

City of Cottonwood Falls Council Minutes
April 4, 2022

The regular meeting of the City of Cottonwood Falls was called to order at 6:00 in the Municipal meeting room.

Those present were Council members Pat Larkin, Chris Carathers, Bill Kewley, Mike Hastings, Mayor Buddy Sisson, City Attorney Laura Viar, City Clerk Bree Larkin, and Utilities Supervisor Scott Gumfory. Council Member Bob Sturms was not present.

Agenda

P. Larkin made a motion to approve the agenda. Carathers seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Minutes

Hastings made a motion to approve the minutes from the March 21,2022, meeting as they read. P. Larkin seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Visitors

- No visitors were present

City Clerk's Report

- B Larkin presented April 23rd as the city wide garage sale date with Strong City, dump day has not been confirmed.
- B Larkin presented updates on letters to residents who are not in compliance with city ordinances.
- Anniversary gifts for Sandy VanBuren for her 25 years of service with the city were approved.
- Registered letters have been sent to resident without water – will look into health and wellness check by county health
 - Water bill must be paid within 30 days or customer must appear before council to make arrangements
 - Good faith efforts for clean up of property must be made within 30 days

Utilities Supervisor

- Gumfory presented excessive water usage at 422 Mulberry, presumed to be issue with meter – meter will be replaced, average bill will be paid until we can discover if meter was the problem.
- 3 damaged trees on LMI property to be removed by Whitcomb Machine for \$500
- Donation request presented by Gumfory for Easter Egg hunt at the nursing home – 12 single day passes to the pool were donated.

Timecards

P. Larkin made a motion to approve timecard and payroll checks 31304-31318. Kewley seconded the motion. Motion carried.

P. Larkin made a motion to approve overtime for 2 hours. Carathers seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Consideration of Bills

P. Larkin made a motion to approve checks for 31319-31335 for accounts payable. Hastings seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Adjournment

P. Larkin made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 6:55 p.m. Kewley seconded the motion. Motion carried.