

City of Quinter
Monday, February 13th, 2023 7:00PM
Regular Council Meeting
City Hall, 202 Gove Street

Governing Body/City Staff Roster

X	Jeremy Blackwill Mayor	X	Daryl Havlas, Rec Director
X	Sue Machen, Council President		Michael Haldeman, Water Operator
X	Kirk Zerr, Council Member		David Stuenkel, Public Works
X	Dan Chupp, Council Member	X	Marissa Haffner, A/P, Utility Clerk
X	Giovani Caasi, Council Member		Lafe Gillespie, Fire Chief
X	Matt Havlas, Council Member		Amy Crist, Pool Director
X	Steve Hirsch, City Attorney		
	Greg Thomas, City Administrator		

Meeting called to order by Mayor Jeremy Blackwill at 7:00PM.

Pledge of Allegiance

Regular Agenda:

MOTION: Council President Machen to Council Member Havlas to approve the amended meeting agenda. Motion carried 3-0.

Guests

Tony Kinderknecht

- Discussed American Legion Baseball for this year. Have 9 kids confirmed in total, 3 Quinter, 2 Wakeeney, 2 Grinnell/Grainfield, 1 Oakley, 1 Park. Council in consensus for Tony to be able to use Quinter ballfields as long as the schedule doesn't interrupt other Quinter teams.

Call to Public

Tim, Jason, Colton, and Hailey Clark

- Discussed his disagreement regarding the ban of himself, Mr. Tim Clark, from all Rec events.

William Roosevelt

- Came in to discuss his disagreement with the City's ordinance enforcement officer, Jan Ackerman, regarding his property.

Ashley Crowley

- Had a concern about the use and disbursement of letters containing the city's letterhead.

Executive Session

MOTION: Machen to Havlas to move into executive session at 7:55PM for 15 minutes to discuss legal matters with the city's attorney. Motion carries 5-0.

Mayor Blackwill asked all guests to leave so the meeting can continue in executive session.

Out of Executive Session at 8:15PM.

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Minutes

Approval of minutes from the regular meeting – January 23rd

MOTION: Havlas to Council Member Zerr to approve the presented meeting minutes. Motion carried 5-0.

Approval of minutes from the special meeting – January 31st

MOTION: Havlas to Council Member Zerr to approve the presented meeting minutes. Motion carried 5-0.

Department Reports:

Daryl Havlas - Rec

Discussion tabled to next meeting.

Executive Session

MOTION: Machen to Zerr to move into executive session at 8:30PM for 15 minutes to discuss non-elected personnel. Motion carries 5-0.

Out of Executive Session at 8:45PM.

Old Business:

Tabled to March 13th meeting.

New Business:

Pay Bills - new bills numbered 10606 to 10641, including all automatic payments.

MOTION: Zerr moves Chupp seconds to pay vouchers 10606 through 10641, all listed automatic payments. Motion carries 5-0.

Charter Ordinance No. 18 & Related Statutes

- Brief discussion about updating and developing multiple charter ordinances and statutes.

Quinter Area Chamber of Commerce Membership

MOTION: Machen moves Caasi seconds continue a full business membership with the Quinter Area Chamber of Commerce. Motion carries 5-0.

QHS Community Scholarship

No motions made.

Generators

- Still in the process of acquiring adequate generators for the previously discussed locations.

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Executive Session:

MOTION: Chupp to Havlas to move into executive session at 9:25PM for 1 hour to discuss non-elected personnel. Motion carries 5-0.

Adjournment:

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

MOTION: Caasi moves Havlas seconds to adjourn the meeting. Motion carries 5-0.

ATTEST:

Mayor, Jeremy Blackwill

Greg Thomas, City Administrator/Clerk