

CITY OF DESOTO – REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

September 19, 2023 – Mayor Mitch Crozier called the meeting to order at 7:00pm.

Answering roll call was: Erin Blume, Wade Fox, Ted Hansen, Josh Minton and Dustin Padget.

Staff present included City Clerk Marcia Thomas, Public Works Director Dan Van Langen, Police Officer Alex Wagenknecht, Fire Chief Tim Murray and City Attorney DuWayne Dalen.

Motion by Padget/Hansen to approve the agenda; Blume, Fox, Hansen, Minton, Padget in favor; Motion carried 5-0.

Motion by Padget/Minton to approve the consent agenda; Blume, Fox, Hansen, Minton, Padget in favor; Motion carried 5-0.

Motion by Minton/Padget to approve Ted Davis appointment to fill vacancy on Planning & Zoning Commission; Blume, Fox, Hansen, Minton, Padget in favor; Motion carried 5-0.

Motion to approve the first reading of Ordinance No. 364; An Ordinance amending the Code of Ordinances of the City of De Soto, Iowa, 2009, by amending section 62.08 School Bus Traffic Only Restriction; Mayor Crozier asked for a Roll Call Vote; Blume, Fox, Hansen, Minton, Padget in favor; Motion carried 5-0.

Motion by Hansen/Padget to suspend the rules and proceed to the 3rd and final reading of Ordinance No. 364; An Ordinance amending the Code of Ordinances of the City of De Soto, Iowa, 2009, by amending section 62.08 School Bus Traffic Only Restriction; Mayor Crozier asked for a Roll Call Vote; Blume, Fox, Hansen, Minton, Padget in favor; Motion carried 5-0.

Motion by Padget/Minton to approve the third reading of Ordinance No. 364; An Ordinance amending the Code of Ordinances of the City of De Soto, Iowa, 2009, by amending section 62.08 School Bus Traffic Only Restriction; Mayor Crozier asked for a Roll Call Vote; Blume, Fox, Hansen, Minton, Padget in favor; Motion carried 5-0.

Motion by Hansen/Padget to approve Resolution 2024-03; A Resolution adopting Oakland Cemetery Rules and Regulations; Mayor Crozier asked for a Roll Call Vote; Blume, Fox, Hansen, Minton, Padget in favor; Motion carried 5-0.

Motion by Padget/Minton to approve Resolution 2024-04; A Resolution waiving the right of review of the plat of survey for parcel 23-94, located at 34119 Maple Ridge Dr., Dallas County, Iowa; Mayor Crozier asked for a Roll Call Vote; Blume, Fox, Hansen, Minton, Padget in favor; Motion carried 5-0.

Motion by Padget/Hansen to approve Resolution 2024-05; A Resolution to accept and approve 2023 Financial Report for fiscal year ending June 30, 2023; Mayor Crozier asked for a Roll Call Vote; Blume, Fox, Hansen, Minton, Padget in favor; Motion carried 5-0.

Motion by Minton/Padget to approve Xtreme Trees estimate of \$8,185.00 to prune 16 oak trees in Oakland Cemetery; Blume, Fox, Hansen, Minton, Padget in favor; Motion carried 5-0.

Motion by Padget/Hansen to approve Greg Hilsabeck estimate of \$14,980.00 for repairs to Fire Station including new 22 feet wide overhead door, contingent upon estimate from Des Moines Door; Blume, Fox, Hansen, Minton, Padget in favor; Motion carried 5-0.

Item No. 8 Tabled.

Motion by Hansen/Padget to set date October 17, 2023 @7:00p.m. for a Public Hearing for the voluntary annexation of property owned by Marco Properties LLC.; Blume, Fox, Hansen, Minton, Padget in favor; Motion carried 5-0.

Motion by Hansen/Fox to set date October 31, 2023 from 6:00p.m. to 8:00p.m. for Beggars Night; Blume, Fox, Hansen, Minton, Padget in favor; Motion carried 5-0.

Having no other business Mayor Crozier asked for a motion to adjourn; Motion by Minton/Padget to adjourn @8:05p.m.; Blume, Fox, Hansen, Minton, Padget in favor; Motion carried 5-0.

Mayor: Mitch Crozier

Attest: City Clerk, Marcia Thomas

These minutes are subject to approval by the City Council at its next regular meeting.