

Monday, January 30, 2017  
Meeting  
7:00 p.m.

Special

Lake View Municipal Building

The Lake View City Council met in special session on Monday, January 30, 2017 at the Lake View Municipal Building. The meeting was called to order by Mayor John Westergaard at 7:00 p.m. Roll call was taken: Present: Councilor Jerry Huss, Terry Reis, Ken Steinkamp, and Dave Woltman. Councilor Tami Moeller attended via Skype. Also present: Lon Buse, Ruth Green, Bill Leners, Royce Kemmann, Jeremy Behrens, Dean Stock, Tiffany Mogensen, Mary Becker, and Cort Stargell.

Barry Buse Resignation

Motion by Woltman, second by Huss, to accept the resignation of Barry Buse, Public Works employee. Roll call vote: All ayes. Motion carried. The City Clerk/Administrator reviewed how the position will be advertised and the hiring process.

Consider the Purchase of a Truck for the Electric Department

Motion by Woltman, second by Moeller, to rescind the motion to purchase the Ford F550 from Beckman Motors and to authorize the purchase from Champion Ford at a cost of \$45,680. Roll call vote: All ayes. Motion carried.

Dean Stock, Sac County Supervisor, noted the positive effect that comes from community enhancement projects such as the splash pad and encouraged the City to continue to work on these projects. Dean also updated the Council on the recent Iowa Supreme Court decision regarding the Des Moines Water Works lawsuit against the drainage districts in Sac, Buena Vista, and Calhoun counties.

Review Draft of FY 2017-18 Budget

The Council held a work session to review a draft of the FY 2017-18 budget. The property tax levy for FY 2017-18 is proposed to remain the same as the current year at \$8.45 / \$1,000 of taxable valuation. Total revenues are estimated to be \$8.1 million and total expenses are estimated to be \$8.5 million. This budget includes \$600,000 for the 2017 street project and \$3.1 million for expenses relating to the lagoon project. No action was taken.

Motion by Reis, second by Steinkamp, to adjourn. On vote: all ayes. Motion carried.  
Meeting adjourned at 8:45 p.m.

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John Westergaard, Mayor

Scott Peterson, City Clerk/Administrator