

CITY COUNCIL
CITY OF WRAY, COLORADO
JULY 8, 2014

The board of council met in Regular Session on July 8, 2014, at 7:30 p.m.

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

Call to Order

Mayor Pro tem Ronn Akey called the meeting to order and the Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Presentation CML Fundamental Level of MUNiversity Plaque - Ronn Akey

City Manager James DePue presented Council member Ronn Akey with the CML Fundamental Level of MUNiversity Plaque.

Minutes

Council member Tyler Lightle made a motion to approve the June 10, 2014 Council Minutes as presented. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

Rachel Long - Verizon Wireless - Proposal Telecommunications Facility

Rachel Long, representing Verizon Wireless, addressed the Council regarding a project to install a new Verizon Wireless telecommunications facility to provide improved cell phone service to the City of Wray. Long explained that the project involved installing a new 150 foot tower and possible locations were discussed. Mayor Pro tem Ronn Akey explained that Viaero Wireless had previously presented a plan to the Council to build a new tower at the Emerson Street water tower location and recommended that optional locations be researched and more detailed information be presented to the Council.

Wray Volunteer Fire Department - Wray Wrocks Concert - Wray Amphitheatre

On behalf of the Wray Volunteer Fire Department, Bret Anderson and Cliff Merritt asked the Council for permission to use the Wray Amphitheatre on September 13, 2014 to host the Wray Wrocks Concert that was cancelled due to rain in June. City Clerk Ida Peery explained that a Public Hearing would be scheduled in August to review the Special Events Application. Council member Tyler Lightle made a motion to approve the request from the Wray Volunteer Fire Department to use the Wray Amphitheatre for the Wray Wrocks Concert on September 13, 2014. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously. Brett Anderson provided an update on the Fire Hall building project.

Manager's Report

City Manager James DePue presented a written monthly Manager's Report. An explanation was given for the increase in ambulance calls and the reasoning behind the decision to close the library on Fridays during the month of July.

Manager's Report Continued

Improvements and repairs to the plaza area on Main Street were discussed. The Council also discussed the Capital Project Plan and the request for proposals for the lease purchase of a sanitation truck. City Manager James Depue informed the Council of a meeting scheduled by the Yuma County Economic Development Corporation in Eckley on July 17th to discuss the impact of SB152 on rural broadband expansion. The meeting would involve Wray Council Members, Yuma Council Members, Yuma County Commissioners, and YCEDC Broadband Taskforce Members.

Finance Report

The Council was presented with the monthly Finance Report to review.

Approval of Bills

Council member Tyler Lightle made a motion to approve the Accounts Payable Report in the amount of \$400,981.46. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

Consent Agenda

Council member Tyler Lightle made a motion to approve the Consent Agenda consisting of Resolution 08-2014-Authorization Deposit Bags Pickup and Resolution 09-2014-FAA Grant Acceptance Airport Master Plan. The motion was seconded and passed unanimously.

1st Reading - Ordinance #582 - Public Nuisance

Tabled

City Manager's Job description Approval

Tabled

Kitzmiller Bales Trust - Request Funding for Future Projects

Council member Tyler Lightle made a motion to approve the letter written by City Manager James DePue requesting to meet with the Kitzmiller-Bales Trustees to discuss future funding for prioritized projects.

Committee Reports

Council member Bernard Hassman presented a Planning Committee Report advising of a storage container variance issued to a citizen.

Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 8:40 P.M.



Mayor Pro tem Ronn Akey

ATTEST



City Clerk Ida L. Peery, CMC