

The Wesley City Council met in regular session, March 8, 2010 at 6:30 p.m. at City Hall. Mayor Duane Larson announced roll call. Present: Leider, Ricke, Golwitzer: Absent: Florea, Eischen: Others present: Clerk Wingert and City Maintenance, Larson:

Motion by Golwitzer, seconded by Leider, to approve the agenda after adding tabled item from last month, replacement of overhead door in shop. All ayes.

Councilmen Florea and Eischen arrived at 6:33 p.m.

Motion by Leider, seconded by Ricke, to approve the minutes of the February 8, 2010 meeting. All ayes.

Motion by Florea, seconded by Golwitzer, to approve the bills submitted. All ayes.

GENERAL:

Alliant Energy, street lights, 1108.08; pool, 112.71; NW Internet, serv., 347.90; Qwest, serv., 67.30; K & H Co-op Oil, gas, 162.61; Payroll, gross, 831.65; Mid-America Publishing, publishing, 117.95; M. Wingert, ppds, 69.00; Bomgaar's, supp., 50.44; Bob Becker Const., supp., 9.48; Hotsy, parts, 60.74; Advanced Systems, contract, 128.35; Wesley Fire Dept, payment, 1625.00; Corwith-Wesley Comm. School District, property, 1.00; Ia. Dept. Public Health, reg. fee, 70.00; MARC, supp., pool, 97.79; Mid American Energy, gas bill, school, 126.55: Totals, 4986.55:

TRUST & AGENCY

FICA, city share, 185.94; IPERS, city share, 151.65; Total, 337.59:

ROAD USE TAX

Payroll, gross, 1599.07; K & H Co-op Oil, gas/diesel, 1302.60; Land of Hob, supp., 358.03; Duane Larson, ppds., 126.96; Buscher Bros., parts, 11.63; Total, 3398.29:

WATER UTILITY

Alliant, serv., 360.08; Payroll, gross, 2217.50; FICA, city share, 169.63; IPERS, city share, 147.46; LGI, sampling, 21.00: Total, 2915.67:

GARBAGE ENTERPRISE FUND

Payroll, gross, 2637.23; FICA, city share, 201.74; IPERS, city share, 175.37; Kossuth County Auditor, landfill, 559.00; K & H Co-op Oil, gas, 146.16; M. Wingert, ins., 404.00; C. Larson, ins., 404.00: Totals, 4527.50:

SEWER O & M

Alliant, serv., 16.91; Payroll, gross, 2010.29; FICA, city share, 153.78; IPERS, city share, 133.71; USPO, postage/billing, 56.84; Mid-American Energy, gas bill, 424.70: Total, 2796.23:

Motion by Golwitzer, seconded by Leider, to approve the financials for February. All ayes.

Corwith-Wesley Principal, James Rotert, was unable to attend as planned, so request to use lot east of elementary school and use of school for weather emergencies was not approved.

Mayor Larson opened the public hearing for the 10-11 fiscal year budget. With no written or oral comments or objections, the hearing was closed.

Motion by Florea, seconded by Golwitzer, to approve Res. 10-03, Approval of 10-11 Fiscal Year Budget. Ayes: Leider, Ricke, Florea, Golwitzer, Eischen: Nays: None: Motion carried. Res. 10-03 approved. The total operating budget is set at \$1,203,181. The total property tax asking will be \$132,834, with tax levy being \$14.33 per 1,000 evaluation. This is .80 cents less than last fiscal year.

Motion by Golwitzer, seconded by Leider, to give \$200 to Hancock County Ag Society for 2010 County Fair. All ayes.

Motion by Golwitzer, seconded by Eischen, to approve liquor license for Johnny's. All ayes.

Motion by Florea, seconded by Golwitzer, to deny request from Don & Carol Preuschl to put gas and electric utilities underground through alley between their property. A natural gas line runs through this alley. All ayes. The council discussed Ragbrai coming through town, July 27, insurance and utilities on school building, increase on employee's health insurance, NIACOG Community Projects Survey and Kossuth County Transfer Station meeting attended by Councilman Ricke. Building permits were discussed.

Motion by Leider, seconded by Eischen, to hire Bob Becker Const. to replace overhead door at shop for \$4046.00. All ayes.

The next regular monthly meeting will be April 5, 2010 at 6:30 p.m. Adjournment was made at 8:09 p.m.

Receipts for February totaled \$20,679.20: General, 4044.19; Library, 118.13; Road Use, 3413.23; Debt Service, 144.30; Trust & Agency, 421.09; Water Utility, 4175.42; Sewer O & M, 3789.35; Garbage Ent. Fund, 4448.49; T/A Deposits, 125.00:

Marla J. Wingert
City Clerk