

LINDSBORG CITY COUNCIL
Lindsborg City Hall
April 1, 2024–6:30 p.m.
Meeting Minutes

COUNCILMEMBERS PRESENT: Mayor Clark Shultz, Corey Peterson, Rebecca Van Der Wege, Kirsten Bruce, Blaine Heble, Joshua Swanson, Andrew Smith

MEMBERS ABSENT: Tanner Corwin, John Presley

OTHERS PRESENT: Kristi Northcutt, Roxie Sjogren, Chris Lindholm, Milton Collins, Noah Flores, Chief Davis, Marcus Petty, Holly Lofton, David Hay, Lauren Doak, Bethany Shultz, Scott Bontz

The meeting was called to order at 6:30 p.m. by Mayor Clark Shultz, followed by the pledge of allegiance.

PUBLIC INPUT:

There was no public input.

AMENDMENTS TO THE AGENDA:

There were no amendments to the agenda.

MAYOR'S REPORT:

Mayor Shultz thanked all of those involved in this year's Messiah Festival of the Arts thanking Dr. Steve Eckman, Dr. Mark Lucas, Dr. Ketih Dodson and councilmembers who participated including Kirsten Bruce, John Presley, and Rebecca Van Der Wege, former mayor Becky Anderson, and Sharon Bruce, who is the longest member with 60 years of participation.

April 6-12: National Week of the Young Child, honoring Early Childhood Educators and Caregivers

April 7-13: National Library Week

CONSENT AGENDA

Councilmember Kirsten Bruce moved to approve the minutes from the March 18, 2024, regular Council meeting, Payroll Ordinance 5477, and Purchase Order Ordinance 5478. Motion seconded by Councilmember Andrew Smith and passed 6-0 by roll call vote.

APPOINTMENTS:

Mayor Clark Shultz read the list of appointments to the City's Boards and Commissions:

Library Board: Kathy Englund, Sarah Jowers

Lindsborg Housing Authority: Linda Talbott

Golf Course Advisory Board: Trevor Whittaker, Mike Dreier, Holly Toll, Jim Osner, Connor Chambers

Recreation Advisory Board: Cynthia Hoffman, Heather Hipp

Planning Commission: Lloyd Rohr, Molly Johnson, Laurin Caine

Board of Zoning Appeals: Craig Lofton, Norman Dauer, Noel Eshelman

Design Review Board: L'Jean Swisher

Sister City Committee: Joyce Peterson

Tree Board: Bob Ash, Susan Nordell

CVB Advisory Board: Andrea Evans

There was no objection from Council regarding the appointments.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Parks Director Noah Flores reported that the Tree Board and he attended the Tree City USA Recognition Day in Derby on March 28 marking Lindsborg’s 39th year as a Tree City U.S.A.

To be recognized as a Tree City U.S.A., cities must meet four requirements: maintain a Tree Board, have a community tree ordinance, spend at least \$2 per capita on our urban forestry, and celebrate Arbor Day.

While there, they saw the annual Kansas Forest Service poster contest. A poster from Soderstrom Elementary was chosen as the regional winner for the South-Central region. Flores is currently working on an event to celebrate the winner.

Community Development Director Milton Collins reported that the Planning Commission met on March 26 and approved three lot splits, two of which were at Stockholm Estates. The Design Review Board met on March 18 and reviewed three signs: Bella Sol Bistro, Smoky Valley Bakery, and the Good Merchant. All signs were approved. Design Review also reviewed and approved the proposed façade for the Good Merchant, which was a recipient of the HEAL Grant (Historic Economic Asset Lifeline).

OLD BUSINESS:

There was no old business.

NEW BUSINESS:

Golf Cart Renewal

The City of Lindsborg Golf Course has a six-year lease for 10 RXV Elite Lithium-ion battery golf carts, good through May of 2025. This lease is with Kansas Golf & Turf (KG&T) in Wichita, Kansas.

The carts are almond color with fold-down windshield, cooler and bracket attached, USB ports, wheel covers, message holder, and premium seats (high back and custom). These carts are energy efficient--guaranteed 30% less energy used and up to a possibility of 50%.

The amount due for each year (\$10,879.20) for all 10 carts is encumbered and paid at a rate of \$906.60/month.

Councilmember Joshua Swanson moved to approve the lease of 10 golf carts for the Lindsborg Golf Course at a cost of \$10,879.20 with Kansas Golf & Turf for the 2024 season. Seconded by Councilmember Andrew Smith and passed 6-0 by roll call vote.

ADJOURNMENT:

Councilmember Kirsten Bruce moved for adjournment, seconded by Councilmember Blaine Heble, and passed 6-0 by voice vote. The meeting was adjourned at 6:48 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,



Roxie Sjogren, CMC
City Clerk