

A Worksession of the City Council was held at City Hall, 200 S. Main Street, on Monday, September 18, 2017, at 5:00 p.m.

Present were Mayor Platte and Councilpersons Burke, Harri, McGee and Colestock. None were absent.

Administrative Staff Present was City Manager Jon Stoppels, City Treasurer Marri Jo Carr, Building Official LeRoy Hummel, Police Chief Larry Weeks, Quality of Life Director Troy Stowell, Fire Chief Roger McNutt, Library Director Anna Curtis and City Clerk Kristy Reinecke.

Purpose of the meeting was a worksession. Notice of the meeting was duly given.

Public Comments:

None.

Department Head Reports: Police Chief Weeks reported on the Build-A-Bear Donation that the Department had received; Councilman McGee inquired about the Building Official's report regarding 208 King Street. Building Official Hummel stated it was the same individuals who had inquired before, but were just getting ready for the second round of grant opportunities.

New Business Topics of Discussion were:

City Clerk Reinecke reviewed with Council that Halloween was on a Tuesday this year and the hours for the event would remain the same from 6:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. with the Fire Siren Signaling the start and end times. Councilman Burke requested that the Irish Down Subdivision area be closed again as it had been in the past. Police Chief Weeks stated that he will work this out with the CERT Team as well as his staff. This item will appear on the September 25th Agenda for Council consideration.

Quality of Life Director Stowell reviewed with Council that the Main Street Trick-or-Treat event was being scheduled for Wednesday, October 25th, with a rain date of Thursday, October 26th, with the event being from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Council talked about the traffic issue and it was discussed about having people stationed at the crosswalks on Hamlin Court to assist with pedestrians. This item will appear on the September 25th Agenda for Council consideration.

City Manager Stoppels reviewed with Council the Fall Yard Waste hours. City Manager Stoppels stated that currently the hours are Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday from 8:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. City Manager Stoppels stated that the City has now added the curbside leaf pick-up program that will be implemented this Fall and wondered if hours for the Yard Waste needed to be extended. After discussion, it was the consensus of the Council to have Fall Yard Waste Hours be Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday from 8:00 a.m. until 7:00 p.m. from October 1st through November 30th.

Old Business Topics of Discussion were:

None.

Informational Updates:

None.

Public Comments:

None.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:16 p.m.

Steven G. Platte, Mayor

Kristy Reinecke, City Clerk