Galesburg City Council

Monday May 5, 2014

Mayor Rick Halvorson, Council Members: Jeff Voltz, Jane Halvorson, Mark Johnson, and Dan Caswell, Citizens: Ken Voltz, and Deborah Nobliski were present.

Financial statements were presented to the council and J.Voltz motioned to approve them and D. Caswell seconded.

Minutes were presented to council, motioned to approve them J. Voltz and D. Caswell seconded.

Bills were presented to the council.

General account: Deborah Nobliski 428.67, Virgil Hamm 46.17, Galesburg Co-Op 40.00, The Meyer Group 1200.00, Traill Treasurer 200.00, Ameripride 54.55

Utility account: Ken Voltz 332.46, Traill Water 979.24, Voltz Fix-it 324.60, Brager 880.00, Traill Water 1183.92, Ferguson 6488.90, and City of Fargo 14.00

J. Voltz motioned to approve the bills and D. Caswell seconded.

Old business: D Nobliski will continue updating the State Template Ordinance book to make it specific to the City of Galesburg.

The new meters have started to be installed. 31meters have been installed so far.

Chapter 11 Animal and Fowl of the ordinance book was discussed. The ordinance will be published when it is enacted. We will have an animal noise ordinance and a license ordinance for animals. The cost for the dog licenses will be minimal. This chapter of the ordinance will be given to the Sheriff’s department to help enforce.

The city council has raised the fees to match the increase that the city is having to pay for utilities. A copy of the ordinance will be placed in everyone’s June bill. J. Voltz and D. Caswell approved the updated ordinance.

New business: Delinquent water bills were discussed. We will start tagging people that are 2 months late.

 There are questions that the council would like answered by Traill Rural Water regarding the Debt Services.

 Gravel will be placed by Galesburg Housing.

 New meter handheld reader will arrive on May 23rd.

With all business concluded the meeting was adjourned with a motion by Johnson and second by J. Halvorson. Our next meeting will be held on June 9th. The city council meeting is the 2nd Monday of the month.

The event rent for the Hall will be $50.00 per event. For Hall rental please leave a message with Deborah Nobliski at 701-488-2780 or email her your request at Deborah.nobliski@gmail.com.

Rick Halvorson, Mayor

Deborah Nobliski, Auditor