MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROUNDUP HELD ON May 17 2021 AT 7:00 p.m. CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS AND GOTO MEETING.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Jones. Clerk/Treasurer Lanter conducted roll call with council members, Long, Liggett, Erickson, Vivirito, Carlson, Toombs and Fisher present. Also, present were Assistant Clerk Mann, Director Sibley and Compliance Officer Hoiland. Absent was Griffith.

*Moved by Liggett seconded by Toombs to approve the minutes of the May 4, 2021. All in favor. Motion carried.*

*Moved by Fisher, seconded by Liggett to approve the agenda. All in favor. Motion carried.*

**No Public Comment**

**Visitors**: John Perrella of Perrella Fireworks-HB215 passed late March, changing the terminology of permissible fireworks. Asking permission to be able to sell them in the City limits. Mayor asked the Council if they agree to allow the sale of permissible fireworks within the City limits. Long opposes, says its concerning, a fire risk. Perrella along with Councilmember Carlson explained to Long that it’s not much different from the fireworks already being sold. Council agrees to do what the State law says and allow the fireworks to be sold within the City limits, Toombs wants it tracked and for the City to revisit after the 4th of July.

*MOVED BY TOOMBS SECONDED BY LIGGETT TO APPROVE THE FIRST READING OF CURFEW ORDINANCE #474.*

**Mayor Jones:** Received correspondence by email from the County Commissioners. Not comfortable following up without legal representation. Sheriff Lesnik is upset. Toombs doesn’t think Lesnik should be involved, City has the agreement with the County not the Sheriff’s Department. Carlson asked if the City is in breach of the contract, Director Sibley said “no”, the City has until the end of the year to pay if we are told to by legal counsel.

Will be on vacation July 16th- July 28th.

Mayor and Hoiland met with Traci Sears and Vanessa Hoene this morning about flood plain. Traci will be hosting a meeting on flood awareness in August or September.

There will be a PDM meeting May 24th, Mayor plans on attending.

Received a community survey in regards to the AARP age friendly community. Cheri Tate will help get them distributed to various places.

Lifeguard Orientation is set up for May 24th at 4:00pm.

Director Sibley mentioned there may be a chlorine shortage due to an explosion at a chlorine plant.

Mayor Jones was interrupted by a hand raised by Rhett Erickson asking where the bathrooms were. Council chuckled.

**Attorney Lundvall:** Just to clarify about the Cares Act money, Mayor Jones consulted with the attorney for the Leagues. She did not make the decision on her own. This shifted the burden to the County.

County Attorney would still go to court for crimes Title 45 misdemeanors. New Attorney for the City will handle all City Ordinances. He knows Title 7 and Municipal Law; City would do well to get his services.

Haven’t gotten to the Resolution for the new rest area extending ownership.

**Compliance Officer** **Bruce Hoiland:** Issued 5 permits.

**Report out from Council Committee Meetings:**

* **Streets & Sidewalks Ordinance Discussion:** Council will review and discuss changes. Map will be included.
* **City Attorney Scope of work documents:** Brent Brooks bio was given to Council. Wants consensus on paying him $10,000.00 a year, monthly by claims. Council agrees. Attorney Lundvall will stay on an additional month after new attorney is hired to help him transition.
* **ARP American Rescue Plan Funds Discussion:** Should receive $220,000.00 in the next 30 days, and $220,000.00 next year. There should also be Grant money available through ARP. Coal Board didn’t get a bunch of funding, may not be an option for the restroom project. Mayor Jones asked each Councilmember where they would like the funds to be used. Carlson, Toombs, Fisher, Erickson, Vivirito and Liggett agreed to use it towards the restroom project. Long would like some of the money to go towards Businesses that were affected by COVID 19 and new Christmas decorations.
* **Playground project:** Went out for bids, will accept at next meeting.
* **Toombs reported for the Fire Department:** Salthe is the Chief for the City, Russell is the Chief for the County, and Mihalovich is the Assistant Chief**.**
* 5th wheel parked on 5th Street West; owner talked with Vanessa. He has 180 days to comply.

**Clerk/Treasurer Lanter-** Mailed Treasurer’s Report. Asked the Council if the bonus checks for employees are 2,500.00 net or gross. They all agreed net.

**Director Sibley**-Nothing to report. Toombs asked if the City has hired someone to mow and if the streets down by Selltec are the Cities. No-one hired yet and yes, the streets by Selltec are the Cities per Director Sibley.

Liggett mentioned there is only one trash container by park. Director Sibley had more placed there recently.

**Public Comment:** Joan Perrella- Antone will be coming home soon. Has a concern about new neighbor’s aggressive dogs. Antone won’t be able to enjoy his back yard. Sheriff’s Department handles dog complaints per Mayor Jones.

*Moved by Toombs, seconded by Vivirito to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried.*

*The meeting adjourned at 8:16 p.m.*

APPROVED BY\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Sandra Jones- Mayor Tanya Lanter- Clerk Treasurer

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Cassandra Mann-Assistant Clerk