



**CITY COUNCIL MEETING
OCTOBER 27, 2020
MINUTES**

Mayor Jarrod Ogden brought to order at 6:30 p.m. the second regular meeting of the Craig City Council for the month of October 2020. In addition to Mayor Ogden, those present were Councilmembers Chris Nichols, Andrea Camp, Ryan Hess and Paul James. Staff present were City Manager Peter Brixius, Finance Director Bruce Nelson, City Attorney Heather Cannon, Road & Bridge/Solid Waste Director Trevor Campbell, Parks and Recreation Director Ryan Dennison, Water/Wastewater Director Mark Sollenberger, Building Official Marlin Eckhoff, Chief of Police Jerry Delong, Museum Director Dan Davidson and City Clerk Liz White. Councilman Tony Bohrer and Steven Mazzuca were absent.

All participated in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Councilman James moved with a second by Councilman Hess to approve the minutes from the October 13, 2020 meeting. Ayes: 5. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Councilwoman Camp moved with a second by Councilman Hess approve the agenda as presented. Ayes: 5. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Councilwoman Camp moved with a second by Councilman Nichols to approve the payment of bills through October 23, 2020 in the amount of \$459,456.88. Ayes: 5. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Public Comment was given by Vicki Huyser and Angela Bovo.

Hannah Wood presented to council information regarding the homeless population in Craig and asked if the city would consider applying for an Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG) from the Department of Local Affairs.

The Consent Agenda was approved in two parts:

Councilman Nichols moved with a second by Councilwoman Camp to approve item 7A-Change of Manager for D & S Lanes dba Thunder Rolls Bowling Center located at 990 Industrial Avenue, Craig. Ayes: 5. Nays: 0. Motion carried

Councilman James moved with a second by Councilman Hess to approve Items 7B, 7C and 7D which included the renewal of a Fermented Malt Beverage Liquor Licenses for Kum & Go LC dba Kum & Go #901 located at 895 Yampa Avenue, Kum & Go LC dba Kum & Go #902 located at 1302 West Victory Way, Kum & Go LC dba Kum & Go #1903 located at 700 East Victory Way, Craig. Ayes: 5. Nays: 0. Motion carried. No reason for denial for any of the renewals.

Mayor Ogden opened the Public Hearing regarding a Retail Liquor Store application for Black Mountain Trading Post LLC dba Sister Liquors located at 1111 West Victory Way #135, Craig. Robert Golden is the applicant for the business.

The floor was then open for public comment.

Public comment was given by Robert Golden.

Mayor Ogden opened the Public Hearing regarding a Hotel & Restaurant Liquor License application to Parts of the Pickle LLC dba Sizzling Pickle located at 351 Ranney Street, Craig. Anna Lighthizer is the applicant for the business.

Public Comment was given by Anna Lighthizer and RaChell Dschaak.

Being no further public comment, the Public Hearing was closed.

Mayor Ogden presented to council for approval a Retail Liquor Store application for Black Mountain Trading Post LLC dba Sister Liquors located at 1111 West Victory Way #135, Craig. After further discussion, Councilman Nichols moved with a second by Councilwoman Camp to approve the Retail Liquor Store application for Black Mountain Trading Post LLC dba Sister Liquors located at 1111 West Victory Way #135, Craig. Ayes: 5. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Mayor Ogden presented to council for approval a Hotel & Restaurant Liquor License application to Parts of the Pickle LLC dba Sizzling Pickle located at 351 Ranney Street, Craig. After further discussion, Councilman James moved with a second by Councilman Hess to approve the Hotel & Restaurant Liquor License application to Parts of the Pickle LLC dba Sizzling Pickle located at 351 Ranney Street, Craig. Ayes: 5. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Finance Director Nelson presented to council for (INTRODUCTION) Ordinance No. 1118 (2020) ~ an ordinance adopting the 2021 Budget and setting appropriations for the revenues and expenditures, and making and fixing the amount of property tax levies, for the City of Craig, Colorado for and during the period beginning the first day of January 2021 and ending the thirty-first day of December 2021. Since this was only (Introduction) to Ordinance No. 1118 (2020), no motions were received or made.

Water/Wastewater Director Sollenberger presented to council for approval bids for electrical services to replace the Motor Control Center at the Water Treatment Plant. After further discussion, Councilman Nichols moved with a second by Councilwoman Camp to table the approval of the bid to replace the Motor Control Center at the Water Treatment Plant until further information could be obtained. Ayes: 4. Nays: 0. Motion carried. Councilman Hess left the dais.

Water/Wastewater Director Sollenberger presented to council for approval a bid for the Wastewater Treatment Plant Handrail replacement Project from Faultless Fusion in the amount of \$46,036.00. After further discussion, Councilman Nichols moved with a second by Councilwoman Camp to table the award of the bid for the Wastewater Treatment Plant Handrail replacement Project from Faultless Fusion in the amount of \$46,036.00 until further information could be obtained. Ayes: 4. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Water/Wastewater Director Sollenberger presented to council the September 2020 Water and Wastewater reports.

Finance Director Nelson presented to council the financial reports for the month of September 2020.

City Manager Brixius updated the group on meetings he attended or will be attending soon. He offered additional comments about the Airport IGA, COVID 19 Relief Grants and the Rural Jumpstart Program.

City Attorney Cannon gave a brief update on projects she has been working on.

Following some brief reports and comments by council, Councilman James moved with a second by Councilwoman Camp to adjourn the meeting. Ayes: 4. Nays: 0. Motion carried.