

RECORD OF COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES  
CITY OF ARGO

Date: 07-26-2021  
Time: 6:00 PM  
Place: Municipal Complex  
**Regular Meeting**

ROLL CALL

Councilperson Dennis Griffin  
Councilperson Michael Hicks  
Mayor Pro-Tem Dusty Stinson  
Councilperson Danny McCarley  
Councilperson Ann Brown  
Mayor Betty Bradley

Mayor Bradley called the meeting to order and asked the clerk for a roll call. The clerk called the roll, and the above listed persons were present.

Invocation was given by Councilperson Brown, and the pledge of allegiance was recited by those in attendance.

Councilperson Brown motioned to approve the minutes from the work session meeting as well as the regular minutes dated 07-12-2021 with said corrections. Mayor Pro-Tem Stinson seconded the motion. Mayor Bradley called for roll call of votes: Griffin-yea, Hicks-yea, Stinson-yea, McCarley-yea, Brown-yea, and Mayor Bradley-yea. Motion carried.

James Talton, Springville Middle School Principal, briefly spoke at the meeting regarding the millage tax increase, Mayor Pro-Tem Stinson, also made sure to let everyone know there would be an upcoming meeting open to the public for anyone interested in coming.

Councilperson Brown motioned to approve the hiring of Alyssa Gore, as part time city clerk starting at \$14 per hour, with a review at 6 months. Mayor Pro-Tem seconded the motion. Mayor Bradley called for roll call of votes: Griffin-yea, Hicks-yea, Stinson-yea, McCarley-yea, Brown-yea, and Mayor Bradley-yea. Motion carried.

Councilperson Hicks motioned to approve Ordinance 2021-07-26, an Ordinance minimizing public and private losses due to flood conditions in certain areas by setting forth certain requirements for public and private property within a recognized flood plain as required by the federal emergency management agency and for other purposes, Councilperson Griffin seconded the motion. Mayor Bradley called for roll call of votes: Griffin-yea, Hicks-yea, Stinson-yea, McCarley-yea, Brown-yea, and Mayor Bradley-yea. Motion carried.

Mayor Pro-Tem Stinson made the motion to table the waste disposal bid until the following meeting, to give the city attorney time to review the bids further. Councilperson McCarley seconded the motion. Mayor Bradley called for roll call of votes: Griffin-yea, Hicks-yea, Stinson-yea, McCarley-yea, Brown-yea, and Mayor Bradley-yea. Motion carried.

CITY ATTORNEY – Attorney Brymer requests that the council enter into an executive session to discuss matters of potential litigation with personnel, and to discuss matters that are in litigation.

MAYOR REPORT – Mayor Bradley reminded everyone that the dedication ceremony for Herschel Phillips is this Thursday July 29<sup>th</sup> at 2pm, everyone is welcome to attend.

Councilperson Brown briefly updated everyone on disc golf.

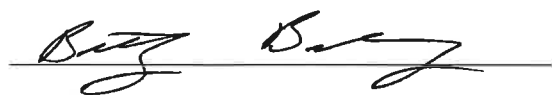
Mayor Pro-Tem Stinson updated the council on the tractor, it is in but still awaiting a part, it should be ready within the week. He also briefly updated everyone on the 8885 property.

Michelle Coalson, spoke to on behalf of the community tonight regarding disruptions in the meetings from others in the audience, she expressed how rude this is to the council as well as others attending the meetings, she would like to see this stopped. Mayor Bradley thanked her for her comment.

Mayor Pro-Tem Stinson motioned to move into executive session, to discuss personnel matters that the attorney has reviewed, and not to reconvene afterwards. Councilperson Brown seconded the motion. Mayor Bradley called for roll call of votes: Griffin-yea, Hicks-yea, Stinson-yea, McCarley-yea, Brown-yea, and Mayor Bradley-yea. Motion carried.

A motion was made to adjourn. All in favor. Meeting adjourned.

APPROVED:



Betty Bradley, Mayor

ATTEST:



Tiffany Westbrook, City Clerk