

TOWN OF STAR CITY
Council Meeting
December 19, 2023
6:00 P.M.

PRELIMINARIES:

Mayor Doyle recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

CALL TO ORDER:

Mayor Doyle called the meeting to order.

ATTENDANCE:

Mayor – Sharon Doyle	Recorder – Steven A. Blinco
Chief of Police – Jessica Colebank	Councilor – Todd Gregg
Treasurer – Lea Hassler	Councilor – Lynette DeChristopher
Town Attorney – Wrobleski (Absent)	Councilor – Dr. Gregory Epps
Public Works – Phillip Davis	Councilor – Andy Laskody
Code Enforcement – Bob Doyle	Councilor – Jim Morris

APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Motion to approve the minute from the previous meeting.

1. Councilor Epps
2. Councilor Gregg

Motion carried.

TREASURER’S REPORT:

Bills to be Paid:

Motion to pay the bills as presented in the amount of \$222,144.48

1. Councilor Morris
2. Councilor Epps

Motion carried.

Motion to approve financial report (Nov. 30, 2023) presented by Treasurer Hassler.

1. Councilor DeChristopher
2. Councilor Morris

Motion carried.

SPECIAL SPEAKERS / PRESENTATIONS: (NONE)

CITIZENS: (NONE)

MAYOR'S COMMENTS:

Met with the Mon County Commission

- Discussed TIF \$ / Storm Water issues
- Mayor Doyle, Treasurer Hassler, & Code Enforcer Doyle attended

Star City Christmas Parade

- Great Success / Turnout

Star City Employee Appreciation Luncheon

- Well attended and much appreciated event at the Pizza Al's Bar

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: (NONE)

COMMITTEE REPORTS: (NONE)

SUPERVISOR'S REPORTS:

Treasurer - Lea Hassler

Audit Firm Review Records

- Provided initial drafts

Code Enforcement - Bob Doyle

Work inside City Hall

- Cira & Associates continuing work

Public Works - Phillip Davis

Sewer Backup at the Commons

- Has been fixed

Work inside City Hall

- Prepared to begin City Hall renovations after Cira & Assoc. Work is completed

Chief of Police - Jessica Colebank

Police Cruiser Grant still in progress

- Looking to purchase (1) Tahoe, (2) Chargers, & (1) Ford F-150

- Working to select a vehicle outfitter

Former Police Chief Probst

- Remembered for his service / Star City Officers attended his service

RECORDER'S COMMENTS: (NONE)

ATTORNEY'S COMMENTS: (NONE)

NEW BUSINESS:

Christmas Decoration Contest Winners (Announced)

Town Businesses

- 1.) *Stray Cat Chimi Shack*
- 2.) *Hair 464*
- 3.) *Mountain State Endodontics*

Town Residence

- 1.) *449 Herman*
- 2.) *529 Springdale*
- 3.) *358 Crawford*

**** Congrats to All of Our Winners! Thank You for keeping Our Town & Holidays BRIGHT!*

Contractor for PD Vehicle Equipment Installation

Motion to award the installation of Police Department Vehicle Equipment to Brooks.

1. Councilor Laskody
2. Councilor Gregg

Motion carried.

*ROLL CALL VOTE - Gregg (Y), DeChristopher (Y), Blinco (Y), Doyle (Y), Laskody (Y), Morris (Y), Epps (Y) / (7) Yes Votes & (0) No Votes

April 2024 Florida Police Department Training

Motion to TABLE.

1. Councilor DeChristopher
2. Councilor Laskody

Motion carried.

Purchase of Police Vehicles

Motion to approve the purchase of (4) new vehicles through the grant.

1. Councilor DeChristopher
2. Councilor Laskody

Motion carried.

*ROLL CALL VOTE - Gregg (Y), DeChristopher (Y), Blinco (Y), Doyle (Y), Laskody (Y), Morris (Y), Epps (Y) / (7) Yes Votes & (0) No Votes

Employee Handbook Updates

Motion to approve the update in the Employee Handbook.

1. Councilor Gregg
2. Councilor Epps

Motion carried.

PERMITS:

BZA Meeting - January 9, 2024 @ 6:00 PM

- Request for a variance to build on property located along Herman and Kensington Avenues (SASSA, LLC - Represented by JT Straface)

ADJOURNMENT:

Motion to adjourn at 6:34 P.M.

1. Councilor Epps
2. Recorder Blinco

Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,



Steven A. Blinco, Star City Recorder



Sharon Doyle, Star City Mayor