

City of Cottonwood Falls Council Minutes
March 15, 2021

The regular meeting of the City of Cottonwood Falls was called to order at the Municipal Meeting room. Those present were Council members Chris Carathers, Pat Larkin, Bob Sturms, Mayor Buddy Sisson, Utilities Supervisor David Jones, and City Clerk Debbie Bower. Absent was Council member Bill Kewley and City Attorney Laura Viar.

Agenda

Hastings made a motion to approve the agenda. Sturms seconded. Motion carried.

Minutes

Larkin made a motion to approve the minutes from the March 1, 2021 meeting as they read. Carathers seconded. Motion carried.

Visitors

Dusty Maddox came before council with a building permit to add an addition to the back of his shop at 101 Union. He was asking Council for a variance of being within 3 foot of the boundary line when city ordinance requires 25 foot. Council agreed Maddox needed in writing permission from the homeowner he would be encroaching on before Council could approve the building permit. Maddox said he would attend next meeting on April 5 with written approval.

City Clerk's Report

Bower brought a special event request before Council on behalf of PATHS for a color run on May 8, 2021. Council approved the request.

Bower brought the liquor license renewal for Grand Central Hotel before Council. Larkin made a motion to approve the license renewal. Carathers seconded. Motion carried.

Utilities Supervisor

Jones updated Council on his research for radio tower and found that it would benefit the City to upgrade the old tornado siren with the radio tower at a lower cost. Carathers made the motion to approve to move forward with the project. Hastings seconded. Motion carried.

Jones updated Council that The Kaltenbacher foundation purchased a lift chair and chlorinator for the City pool.

Jones advised Council on more quotes he received for new trash trucks. No action was taken.

Timecards

Sturms made a motion to approve the timecard and payroll checks 30319-30325. Hastings seconded. Motion carried.

Sturms made a motion to approve 4.5 hours overtime. Carathers seconded. Motion carried.

Consideration of Bills

Sturms made a motion to approve the checks 30326-30346 for accounts payable. Larkin seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Adjournment

Sturms made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:00 p.m. Hastings seconded. Motion carried.

William C Sisson, Mayor

Deborah Bower, City Clerk