**STATED MINUTES OF REGULAR MEETING OF GALENA, MO**

**CITY COUNCIL ON APRIL 14, 2025**

**CALL MEETING TO ORDER**: Fred Barela calls the meeting to order at 5pm.

**1st ROLL CALL.**

**COUNCIL MEMBERS PRESENT:** Claire Beyer, Deana Wells, Amanda Parton.

**EMPLOYEES PRESENT**: Carmen Malloy, Rick McCrea, and Trevor Johnson.

**2ND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:**

**3rd CURT RHODES**

Mr. Rhodes addresses the council with information on tree cleanup at the park.

**4th**. **NEW BUSINESS:**

1. **Election Results:** Hasn’t been certified tabled till next meeting.
2. Personnel
3. Letter of Resignation Amanda makes a motion to accept, Claire 2nds all in favor Amanda yes, Claire yes and Deana yes.
4. Deana makes a motion to have Tina removed from all bank accounts and to terminate her health insurance all in favor.

Amanda yes, Deana yes and Claire yes.

1. Open Clerk Position: Deana makes a motion to advertise for a City Clerk 30 hours max. Deana yes, Amanda yes and Claire yes.
2. Peace Disturbance Ordinance: Officer McCrea addresses the council. Tabled till next meeting.
3. Tree Treeing at the park: Deana makes a motion to spend $2250.00 for tree removal at the park, Claire 2nds and Amanda yes.
4. Water access from the park: After some discussion item tabled till the next meeting.
5. Gazebo: Tabled
6. New Mower – City of Marionville- Deana makes a motion to purchase a Bad Boy mower from The City of Marionville for $2500.00, Claire 2nds and Amanda yes.
7. Stop sign at 4th and Carr: Already re-installed.
8. City Equipment:
9. Pump Truck: Tabled
10. One Ton: Informational no motions.
11. John Deere mower: New Spindles ordered.
12. Ordinance Enforcement Officer: Deana makes a motion to have Trevor’s duties include ordinance enforcement 1 day a week, Amanda 2nds and Claire yes.

5**th. OLD BUSINESS:**

1. **Y-Bridge Campaign**
2. Council thanks Curt & Anna Rhodes for the sign donation and installation.
3. Install signs: More posts are needed.
4. Welcome to Galena sign: Tabled
5. Springfield Striping & Sealing Bids: Tabled
6. Lift Station pumps: Tabled
7. Sewer plant fence: Tabled
8. Spillway at Sewer Plant: Deana makes a motion to accept bid from Curt Rhodes for spillway repair, Amanda yes and Claire yes.
9. Undeveloped Plated Streets/ Unused Alleyways: Tabled
10. Independence Day Celebration: Amanda makes a motion to move celebration back to the city park, Deana 2nds and Claire yes. Curt Rhodes has volunteered to cook catfish if the city will purchase the fish. Discussion about fundraiser letter and donation receipt, food trucks and activities.

**6TH BILLS AND FINANCE:**

Deana Wells makes a motion to pay the bills, Amanda Parton 2nd. All in favor. Motion carried.

**7TH APPROVE MINUTES FROM 3-18-2025:**

Deana Wells makes a motion to approve meeting minutes from 3/18/2025. Claire Beyer 2nd. All in favor. Motion carried.

Deana makes a motion to go into closed session @ 6:15, Amanda 2nds and Claire yes.

At 6:30 Deana makes a motion to come out of closed, Claire 2nd and Amanda yes.

**8TH VOTE TO ADJOURN:** Amanda Parton makes a motion to adjourn. Claire Beyer 2nd. All in favor. Motion carried.

Meeting Adjourned at 6:30 pm.