

The minutes of the Fairmont City Council meeting held on Monday, April 11, 2016 at the City Hall Council Chambers.

Mayor Randy J. Quiring called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.

Council Members Terry Anderson, Chad Askeland, Bruce Peters and Jim Zarling were present. Also in attendance: City Administrator Mike Humpal, City Attorney Elizabeth Bloomquist, Public Works Director/City Engineer Troy Nemmers, Finance Director Paul Hoye, Chief of Police Greg Brolsma and City Clerk Patricia Monsen.

It was moved by Council Member Anderson, seconded by Council Member Askeland and carried to approve the minutes of the regular City Council meeting of March 28, 2016.

During open discussion, Roni Dauer, Community Education and Recreation Director, and Chief Brolsma invited the community to The Annual Youth Activities Expo on April 21st, 5:00 – 7:00 p.m. at the Fairmont Elementary School Annex Gym. This is a free event for families with school age youth.

Mayor Quiring declared the month of April, 2016 as Child Abuse and Neglect Prevention Month in the City of Fairmont.

Mayor Quiring declared the month of April, 2016 as Alcohol Abuse Prevention Awareness Month in the City of Fairmont. Steph Johnson, Emily Lubenow, Crystal Morton and Laura Harke were present to share with the community some of the activities of the Fairmont Substance Abuse Prevention Coalition.

Chief Brolsma introduced new Fairmont Patrol Officer Lily Paine.

Council Member Zarling made a motion to approve the permit for the Fairmont Triathlon. Council Member Anderson seconded the motion and the motion carried.

Council Member Peters made a motion to approve the renewal of a 3.2% On Sale Beer License for the Fairmont Raceway for a limited term of April 22, 2016 to September 30, 2016, pending receipt of all necessary paperwork and a satisfactory police investigation. Council Member Askeland seconded the motion and the motion carried.

Council Member Anderson made a motion to authorize staff to develop a Resolution authorizing the implementation of the process to create a Local Option Sales Tax. Council Member Askeland seconded the motion and the motion carried.

Council Member Peters made a motion to authorize staff to solicit bids to have the house at 514 North Park Street razed and the lot cleaned up. Council Member Anderson seconded the motion and the motion carried.

Council Member Askeland made a motion to declare 85 chairs and a cargo net from the aquatic park as excess property to be sold on the State of Minnesota's minnbid.org website. Council Member Peters seconded the motion and the motion carried.

Council Member Zarling made a motion to approve **Resolution 2016-12**, approving advertising of the 2016-B construction project. Council Member Peters seconded the motion. On roll call: Council Members Askeland, Peters, Zarling and Anderson all voted aye. No one voted nay. Mayor Quiring declared said motion passed.

A motion was made by Council Member Peters, seconded by Council Member Askeland and carried to adjourn the meeting at 6:15 p.m.

ATTEST:

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Patricia J. Monsen, City Clerk

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Randy J. Quiring  
Mayor