

CITY OF CARLISLE
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
MONDAY, DECEMBER 13, 2021
7:00 P.M.

THE COUNCIL MET IN REGULAR SESSION WITH MAYOR CLARK PRESIDING.

THE MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER BY MAYOR CLARK AT 7:00 P.M.

A MOMENT OF SILENCE WAS OBSERVED.

MEMBERS PRESENT WERE DOUG GARRETT, ALICE HUGHES, SANDY RITCHIE, ERICA BUSSELL, DENNIS ALLISON AND DEBBY ECTON.

ALSO PRESENT WERE CITY ATTORNEY HENRY WATSON, POLICE CHIEF WILLIAM DENTON AND CITY CLERK ANGIE LYONS.

DENNIS ALLISON MADE A MOTION AND DEBBY ECTON SECONDED TO APPROVE PAYROLL TRANSFERS FOR JANUARY 2022. MOTION CARRIED.

MOTION WAS MADE BY ECTON AND SECOND BY BUSSELL TO APPROVE DECEMBER BILLS. MOTION CARRIED.

MAYOR COMMENTS:

STERLING HEALTH TO START THIS WEEK.

FARM BUREAU DECIDED TO BUY THE LOT ON CLIFFWAY DRIVE.

MUNICIPAL EQUIPMENT IS GOING TO BRING A NEW STREET SWEEPER AND DEMO IT FOR US TO SEE. PARIS HAS A USED ONE FOR SALE.

EMC INS WE HAVE A COUPLE LEFT TO SETTLE ON.

OLD TRASH TRUCK GOING TO USE AS CARDBOARD TRUCK.

SO FAR ON MONEY WE ARE ACTUALLY AHEAD FOR WHAT WE HAVE SPENT.

CHRISTMAS DINNER WENT SMOOTH, I THINK THE EMPLOYEES ALL HAD A GOOD TIME.

WE HAVE A PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION MEETING FRIDAY. OVER THE RATE INCREASE.

THIS IS THE LAST WEEK FOR LEAF PICK UP.

MR. NOE HAS PICKED THE CONTRACTORS FOR SAVE A LOT.

WORK IS GOING ON AT THE POST OFFICE, NEW BLACKTOP, ETC.

STILL PICKING UP DEBRIS FROM FLOOD.

COUNCIL COMMENTS:

DEBBY ECTON: NO

ERICA BUSSELL: NO

ALICE HUGHES: NO

DOUG GARRETT: NO

SANDY RITCHIE: NO

DENNIS ALLISON: NO

HENRY WATSON, THE PSC MEETING WILL BE LIVE ON THE PSC WEBSITE FOR ALL THAT WOULD LIKE TO WATCH. THERE ARE A NUMBER OF ISSUES TO DISCUSS. WILL BE TESTIMONIES FROM THE MAYOR AND RICKY MOORE.

DEBBY ECTON: AT THIS TIME ARE YOU SHUTTING SHARPSBURG OFF WHEN THEY HIT THEIR AMOUNT?

MAYOR: I HAVEN'T CUT ANYBODY OFF. THEY AREN'T USING OVER THEIR LIMIT.

NICHOLAS COUNTY IS STILL GOING OVER AT SOME POINT. I HAVE MADE IT VERY PLAIN THAT YOU CAN'T, YOU WAIT TIL 6 OR 7 SOMETIMES 9 AT NIGHT OR ON FRIDAY AND SATURDAY AND START FILLING THE TOWERS AND LET YOUR PUMPS RUN 24/7 WE DON'T HAVE PEOPLE ON SHIFT TO COVER THAT AND THE CITY'S FIRE PROTECTION GOES DOWN TO 0. SO I MADE IT VERY PLAIN YOU PUMP DURING THE DAY WHEN WE HAVE COVERAGE NOT AT NIGHT AND ON WEEKENDS. IF THEY ARE GOING TO DO THAT, THEN YES, WE ARE GOING TO CUT THEM OFF CAUSE THEY ARE STILL GOING OVER. THE VALVE IS INSIDE THEIR BLOCK BUILDING SO IF THEY DON'T PLAY RIGHT THEN WE WILL PUT US A VALVE IN AND IF WE HAVE TO, CUT IT OFF. I DON'T WANT TO CUT ANYBODY OFF, MAKE IT WORK THAT OUR FIRE PROTECTION DOESN'T GO TO POT, IF YOU WANT ABOVE YOUR CONTRACT LIMIT THEN WE WILL PROVIDE IT, BUT IF YOU NEED OVER THE LIMIT THEN THIS IS THE PRICE WE NEED. WE ARE STILL LOSING MONEY HAND OVER FOOT ON WATER THAT WE'RE SELLING. HONESTLY, WE ARE SUBSIDIZING IT WITH OUR INSIDE RATES AND WITH OUR GAS BILL AND GENERAL FUND TO OFFSET THE LOSS IN WATER.

MOTION TO ADJOURN BY ALLISON AND SECOND BY BUSSELL. MOTION CARRIED.

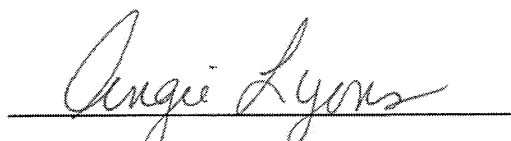
ADJOURNMENT: 7:18 P.M.

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RONNIE CLARK, MAYOR

ATTEST:

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Angie Lyons", written over a horizontal line.

ANGIE LYONS, CITY CLERK