

Official proceedings of the City of Marseilles of the meeting of March 20, 2024.

The City Council of the City of Marseilles met in the City Chamber of City Hall at the hour of 6:00 P.M. on March 20, 2024.

Pledge of Allegiance was said.

Roll call showed the following present: Mayor Hollenbeck, Commissioner Kaminski, Small, Scheib, Buckingham. Absent: None.

Moved by Commissioner Kaminski seconded by Commissioner Buckingham that the minutes from the council meeting on March 6, 2024 be approved as displayed and placed on file. Ayes: Commissioner Kaminski, Small, Scheib, Buckingham and Mayor Hollenbeck. Nays: None.

Moved by Commissioner Kaminski seconded by Commissioner Small that the accounts payable for the first half of March in the amount of \$143,209.28 be approved and a warrant be drawn on the city treasury for the said amounts. Ayes: Commissioner Kaminski, Small, Buckingham, and Mayor Hollenbeck. Nays: Commissioner Schieb.

Moved by Commissioner Kaminski seconded by Commissioner Small that the payroll for the first half of March in the amount of \$77,649.25 be approved and a warrant be drawn on the city treasury for the said amounts. Ayes: Commissioner Kaminski, Small, Scheib, and Mayor Hollenbeck. Nays: None.

Moved by Commissioner Small seconded by Commissioner Buckingham that the monthly department reports for February be approved and placed on file. Ayes: Commissioner Kaminski, Small, Scheib, and Mayor Hollenbeck. Nays: None.

Kim Zimmerman the transit director from NCAT gave a presentation about their services. They started in 2012, hours of operation M-F 6:30 A.M. – 6:30 P.M. they book 2 weeks in advance and go to Peoria twice monthly. No age restriction on rides, 14 and under must ride with a chaperone. They will be adding 4 more buses this year to their fleet. Also, having a fundraiser 4/13/2024 at super bowl in Peru.

200 Riverfront Drive building plans were discussed. Commissioner Buckingham wanted to know who met and did the building plans, he is not in favor of the preliminary set.

Commissioner Schieb wanted to know if the museum will be moving. The first set of prints have been out for thoughts and comments. The Freedom Run organization expressed their interest in a free-standing structure for the museum. The structure is something the council will need to talk with the Freedom Run board about.

Commissioner Scheib would like to see specificity within the accounts payable specifically Engineering.

City Engineer said the Broadway Street Park bids have been submitted and need to be reviewed in depth before approving. Rutland Street project was awarded to Gensini Construction.

Kim Kozak asked about main street beautification funds for the next fiscal year. The upcoming budget has not yet been completed.

Moved by Commissioner Small seconded by Commissioner Kaminski that the city council adjourn. Ayes: Commissioner Kaminski, Small, Scheib, and Mayor Hollenbeck. Nays: None.

Respectfully submitted,

City Clerk