

City of Wellsville
411 Main
Wellsville, KS 66092

The regular meeting of the Wellsville City Council was held on Wednesday, July 27th 2022 at 6:00 p.m. in the Wellsville City meeting room, located at 411 Main Street. Councilmen present were Chuck Rutledge, Scott Hutchinson, Nicole Pruitt, Luke Henry and Cory Cunningham. Department heads present were City Superintendent Darien Kerr, Police Chief Danny Hackler and Building Inspector Pat Burton.

The pledge of allegiance and invocation were given.

Councilman Scott Hutchinson moved to approve the consent agenda and the minutes of the previous meeting. Councilwoman Nicole Pruitt seconded. Motion passed 5-0.

Mayor Lytle opened the meeting up for public comments. There were no public comments.

Water, sewer and irrigation were discussed when watering in the summer months. Councilman Scott Hutchinson asked if we could look at the non peak months and let customers have some relief when watering in the summer time. Council suggested having staff look into this for next season.

City Superintendent Darien Kerr gave the Public works report.

Chief Danny Hackler gave the Police Department activity report with an SRO position. The School will pay the officers position and the City would cover the benefits, training and vehicle. The 12 month salary position of \$43,680.00 will be paid to the City by the School District. The officer's benefits would be paid for by the City.

Councilwoman Nicole Pruitt stated that she would like to see two SRO's in the school since there are two buildings.

Chief Hackler stated that he has applied for two grants and could possibly have another officer in the school if those grants are approved.

Councilman Cory Cunningham moved to approve the new SRO position with the school and Officer Pelts. Councilman Chuck Rutledge seconded. Motion passed 5-0.

Chief Hackler conducted a pinning ceremony for Officers Davenport and Officer Garcia to Sergeant.

Sergeant Garcia was pinned by his sister and nephew.

Sergeant Davenport was pinned by his wife.

Councilman Scott Hutchinson moved to adjourn the meeting. Councilman Luke Henry seconded. Motion passed 5-0

Meeting adjourned at 6:25 p.m.

City Clerk
Tammy Jones