

March 4, 2019

The regular meeting for the Tama City Council met Monday March 4, 2019 at 6:00 PM in the Tama City Council Chambers. Mayor Carnahan called the meeting to order with the following council member answering to roll call: McAdoo, Ray, Haughey, Tynismaa, Babinat. Visitors: John Lloyd, Larry Thomas, Duane Backen, Mike Haughey, Kelli Scott, and Richie Jimenez.

It was moved by Ray, seconded by Haughey to approve the consent agenda which consist of Minutes from the last regular meeting on 2/18/19, bills paid 2/19/19 thru 3/3/19, and bills to be paid 3/4/19. Roll call vote all ayes. Motion carried.

This being the time and place, Mayor Carnahan opened the public hearing for the FY 2020 budget. There being no written or oral comments the Mayor closed the public hearing. It was moved by Haughey seconded by McAdoo to approve Resolution No. 3-19 a resolution approving the FY 2020 budget as presented. Roll call vote ayes: Ray, Tynismaa, Haughey, McAdoo, Babinat. Motion carried.

The City Attorney read the second reading of proposed Ordinance No. 587, an Ordinance establishing a storm water utility. It was moved by Tynismaa, seconded by Babinat to place the ordinance on file. Roll call vote all ayes. Motion carried.

It was moved by Ray, seconded by Haughey to approve Snyder and Associates to do an initial screening of the levee freeboard requirements. Roll call vote all ayes. Motion carried.

It was moved by Haughey, seconded by McAdoo to approve the final payment to Horsfield Construction in the amount of \$12,998.07. Roll call vote all ayes. Motion carried.

It was moved by Ray, seconded by Babinat to approve hiring Anthony Rodriquez for the Police Department at a salary of \$48,000.00 with intentions to evaluate and promote to Sergeant in July. Roll call vote all ayes. Motion carried.

It was moved by Haughey, seconded by Tyynismaa to approve Jessica Bear as a volunteer for the Fire Department. Roll call vote all ayes. Motion carried.

Larry Thomas, Ambulance Director presented two requests to the Council, one being a new pay scale and wage increase for on call wages. The second request being to increase the amount of money to be transferred to the Ambulance trust fund. The Council agreed to look into the options and discuss it further at a future meeting.

It was moved by Babinat, seconded by Ray to enter into an agreement with Suez to put a sealer on the aluminum water tank at a cost of \$184,983.00. Roll call vote all ayes. Motion carried.

The Mayor presented a design for a new logo at the City of Tama. A motion was made by Babinat to accept the new logo. For lack of a second the motion did not carry.

Reports: Haughey- Would like to continue to check into permits for UTV's and golf carts.

Tyynismaa- Informed the Council the Economic Development is working to fill the open position.

Babinat- Informed the Council that she has asked to meet with the Library Board about there hours and closing on snow days.

Mayor Carnahan- Thanked all the volunteers who helped move snow away from the hydrants.

It was moved by McAdoo, seconded by Babinat to adjourn. 8:15 PM

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Mike Carnahan, Mayor

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Alyssa Hoskey, City Clerk