

City of Wellsville
411 Main
Wellsville, KS 66092

The regular meeting of the Wellsville City Council was held on Wednesday, July 25th, 2018 at 6:00 p.m. in the Wellsville City Council meeting room located at 411 Main Street. Councilmen present were David Rogers, Chuck Rutledge, Tony Stanton, Cory Cunningham and Kiel Lasswell. Department heads present were City Superintendent Darien Kerr and Police Chief John Blair.

Mayor Bill Lytle was absent.

The pledge of allegiance and invocation were given.

Councilman Cory Cunningham moved to approve the consent agenda. Councilman Chuck Rutledge seconded. Motion passed 5-0.

President Tony Stanton opened the meeting up to the public. Jim Stonequist asked why the street lights were out along Main Street and all over town. Chief Blair stated he would make a list and notify KCP&L regarding the outage.

Commissioner Randy Renoud gave the County report. The election is now open for voting. Area Agency on Aging is not renewing Mid America Nutrition's contract which is expiring Sept. 30th.

John Hafner with Green Environmental Services spoke about the purchase of Ottawa Sanitation. Ottawa Sanitation has assigned all of its rights in the solid waste contract to GES and represents and warrants that it will perform all Ottawa Sanitation Inc.'s obligations of the Solid Waste Contract.

Councilman Chuck Rutledge moved to approve the consent agreement between Green Environmental Services of Kansas North LLC and the City of Wellsville. Councilman Cory Cunningham seconded. Motion passed 5-0.

Jonathan Roberts the new Economic Development Director of Franklin County introduced himself to the council.

Greg Neis CPA discussed the budget for 2019. Some of the information that is on the budget is a new officer and new equipment for Public Works. The Notice of budget hearing will be published if approved for publication at the next meeting.

Councilman Cory Cunningham moved to approve the budget for publication. Councilman Chuck Rutledge seconded. Motion passed 5-0.

Ordinance 893 the Standard Traffic Ordinance was approved by Councilman Cory Cunningham seconded by Councilman Kiel Lasswell. Motion passed 5-0.

Ordinance 894 ó The Uniform Public Offense Code was approved by Councilman Dave Rogers. Councilman Kiel Lasswell seconded. Motion passed 5-0.

City Superintendent Darien Kerr reported that a storm siren fell on a truck during the last storm and he is working with a KCP & L to set a new pole.

Police Chief John Blair gave the police Department activity report. Officer Hackler responded to an emergency health call with an infant.

Chief Blair asked when he would be able to hire a new officer. Council stated that 2019 is when the new budget takes affect and he may start looking mid October.

Councilman Chuck Rutledge moved to adjourn the meeting. Councilman Cory Cunningham seconded. Motion passed 5-0.

Meeting adjourned at 6:30 p.m.

City Clerk
Tammy Jones