

Pursuant to due call and notice thereof, the city of Lake Wilson council met May 1, 2024 at 7:00pm. Present are Jolene Johnson, Kindel Nelson, Kyle Carlson, Justin Berreau, Michael Chapman, Melanie Vander Schaaf, Tony Sorenson and Rod Van Essen.

Mayor Chapman opened the meeting with the reading of the minutes of the April 4, 2024 Board of Appeal and Equalization meeting. Motion was made by Kindel and seconded by Justin to approve the minutes as read. All members present voted 'aye'. Motion carried. The minutes of the April 4, 2024 meeting were read. Motion was made by Jolene and seconded by Justin to approve the minutes as read. All members present voted 'aye'. Motion carried.

Tony Sorenson had sewer backed up in his house. He would like the city to pay the bill since he thinks the problem was in the main line and not the line to his house. The city agreed to pay half of the bill since his line was also cleaned out.

The apartments were discussed. It was decided that only propane fire pits would be allowed.

The city will try part time for maintenance position for now and will see how it goes.

City clean-up will be May 22. There are a number of cars again that need to be dealt with as well as other yards that need attention. We will revisit it next month and ask the Sheriff to attend to discuss it more.

Rod Van Essen with the Buffalo Ridge Bar would like to start hosting some sand volleyball games in the evening and was wondering about lighting. The city will look into getting some quotes.

The water for Eugene Dahlquist was discussed. They will be putting in a pit for a the water meter when the weather gets nicer but until then we will charge them the base rate for water starting April 1.

The city received information for a new panel at the lift station. The pumps are also at the end of their life span and will need to be replaced soon. We will be in touch with Bolton and Menk to get started on the funding and planning the project.

Mark Engbarth requested that the city pay 2/3 of the cost for dust control for the portion that is in city limits on the street in front of his property. Kyle made a motion and Kindel seconded to pay for the dust control. All members present voted 'aye'. Motion carried.

The community club asked the city to help with the proposed fireworks show. After discussing the cost of the show and what it included and the cost of the extra insurance needed Kindel make a motion and Jolene seconded not to contribute to the show. All members present voted 'aye'. Motion carried.

A building permit for Lennie Carlson was presented to build a shed. Justin made a motion and Kindel seconded to approve the permit. Kyle abstained from voting. All members present voted 'aye'. Motion carried.

List of claims were presented for April. Justin made a motion and Kyle seconded to pay them. All members present voted 'aye.' Motion carried.

Next meeting will be Thursday, June6, 2024.

There being no other known business before the council, Kindel made the motion to adjourn. Kyle seconded the motion. All members present voted 'aye'. Motion carried.

Michael Chapman Mayor                      Melanie Vander Schaaf Clerk

