

City Council-Commissioners Minutes

November 27, 2017

CALL TO ORDER

Attendee	Title	Status
Sam Barone	First Ward	Present
John Francis	Second Ward	Present
Nancy Vail	Third Ward	Present
John Fair	Fourth Ward	Present
Susan Kahrl	At-Large	Present
Janis Seavolt	At Large	Present
John Booth	At-Large	Present
Bruce Hawkins	President	Present

Others in Attendance: Matt Starr, Chris Menapace, Samantha Scoles, Jeff Gottke, Jason Booth, Thom Collier, Teresa Bemiller, John Pyle, Chip McConville, Rob Broeren, Mayor Mavis, Terry Scott, Cheryl Splain, Joel Daniels, Chuck Martin, Sheriff Shafer.

JAIL CONTRACT

Discussion took place regarding the jail contract. The following items were discussed pertaining to the jail contract:

- The possibility of a 3-year contract
- Charging under state code
- A \$300,000 loss for the county if a contract isn't in place
- 60% of the bookings in the jail come from the city
- Look at a 6-month arrangement for now

COMMENTS REGARDING FUTURE JOINT MEETINGS

John Booth made a statement that he hopes to see the joint meeting between the city and the county continue. There was a time when these meetings didn't exist and when he was President of Council he recommended these meetings and he is thrilled to see that they have continued over time. He feels that is important that the city and county come together and continue to work together.

CROSSWALKS

The Mayor brought attention to the possible need for a crosswalk on High Street in front of the courthouse. The Mayor received a phone call from Judge Wetzel stating that he nearly witnessed a pedestrian being struck by a vehicle coming out to cross the road from the courthouse. Discussion took place regarding the placement of some sort of lighted crosswalk sign or something.

PUBLIC PORTION

ADJOURN

The meeting was adjourned at 6:51 p.m.

Bruce E. Hawkins, President of Council

Tanya Newell, Clerk of Council

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