

City of Wellsville  
411 Main St.  
Wellsville, KS 66092

The regular meeting of the Wellsville City Council was held on Wednesday, February 13<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at 6:00 p.m. in the Wellsville City Hall meeting room, located at 411 Main Street. Councilmen present were Chuck Rutledge, Cory Cunningham, Kiel Lasswell, Tony Stanton, and Dave Rogers. Also present were Building Inspector Jerry Mallory, Chief of Police John Blair and City Superintendent Darien Kerr.

The pledge of allegiance and invocation were given.

Mayor Lytle opened the public hearing.

Jerry Mallory spoke in regards to 917 Main, and presented a Resolution for the council to consider giving the home owners a time frame in which to clean their property.

The homeowner spoke regarding 917 Main and has said that it is a muddy mess and very hard to do anything at the moment. If he had good weather the homeowner said he could have it cleaned up in 30 days of good weather.

Mayor Lytle closed the public hearing.

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

Mayor Lytle opened the meeting to the public.

Marilyn Pool talked about a summer lunch program at the city park for the school kids. It would be from 12-1 four days a week. Student support services will be helping with this project.

County Commissioner Don Stottlemire gave the county report. There was a presentation from Mr. Radcliffe from Emergency Management.

Councilman Chuck Rutledge moved to approve Resolution 02-0213-2019 amending the date to April 1, 2019. Cory seconded.

Mike Brungardt gave a preliminary report on the wholesale water rate calculation. Our rate now is \$4.70 per 1000 gallons to \$4.87 per 1000 gallons. Which is a .017 increase or approximately 3.4% over the 2018 rate.

Councilman Cory moved to approve Resolution 01-0213-2019. Councilman Kiel Lasswell seconded.

Councilman Tony Stanto moved to table the pool manager until the Feb. 27<sup>th</sup> meeting. Councilman Cory Cunningham seconded. Motion passed 5-0.

City Superintendent Darien Kerr requested approval to purchase meters and setters for the new 18 homes that are now being built in the amount of \$10,000.

Darien stated that he will be looking at a street sweeper from Edgerton that they will be taking sealed bids on.

Jerry Mallory gave the planning department report. DT Properties is coming along very well. Keim Trucking will be moving forward as soon as weather permits.

Jerry Mallory discussed the entrance and exits at the Baptist Church to allow a Main street parking.

Police Chief John Blair gave the Police Department activity report. The furnace did go out again and discovered residual rust.

Chief Blair gave the council a taser proposal for 5 tasers from Axon Enterprises at a cost of \$5820.00 over 5- years at \$1164.00 per year.

Councilman Kiel Lasswell asked about training for officers. Chief Blair stated that there is a class June 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> at Washburn University and Officer Hackler would like to attend. The cost of the school is 495.00.

Currently the Police Department has 1 good taser. Jackie would like to donate \$1200.00 for the tasers.

Councilman Tony Stanton moved to approve 4 tasers as well as the training for officer Haclerk. Dave seconded. Motion approved 5-0

Councilman Chuck Rutledge moved to approve a donation from Jackie Athon fro \$1200.00 for the Police Department tasers. Councilman Dave Rogers seconded.

Councilman Chuck Rutledge moved to go into exectutive session at 6:55 will resume at 7:05 p.m. Tammy Jones was asked to stay.

Councilman Chuck Rutledgte motioned to come out. Councilman Kiel Lasswell seconded

Chuck moved to go into ex. For 10 minutes to 7:20

Cory come out Chuck seconded. Motion passed

Councilman Tony Stanton moved to adjourn the meeting.

Meeting adjourned at 7:20