

Minutes of Atkins City Council Meeting
 July 1st, 2019 Atkins, Iowa

Council met in regular session. Members present by roll call were: Mayor Bruce Visser, Robert Spading, Heather Rinderknecht, Tim Harbach and Joey Svejda. Absent: Rodney Haerther. Mayor Bruce Visser called the meeting to order at 7:34 pm. Also, present: Amber Bell City Clerk. Todd Damon Atkins Public Works, Dan Rammelsberg came later in the meeting.

Harbach made a motion to approve the consent agenda including:

City Council Minutes of Regular Meeting June 17th, 2019.

City Council Minutes of Special Meeting June 26th, 2019.

Accept and File Recycling Certificate Midwest Electronics Cleanup Day.

Accept and File notice from FEMA, FIRM MAP (Flood) approval.

Accept and File Application for Stone Ridge Addition Preliminary Plat.

Accept and File Engineers memo 6-20-2019 Stone Ridge Addition Preliminary Plat Review.

Accept and File Atkins Community Club request for road closing, Lease of Property and fireworks display permit, related to Atkins Watermelon Day 2019 Celebration.

List of Bills for Approval July 1st, 2019

(The Term Accept and File means that the City of Atkins has received a document and will file it appropriately.

It does not indicate that the City of Atkins agrees or endorses the documents.)

Spading seconded to the motion. Ayes: Svejda, Rinderknecht, Spading and Harbach. Nay: None. Absent: Haerther.

Motion carried.

Bills for approval July 1st, 2019

Firehouse Pyrotechnics LC	Parks- Firework City match portion	\$ 2,600.00
Alliant Energy	WWTP	\$ 2,193.64
Alliant Energy	Water Treatment Plant	\$ 2,857.13
Alliant Energy	WWTP Lift Station	\$ 2,428.63
Alliant Energy	City Park Pavilion	\$ 70.82
Alliant Energy	City Hall and Library	\$ 502.39
Alliant Energy	Fire Department	\$ 131.01
Alliant Energy	Water Department	\$ 63.41
Alliant Energy	Streetlights	\$ 2,184.21
Atkins Automotive	Parks-Mower repair	\$ 24.75
Atkins Telephone	Telephone Expenses	\$ 465.94
Atkins Telephone	Fire Department	\$ 154.12
Dept of Natural Resources	Water Supply Fee	\$ 191.02
Depot Express	Parks	\$ 253.17
Depot Express	Roads	\$ 293.73
Depot Express	Fire Department	\$ 116.68
Hawkins	Water-treatment supplies	\$ 2,504.83
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Furler Utility Service LLC	Wastewater-Testing	\$ 720.00
L L Pelling	Line Markings	\$ 3,853.50
L L Pelling	Road Repair	\$ 66,113.55
Midwest Computer Brokers INC	Clean up day recycling fee	\$ 364.50
Brown Supply Co	Water - valve supplies	\$ 129.50
MidAmerican Energy	Wastewater – Utilities Gas	\$ 11.75
Poweshiek Water Assoc	Wastewater – Utility Water	\$ 65.50
Snyder Associates	Engineering services	\$ 1,840.50

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Waste Management	Garbage Collection	\$ 10,925.31
Amber Bell	Health Insurance	\$ 340.64
Timothy Harbach	Wages	\$ 369.40
Rodney Haerther	Wages	\$ 323.22
Heather Rinderknecht	Wages	\$ 369.40
Rob Spading	Wages	\$ 369.40
Joey Svejda	Wages	\$ 415.57
Bruce Visser	Wages	\$ 806.06
Pam Duball	Cleaning Services	\$ 254.00
Total		\$ 115,647.34
	Received	Disbursed
General	\$ 49,875.89	\$ 182,424.50
Road Use Tax	\$ 40,894.94	\$ 15,934.01
Employee Benefits	\$ 36.08	\$ 2,600.99
Local Option Sales Tax	\$ 8,062.46	\$ 20,645.50
Tax Increment Financing		\$ 379,182.50
Debt Service	\$ 768,224.70	\$ 409,014.49
Water	\$ 26,763.10	\$ 32,549.02
Sewer	\$ 45,420.18	\$ 366,332.71

Harbach made a motion to adopt resolution #726, a Resolution to approve street closing and leasing of city property to the Atkins Community Club. Svejda seconded the motion. Ayes: Svejda, Rinderknecht, Spading and Harbach. Nay: None. Absent: Haerther. Motion carried.

Harbach made a motion to adopt resolution #727, A Resolution adopting the memorandum of agreement (MOA) with the Iowa Statewide Interoperable communications system board (ISICSB), to join the Iowa Statewide Interoperable Communications System (ISICS). Spading seconded the motion. Ayes: Svejda, Rinderknecht, Spading and Harbach. Nay: None. Absent: Haerther. Motion carried.

The City Council had a discussion on code enforcement. The Council discussed some code violations in the City and what steps to take next with them. The council also discussed the Recycling Program in the City of Atkins. The program is having to reject some of the Recycling loads due to contamination from food or other products. The city is pursuing getting additional training and documents that would help educate the residents on the best recycling practices.

The Council also discussed having a special session to put together a parks master plan. Discussing the future vision of the existing and possible future parks in Atkins. The Council also discussed Atkins Public Works Updates.

The next regular council meeting will be on Monday, July 15th, 2019 at City Hall, 480 3rd Avenue at 7:30 PM. The Next

Harbach made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Svejda seconded the motion. Ayes: Svejda, Rinderknecht, Spading and Harbach. Nay: None. Absent: Haerther. Motion carried.

City Clerk, Amber Bell

Mayor Bruce Visser