Councilmember Lobe, seconded by Councilmember Watkins
- Building permit 2021-04 for a re-roof at 205 S Alder Street was approved upon a motion by Councilmember Iverson, seconded by Councilmember Watkins.
- Building permit 2021-05 for a re-roof at 507 S Birch Street was approved upon a motion by Councilmember Watkins, seconded by Councilmember Kramer.
- Building permit 2021-06 for a new fence at 513 S Alder Street was approved upon a motion by Councilmember Kramer, seconded by Councilmember Iverson.
- Building permit 2021-07 for a home addition at 612 E Second Avenue was approved upon a motion by Councilmember Lobe, seconded by Councilmember Kramer.

POLICE REPORT

Chief Jimerson reported on all the department's numerous calls and incidents. He also attended a supervisor class via online.

FIRE REPORT

There was no Fire Department report.

PUBLIC WORKS REPORT

Public Works Director Webster reported on departmental activities. Cleanup days will be the end of this week, April 15th and 16th for the town.

COUNCIL REPORT

Council asked if the town could put the lifeguard job post in the newspaper and also on a Facebook post. To date there has only been three applicants that have applied.

MAYOR'S REPORT

Mayor Crossley reported that he and other Mayor's from various towns wrote into Governor Inslee requesting to open up into Phase three for the Corona Virus Pandemic. The hope is to open up to Phase four as it will help the town open up contact sports and other opportunities.

ADJOURN

With no further business Mayor Crossley declared the meeting adjourned at 7:38 p.m.

Mayor William F. Crossley

ATTEST:

Meri Jane Bohn, Clerk-Treasurer