August 8th, 2016 Atkins, Iowa

Council met in regular session. Members present were: Mayor Becker, Diane Herman, Kevin Korsmo and Rodney Haerther, Tim Harbach and Nathan Shepard. Absent: None. Mayor Becker called the meeting to order at 7:30 pm. Also present: Amber Bell City Clerk, Todd Damon Public Works and Mike Jennings Public Works, Kelly Scott Nick Eisenbacher from Snyder and Associates. Wes Howard from Cedar Ridge Homes, Steve Scott from Scott Survey and Matt Shock

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| **Bills Approved Aug 8th, 2016** | | |
| Amber Bell | Wages (through August 6th, 2016) | $ 1,628.49 |
| Mike Jennings | Wages (through August 6th, 2016) | $ 1,675.57 |
| Todd Damon | Wages (through August 6th, 2016) | $ 1,251.90 |
| Da Shawn Wilson | Wages (through August 6th, 2016) | $ 984.68 |
| Allen, Vernon & Hoskins | Legal Advice | $ 148.97 |
| Firehouse Pyrotechnic | Fireworks | $ 2,500.00 |
| G & H Electric | Sewer Plant Labor | $ 65.00 |
| Hawkins | Water Treatment | $ 9,533.65 |
| Keystone | Water Testing | $ 756.06 |
| Iowa DNR | WWTP Facility Permit | $ 385.00 |
| Linn County REC | Sewer Electrical | $ 737.44 |
| Menards | Filters | $ 94.60 |
| Waste Management | Garbage Collection | $ 9,131.04 |
| U.S Cellular | Telephone Expense | $ 135.84 |
| **Library** |  |  |
| Cathy Becker | Wages (through August 6th, 2016) | $ 1,075.08 |
| Vicky Myers | Wages (through August 6th, 2016) | $ 174.14 |

Korsmo made a motion to approve the consent agenda including the Minutes of August 1st,2016, and a list of bills for approval. The motion was seconded by Harbach. Ayes: Herman, Korsmo, Shepard, Harbach and Haerther. Nay: None. Motion carried.

The council talked at length with Kelly and Nick from Snyder and Associates and with Wes Howard, Matt Shock and Steven Scott who are all working on the Ridgeview Additions. The main topic was the drainage issues and coming up with a solution.

Harbach made a motion to have the city pay for a design concept to be put together for the drainage in the Ridgeview additions. The drainage study and concept will be done by Snyder and Associates. The motion was seconded by Haerther. Ayes: Herman, Korsmo, Shepard, Harbach and Haerther. Nay: None. Motion carried.

Herman made a motion to go into closed session. The motion was seconded by Harbach. Ayes: Herman, Korsmo, Shepard, Harbach and Haerther. Nay: None. Motion carried. The session was recorded and the topic was discussed. Harbach then made a motion to close the closed session. The motion was seconded by Korsmo. Ayes: Herman, Korsmo, Shepard, Harbach and Haerther. Nay: None. Motion carried.

The council discussed the public works positions and made a timeline for the job posting and how long the city will publish the opening. Shepard made a motion to publish the public works position that will be opening up. The motion was seconded by Herman. Ayes: Herman, Korsmo, Shepard, Harbach and Haerther. Nay: None. Motion carried.

Harbach made a motion to adjourn the meeting and this was seconded by Herman Ayes: Herman, Korsmo, Shepard. Harbach and Haerther. Nay: None. Motion carried. The next regular council meeting will be on Monday, Aug 15th, 2016 at City Hall, 480 3rd Avenue, starting at 7:30 PM

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Mayor David Becker

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Amber Bell, City Clerk/ Treasurer