

MINUTES OF THE CITY COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON DECEMBER 8, 2021 IN THE CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS OF MARTINSVILLE, ILLINOIS. *The meeting was called to order by Mayor Davidson. All in attendance recited the "Pledge of Allegiance." Roll call was answered by the following council members and elected officials: Chris Davidson, Chris Perry, John Skinner, and Troy Propst. Preston Rukes and Melinda Lovell were absent. Also, in attendance were Mayor Herman Davidson, Clerk Jana Akers, Treasurer Terri Connelly, and Attorney Richard Bernardoni. Employees and citizens in attendance are attached to the back of the minutes.

PUBLIC COMMENTS:

- Motion by T Propst 2nd by C Davidson for approval of treasurer report as presented.
Upon roll call vote, all alderman present voted for motion (4)
- Motion by T Propst 2nd by C Perry for approval of November 10, 2021 council meeting minutes
Upon roll call vote, all alderman present voted for motion (4)
- Motion by C Davidson 2nd by T Propst to approve November 2021 bills payable December 2021
Upon roll call vote, all alderman present voted for motion (4)
- Motion by J Skinner 2nd by C Davidson to approve Ordinance 2021-12-1 entitled "Tax Levy"
Upon roll call vote, all alderman present voted for motion (4)
- Shannon Woodard spoke to council about the progress on the water tower construction
- Motion by C Davidson 3rd by T Propst to approve the invoices in the about of \$91,485 for storage of the water tower(payment from grant) and in the amount of \$25,670 for the design to Connor & Connor (payment not grant eligible)
Upon roll call vote, all alderman present voted for motion (4)
- Motion by C Davidson 2nd by J Skinner to approve Christmas bonuses for part-time employees in the amount of \$25 and full time employees in the amount of \$300
Upon roll call vote, all alderman present voted for motion (4)
- Motion by C Davidson 2nd by C Perry to approve the 2022 Paid Holidays and City Council meeting dates(copy attached)
Upon roll call vote, all alderman present voted for motion (4)
- Mayor Davidson spoke about Linda Inman's water/sewer bill-city adjusted sewer- council said to leave it alone
- Motion by J Skinner 2nd by C Davidson to rescind prior motion to purchase the Ram from J&K Mitchell and purchase the Chevrolet at \$43,733.
Upon roll call vote, all alderman present voted for motion (4)
- Scott Price is added to the mobile home committee for Ward 3

-Mayor Davidson spoke to council and said the trailer was approved by mobile home committee to be moved into town

Council Comments:

-Mayor Davidson

-David Mettenberg wants to speak with Council on retail dispensary in city limits, current ordinance states no, is to invite to next meeting

-Clerk Akers:

-Bond refinancing is completed

-C Davidson:

-lights look good

-smoking out in front of bar

-leaf pick up looks good

-C Perry:

-zipline incident, needs shut down until it can be fixed

-Motion by C Davidson 2nd by C Perry to adjourn meeting at 7:54pm

Jana Akers
City Clerk