

CITY COUNCIL
CITY OF WRAY, COLORADO
AUGUST 13, 2013

The board of council met in Regular Session on August 13, 2013, at 7:30 p.m.

Mayor	Joe Foltmer
Mayor Pro tem	Ronn Akey
Council Members	K.T. Gregg
	Tyler Lightle
	John Willard
	Bernard Hassman
	Jodi Brady
City Manager	Stan Holmes
City Clerk	Ida L. Peery, CMC
City Attorney	Alvin Wall

Call to Order

Mayor Joe Foltmer called the meeting to order and the Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Public Hearing - Wray Volunteer Fire & Rescue, Inc. Special Events Permit

At 7:31 P.M., Mayor Joe Foltmer called to order the public hearing for the Wray Volunteer Fire and Rescue, Inc. Special Events permit for September 21, 2013. The Council was informed that the Wray firemen and parents of the Wray High School Junior Class were sponsoring a cajun boil to benefit the new fire hall and After Prom Party. Proceeds from the alcohol sales will be donated to the new fire hall project, with remaining proceeds to benefit the Junior Class After Prom Party. The event will be held at the fire hall. There were no additional comments from the public or Council members and at 7:35 P.M., Mayor Joe Foltmer closed the public hearing. Council member Tyler Lightle made a motion to approve the Special Events Permit for the Wray Volunteer Fire Department for September 21, 2013. The motion was seconded and passed with six supporting votes. Council member K.T. Gregg opposed the motion.

Public Hearing - Wray County Club, Inc. Optional Premises License

At 7:35 P.M., Mayor Joe Foltmer opened the public hearing for the Wray Country Club, Inc Optional Premises License. The Council was advised that the Optional Premises License would allow 6% alcohol on the golf course. The existing license allows 3.2% beer to be sold at the clubhouse. The Council was presented with the Retail License application and Exhibits A and B. With no additional comments from the public or Council members, at 7:40 P.M, Mayor Joe Foltmer closed the public hearing. Council member Tyler Lightle made a motion to approve the Optional Premises License for the Wray Country Club, Inc. The motion was seconded and passed with six supporting votes. Council member K.T. Gregg opposed the motion.

Minutes

Council member Ronn Akey made a motion to approve the July 9, 2013 minutes as amended. The motion was seconded and passed with six supporting votes. Council member Jodi Brady abstained from the vote.

Council member Tyler Lightle made a motion to approve the July 22, 2013 Minutes as presented. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

Bret Anderson - Fire Hall Project

Bret Anderson provided an update on the new fire hall project and advised of current issues with selecting a design firm.

Manager's Report

City Manager Stan Holmes presented a written monthly Manager's Report. The Council was informed of a decrease in the city's cash balance from June of 2012 due to expenses for improvements to infrastructure, Baker Field, and the Wray Aquatic Center.

The Council was given updates on the transition from Y-W and Tri-State Electric to MEAN, the airport runway grant, and the building purchase for the Museum. City Manager Stan Holmes also advised that data regarding the sewer pilot project had been submitted to the State.

Police Report

Chief Adam Srsen presented a written monthly Police Report and provided information relating to the offense of driving under the influence of drugs. The Council was presented with the July calls for service report.

Public Works Report

Public Works Director Gail Wheaton presented a written monthly Public Works Report.

Recreation Report

Recreation Director Brad Weese presented a written monthly Recreation Report and advised of winterization and maintenance at the Aquatic Center.

Approval of Bills

Council member Tyler Lightle made a motion to approve the Accounts Payable Report in the amount of \$474,083.54. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

Consent Agenda

Council member John Willard made a motion to approve the Consent Agenda of 06-2013 Resolution Supplemental Budget and Appropriation. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

Ordinance Curfew - Ordinance Minor in Possession - Discussion

Revisions to Curfew and Minor in Possession Ordinances will be placed on the September agenda.

Committee Reports

City Clerk Ida Peery gave an update on petitions for Council member election and the Council discussed the City's web page.

Council member Butch Hassman provided an update on the Planning Commissions discussions regarding the 56 tower wind farm to be constructed northeast of Wray.

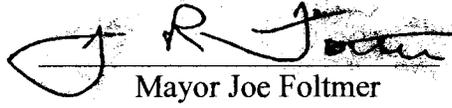
The Council discussed possible ordinances to address the problem of homes in extremely poor condition that have resulted in an increase of rodent population.

Council member K.T. Gregg made a motion to include an invocation at the beginning of each Council Meeting. The motion was seconded and the issue of separation of church and state was discussed. The motion was defeated with four opposing votes from Mayor Joe Foltmer and Council members Butch Hassman, Ronn Akey, and Tyler Lightle. Council members K.T. Gregg, Jodi Brady, and John Willard supported the motion.

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Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 9:00 P.M.



Mayor Joe Foltmer

ATTEST



City Clerk Ida L. Peery, CMC