Pea Ridge City Council Regular Meeting June 11, 2024

The Pea Ridge City Council met in a Special Meeting on Tuesday, June 11, 2024 at 6:00 p.m., in the Council Room at the City Hall Administration Building.

Those present were: Mayor Nathan See, City Clerk Sandy Button, Council Members Nadine Telgemeier, Matt Blood, Steve Guthrie, Cody Keene and Jeff Neil. Also present was City Attorney Shane Perry. Absent was Ginger Larsen.

Others present were: Annette Beard, Ken Hayes, Dustin Phy, Lynn Hahn, Tammy Hahn, Monte Keene, Neal Nelson, Jake Wagner and Boy McNeil.

Mayor See called the meeting to order stating the purpose of the meeting was to consider an ordinance for waiving competitive bidding for Pride Amusements and a resolution for a contract with Pride Amusements.

Mayor See opened the meeting in prayer followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

Public Comments: Neal Nelson asked if there was a possibility of making a cross-country track on the grass area next to the Walmart Store on Slack Street.

Alderman Keene, seconded by Alderman Neil, moved to introduce Ordinance Number 850 by title only. The roll being called, the vote was as follows: Nadine Telgemeier voted aye; Matt Blood voted aye; Steve Guthrie voted aye; Cody Keene voted aye; and Jeff Neil voted aye. Motion passed.

Mayor See read Ordinance Number 850 by title only, which is entitled:

AN ORDINANCE WAIVING THE REQUIREMENTS OF COMPETITIVE BIDDING; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Alderman Keene, seconded by Alderman Neil, moved that the rule requiring the reading of an ordinance by title only on three different days be suspended. Mayor See put the question on the adoption of the motion and the roll being called, the vote was as follows: Nadine Telgemeier voted aye; Matt Blood voted aye; Steve Guthrie voted aye; Cody Keene voted aye; and Jeff Neil voted aye. Motion passed.

Thereupon Mayor See declared that at least two-thirds of all members of the council have voted in favor of the motion to suspend the rule. The motion was carried, and the rule suspended. Mayor See then read the Ordinance by title only. Alderman Keene, seconded by Alderman Guthrie, moved that the Ordinance be adopted The question was put by Mayor See on the adoption of the motion and the roll being called, the vote was as follows: Nadine Telgemeier voted aye; Matt Blood voted aye; Steve Guthrie voted aye; Cody Keene voted aye; and Jeff Neil voted aye. Motion passed.

Alderman Keene, seconded by Alderman Guthrie, moved that the Emergency Clause be adopted. The question was put by Mayor See on the adoption of the motion and the roll being called, the vote was as follows: Ginger Larsen voted aye, Nadine Telgemeier voted aye; Matt Blood voted aye; Steve Guthrie voted aye; Cody Keene voted aye; and Jeff Neil voted aye. Motion passed.

The Mayor thereupon declared the Ordinance and Emergency Clause adopted and signed the Ordinance, which was attested by the City Recorder and sealed with the Seal of the City.

Mayor See read Resolution Number 529, which is entitled:

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND CITY CLERK TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH PRIDE AMUSEMENTS

Alderman Keene, seconded by Alderman Guthrie, moved to approve Resolution Number 532 as read. The roll being called, the vote was as follows: Nadine Telgemeier voted aye; Matt Blood voted aye; Steve Guthrie voted aye; Cody Keene voted aye; and Jeff Neil voted aye. Motion passed.

Alderman Neil moved, seconded by Alderman Keene to adjourn the meeting. Motion passed unanimously.

Nathan See, Mayor

Sandy Button, City Clerk