

MINUTES OF THE CITY COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON MARCH 14, 2018 IN THE CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS OF MARTINSVILLE, ILLINOIS.

Roll call was answered by the following council members and elected officials: Chris Davidson, Mike Cribelar, Melinda Lovell, Troy Propst, John Skinner and David Doran. Also in attendance were Mayor Herman Davidson and Clerk Marlene Wilhoit with Treasurer Melinda Owen absent. Employees and citizens in attendance are attached to the back of the minutes.

**Motion by J Skinner 2nd by C Davidson to approve minutes from 02-28-18 council meeting.
Upon roll call all council members present voted for the motion. (6)

**No Treasurer report presented at this meeting.

**Motion by D Doran 2nd by M Lovell to approve February 2018 bills payable in March 2018 in the amount of \$101,634.84.
Upon roll call all council members present voted for the motion. (6)

**Motion by M Cribelar 2nd by T Propst to take applications until April 25th for 2 part time summer help youths to work June 4 to August 10 for 32 hours per week at \$8.50 per hour.
Upon roll call all council members present voted for the motion. (6)

**More information needs gathered for 4 way stop warning lights so subject was tabled.

**Roll off trash dumpsters need rented to clean up accumulated debris at city property on South York Street. Dumpster size and prices will be gathered and council will give authority to the Mayor to get size needed. Motion by D Doran 2nd by M Cribelar to give authority to the Mayor to schedule roll off dumpsters for above project.
Upon roll call all council members present voted for the motion. (6)

All neighborhood vehicle permits will have an expiration date of May 1st each year and the ordinance needs to be changed to note this.

**Motion by M Cribelar 2nd by M Lovell to approve Ordinance number 2018-3-1 titled: "An ordinance concerning non-highway vehicle permits."
Upon roll call all council members present voted for the motion. (6)

Council discussed the estimates for repairing the floor at City Hall and would like to have 3 quotes that are using the same breakdown. The Mayor will contact the 3 companies and have quotes for a later meeting.

PUBLIC COMMENTS:

It was mentioned that there is an upcoming enterprise zone meeting at Marshall City Hall on March 22nd at 1PM.

The electric aggregation rates for the city have been negotiated and "Homefield" again has the lowest rate. The city locked in their rate @ \$5.05 for the first 12 months and then \$5.04 for the next 24 months. Residents will be receiving letters on this and it will start with the June 2018 reading.

The tap fees for the Dollar General Stores water and sewer taps were mentioned and council will consider forgoing the tap fees if they use natural gas for heating. Something will need to be put in the minutes to reflect this after contact is made with company.

The signage at the wastewater treatment plant is showing wear and Rick Wolfe proposed to make a new sign for \$200.00. This will be discussed at a later meeting.

**Motion by C Davidson 2nd by M Cribelar to adjourn meeting @ 7:35PM.
Upon roll call all council members present voted for the motion. (6)

Marlene Wilhoit
City Clerk