

May 6, 2024

The regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of Angola, Indiana was called to order at 7:00 p.m. at City Hall, 210 North Public Square with Mayor David B. Martin presiding. Council Members Randy Coffey, David A. Olson, Jennifer L. Sharkey, David W. Roe, and Jerold D. McDermid answered roll. No Council Member was absent. Clerk-Treasurer Ryan P. Herbert recorded the minutes.

Among those present were City Attorney Kim Shoup, City Engineer Amanda Cope, Police Chief Ken Whitmire, Fire Chief Doug Call, Water Superintendent Tom Sleman, Street Commissioner Chad Ritter, City Planner Brett Steele, Assistant Street Commissioner Scott Stevens, and Patrol Officer Allie Curdes.

Also present was Lynn Thompson of the Herald Republican.

REMARKS BY MAYOR MARTIN

Mayor Martin presented Council Member Sharkey with The Greenways Foundation Outstanding Trail Advocate Award for the year which he accepted on her behalf at the foundation awards luncheon.

Mayor Martin presented a proclamation declaring May 6th through the May 12th, 2024 Public Service Recognition Week in Angola, Indiana, and encouraged all citizens to thank our City employees for all that they do.

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

Council Member Olson moved to approve the April 15, 2024 minutes. Council Member Sharkey seconded the motion. The motion carried 5-0.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Ordinance No. 1752-2024, AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE ZONING MAP OF THE CITY OF ANGOLA, INDIANA, was read by title and presented to Council for second reading. Council Member McDermid moved to approve. Council Member Coffey seconded the motion. The motion carried 5-0. Ordinance No. 1751-2024, AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE ANGOLA MUNICIPAL CODE, TITLE 13 PUBLIC SERVICES, CHAPTER 13.15 STORMWATER MANAGEMENT, was then read by title and presented to Council for third and final reading. Council Member Olson having reviewed the findings of the Plan Commission and taking into account the comprehensive plan, current conditions and character of the structures and uses in each district, the most desirable use of the land in its current and proposed zones, conservation of property value throughout the city, and responsible growth and development moved to adopt the proposed zoning change. Council Member Coffey seconded the motion. The motion to adopt on third and final reading carried 5-0.

Discussion was reopened regarding the traffic study at the intersection of East Randolph and Cross Streets. Council Member McDermid stated that he could not support the change to a four-way stop at the intersection sighting recommendations from city employees and best practices sighted in the study. Discussion continued. Council Member Coffey moved to proceed with drafting an ordinance changing the East Randolph and Cross intersection to a four-way stop. Member Olson seconded the motion. Further discussion followed. The Upon rollcall vote the motion carried 3-2. Council Members McDermid and Sharkey dissented. Discussion was then reopened regarding the traffic study for South Superior and West Pleasant Streets. Council Member Roe moved to proceed with drafting an ordinance changing the South Superior and West Pleasant Streets intersection to a four-way stop. Member Olson seconded the motion. Further discussion followed. The Upon rollcall vote the motion carried 3-2. Council Members McDermid and Sharkey dissented.

NEW BUSINESS

Ordinance No. 1753-2024, ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE FOR THE CITY OF ANGOLA, INDIANA ARP CORONAVIRUS FISCAL RECOVERY FUND, was read by title and presented to Council for first reading. Council Member Olson moved to approve. Council Member Coffey seconded the motion. The motion carried 5-0.

Council Member McDermid moved to approve the Agreement for Professional Engineering Services with Butler, Fairman and Seufert, Inc. for the Poka-Bache Trail Project in the amount not to exceed \$343,760.00. Council Member Roe seconded the motion. The motion carried 5-0.

Council Member McDermid moved to find IMP Realty LLC leased to Patrick Industries, Inc. located at 409 Growth Parkway and 101 Industrial Drive in substantial compliance with the Statement of Benefits for Real Estate Improvements for Resolution No. 2015-666. Council Member Olson seconded the motion. The motion for carried 5-0.

Council Member McDermid Moved to approve the appointment of Libby Hysong to the Economic Development Commission for the term 2/1/2024-1/31/2028. Council Member Coffey seconded the motion. The motion carried 5-0.

Council Member McDermid moved to approve for the Street Department to dispose of 1997 International Truck (asset No. 455) via auction on Govdeals.com. Council Member Roe seconded the motion. The motion carried 5-0

DEPARTMENT HEAD REPORTS

City Engineer Cope reported that survey and design work is underway for the Pakogn water and sewer project. Bidding is set to take place this fall.

APPROVAL OF ACCOUNTS PAYABLE VOUCHERS

Council Member Coffey moved to approve the Allowance of Accounts Payable Vouchers 68345 through 68624 totaling \$1,450,452.71. Member McDermid seconded the motion. The motion carried 5-0.

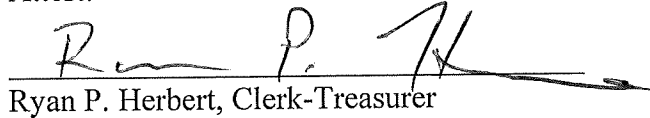
ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting was considered adjourned at 7:39 p.m.



David B. Martin, Mayor
Presiding Officer

Attest:


Ryan P. Herbert, Clerk-Treasurer