

**City of Wellsville  
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**May 12, 2010  
Regular Council Meeting  
6:00 p.m.**

The regular meeting of the Wellsville City Council was held on Wednesday, May 12, 2010 at 6:00 p.m. in the City Hall meeting room, 411 Main Street. Councilmen present were Jared Eggleston, Ryan Young, David Rogers, Ron Samsel and Jim Stonequist. Department heads present were City Supt. Christopher Cross, Chief of Police Steve Gillespie.

The pledge of allegiance and invocation were given.

Mayor Lytle called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Councilman David Rogers moved to approve the consent agenda as submitted. Councilman Jared Eggleston seconded. Motion passed 5 to 0.

Mayor Lytle opened the meeting up for public comments that had not been previously placed on the agenda.

Terry Johnson from Rantoul introduced himself and informed Council that he's running for the 5<sup>th</sup> District County Commissioner position.

Franklin County Commissioner Don Stottlemire gave a county activity report. He informed Council that the County was able to get election materials at the state bid price, which will save the County a substantial amount of funds. Last year, election materials cost the County \$13,000; this year with the state bid it will cost 2700.

Elba Unruh a Prairie Lane, (Glenwood Acres Subdivision) resident was present to request permission to hold an annual (5<sup>th</sup> annual) block party.

Council gave Mr. Unruh their approval to hold their annual block party.

City Engineer Mike Brungardt was present to give Council a brief overview of the Larkin Engineering (Baldwin City/Lawrence) water supply report and the BG Consultants (Edgerton) water supply study. (Note: One hard copy of the Larkin report and BG Consultants report will be available at City Hall, electronic copies are also available).

City Engineer Mike Brungardt submitted a memo summarizing the Larkin water study report.

City Engineer Mike Brungardt asked Council to review the material and informed them that, staff will hold some discussion meetings and come back with their recommendations.

City Engineer Mike Brungardt submitted a memo summarizing the BG Consultants water supply study. He informed Council that the City of Edgerton currently doesn't have enough excess water to supply Wellsville with what is needed during its peak times. The study shows that it doesn't look like it would be a good long term answer but could possibly be a great emergency water source.

Engineer Brungardt asked Council to again to review the submitted material. He indicated that staff still needed to hold some discussion meetings and that a final report on water supply sources would be submitted to them sometime this summer.

**Supt. Cross provided Council with some 2010 street work options for them to consider and give comments and suggestions.**

**Supt. Cross provided Council with a map indicating the city's chip-n-seal history.**

**(Note: See attached report information).**

**Asphalting Tenth Street was discussed but due to budget restraints, the final consensus of the City Council was to chip-n-seal it instead.**

**Supt. Cross informed Council that due to some concerns that had been brought to his attention, he's currently stopped working on a project that he started last year regarding the curb and gutter replacement on south Main Street and asked for guidance on the matter.**

**Mayor Lytle informed Council that a property owner in the area had expressed concern about the curb and guttering that would be placed along his property. The property owner is anticipating putting in a new approach sometime in the near future and it wasn't making a lot of sense to him that he would have to cut out the new curb.**

**Supt. Cross indicated that the improvements would be done in a way that would be very accommodating to the property owner's future plans and wouldn't cause waste.**

**Chief of Police Steve Gillespie gave a brief police department activity report.**

**Chief Thomas gave a fire department activity report. Chief Thomas informed Council that the department has received an official notification from that State indicating the award of a \$250,000 grant for a new pumper.**

**Councilman Ron Samsel moved to go into executive session for 10 minutes to discuss personnel. Councilman Jim Stonequist seconded. Motion passed 5 to 0.**

**The meeting went into executive session at 7:05 p.m.**

**Councilman Ron Samsel moved to come out of executive session, only the item mentioned was discussed and no motions were made. Councilman Jared Eggleston seconded. Motion passed 5 to 0.**

**The meeting came out of executive session at 7:15 p.m.**

**Councilman Jim Stonequist moved to go back into executive session for an additional 15 minutes to discuss personnel. Councilman David Rogers seconded. Motion passed 5 to 0.**

**The meeting went back into executive session at 7:15 p.m.**

**Councilman Jim Stonequist moved to come out of executive session, only the item mentioned was discussed and no motions were made. Councilman Ryan Young seconded. Motion passed 5 to 0.**

**The meeting came out of executive session at 7:30 p.m.**

**Councilman Ron Samsel moved to adjourn. Councilman Jared Eggleston seconded. Motion passed 5 to 0.**

**The meeting adjourned at 7:30 p.m.**

**City Clerk  
Donna Layton**

