

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Bellbrook City Council Meeting

April 8, 2024

1. CALL TO ORDER

Deputy Mayor Havens called the Regular Meeting of the Bellbrook City Council to order at 7:00pm

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Deputy Mayor Havens led the Council in the Pledge of Allegiance.

3. ROLL CALL

PRESENT

Mr. Logan Ashley
Mrs. Katherine Cyphers
Mr. Forrest Greenwood
Mr. Brady Harding
Mr. Ernie Havens
Mr. T.J. Hoke

ABSENT

Mayor Mike Schweller

Deputy Mayor Havens asked for a Motion to excuse Mayor Schweller from the meeting.

Motion made by Mr. Hoke, Seconded by Mr. Greenwood

Voting Yea: Mr. Ashley, Mrs. Cyphers, Mr. Greenwood, Mr. Harding, Mr. Havens, Mr. Hoke

Motion Carries

4. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

Deputy Mayor Havens asked if anyone had comments or corrections to the minutes of March 25, 2024, meeting. Hearing none, the minutes were declared to be approved.

5. MAYOR'S ANNOUNCEMENTS AND SPECIAL GUESTS

None

6. CITIZEN COMMENTS

None

7. CITIZENS REGISTERED TO SPEAK ON AGENDA ITEMS

None

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8. PUBLIC HEARING OF PROPOSED ORDINANCES

None

9. INTRODUCTIONS OF ORDINANCES

None

10. ADOPTION OF RESOLUTIONS

None

11. OLD BUSINESS

None

12. NEW BUSINESS

None

13. CITY MANAGER'S REPORT

Mr. Schommer provided updates on the ongoing Audit. The Auditors will be onsite within the next few weeks.

Mr. Schommer mentioned Mayor Schweller has reviewed applications submitted for the city to apply for the community entertainment district. Provided details on the next steps.

14. COMMITTEE REPORTS

A. Safety Committee: Mr. Hoke provided updates on the Police side and the rifle for swat officer assignment that has arrived. Thanked Bellbrook Lions Club for their help with this purchase. Bellbrook Police to cover officer assignments for the Sugar Maple Festival. Dodge Durango's are being equipped. Interviews still on going for two police officers.

B. Service Committee: None

C. Finance/Audit Committee: None

D. Community Affairs Committee: Mr. Havens reminded not to forget the Sugar Maple Festival next weekend.

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15. CITY OFFICIAL COMMENTS

Mr. Ashley: Mentioned the Sugar Maple Festival will be April 19-21 and has a lot to offer this year.

Mrs. Cyphers: None

Mr. Greenwood: None

Mr. Harding: Mentioned details on the Museum Board meeting held on March 27, 2024 with all new board members and looking forward to new ideas.

Mr. Hoke: Mentioned the flock camera system was installed and will be of benefit to the safety of the community.

Mr. Havens: None

16. EXECUTIVE SESSION

17. ADJOURNMENT

Hearing no further business coming before the Council, Deputy Mayor Havens declared the meeting adjourned at 7:11pm

Ernie Havens, Deputy Mayor

Robert Schommer, Clerk of Council