

**Minutes  
Partridge City Council Meeting  
March 2, 2023**

Council members present: Rick Smith, Brett Lawson, Dale Conkling, Ray Davis.

City Employees present: Debbie Fountain, Bryan Knox.

**Guest Present:** Karl Kocher, Rosemary Saunders, Larry Kleeman, Clint Hobbs.

Mayor Smith called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

Public Hearing was opened at 7:00 pm

Rosemary published the notice of hearing in the Mount Hope Clarion. The CDBG application is due by May 1, 2023. Clint Hobbs explained the drawings for the library/community center to council and guests.

Public Hearing is closed.

Motion by Lawson, seconded by Davis to adopt resolution R04/2023 certifying Legal Authority to apply for CDBG Grant Program. Motion passed.

Motion by Lawson, seconded by Davis to adopt resolution R04/2023-1 assuring Kansas Dept of Commerce that funds will be continually provided for the operation and maintenance of improvements. Motion passed.

Larry Kleeman discussed finance on the City Match.

Motion by Lawson, seconded by Davis to adopt Charter Ordinance C04/2023 exempting the City from provisions of KSA 12-1767 relating to public building commissions and revenue bonds. Motion passed.

Motion by Davis, seconded by Conkling to approve the minutes of the March 2, 2023. Motion passed.

Motion by Conkling, seconded by Lawson to approve the bills. Motion passed.

Ranson Financial Grant Writing Proposal

Motion by Davis, seconded by Conkling to approve the Ranson Financial grant writing proposal. Motion passed.

**Maintenance Report**

Knox asked about the banners that council had approved in February. Motion by Lawson, seconded by Davis to purchase 4 sunflower banners. Motion passed. Knox will start fogging for mosquitos. He would like to purchase cameras for the dump site. Motion by Davis, seconded by Conkling to have Knox and Eash get some prices on trail cams and report back to council. Motion passed. Knox asked about Spring cleanup Dumpsters. It was consensus to do it the last weekend of April.

### **Old Business**

### **New Business**

### **Open to the Public**

Motion by Lawson, seconded by Davis to adjourn at 8:00 pm. Motion passed.