

Motion by Cummins to approve the beer license and Sunday sales application for Casey's. Seconded by Dukes. Carried unanimously.

After a review of Shawn Tipling's probationary period, a motion was made by Cummins to raise his wage 5%. Seconded by Glassell. Carried unanimously.

Departmental reports were given.

Craig informed the Council that a street sweeper is for sale from the City of Greenfield. Craig is to see if Fontanelle can look at it and see how well it runs.

A different dump truck was discussed. The possibility of retrofitting pump is to be looked into.

Dredging the water plant lagoon will be necessary.

Christmas decorations need to be ordered if new ones are wanted.

The Parkis subdivision plans were received. The water and sewer will be started on as soon as materials arrive. DGR will do the electric plans.

The well driller will be here tomorrow.

The new pump has not been installed yet.

A tube is needed at Jim Warrior's drive. Craig will discuss putting one in with Jim. Also, another citizen is still burning trash in the City's street tube.

Craig's cellphone will be upgraded and his plan will go to 500 minutes. A cellphone will be gotten for the police department.

A street light pole was hit and needs reset further north.

Brian presented his report.

Brian would like the City frequency installed in the portable radio and also in the car radio.

If some one drops out, Brian can attend the academy in January.

Insurance was discussed. The rates were raised. Lois and Craig are to check premium costs if the deductible is raised to \$250. Also, to check other insurance costs.

Complaints on barking dogs were passed on to the police department.

Naming a new street was discussed.

Craig is to check into contracting propane for the well.

Motion by Cummins to adjourn. Seconded by Jaschke. Carried unanimously.

*Lois Ehrenfried*

*R. Scott Homan*

R. Scott Homan, Mayor

Attest: Lois Ehrenfried, City Clerk

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City of Fontanelle  
September 25, 2000

The Fontanelle City Council met in special session on Sept. 25, 2000, at City Hall at 7:00 p.m. with Mayor Homan calling the meeting to order. Council members present were: Cummins, Sickles, Jaschke and Glassell. Absent: Dukes.

Motion by Cummins to approve the agenda. Seconded by Glassell. Carried unanimously.

The Mayor convened a Public Hearing to receive input on a proposed resolution to approve the financial report for the municipal street and parking for the city for the fiscal year 1999/2000. Motion by Cummins to adopt this resolution. Seconded by Jaschke. Roll was called and the following voted:

AYES: Cummins, Sickles, Jaschke, Glassell

NAYS: None.

Whereupon, the Mayor declared the resolution duly adopted as:  
RESOLUTION 2000.17

A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE FINANCIAL REPORT FOR THE MUNICIPAL STREET AND PARKING FOR THE CITY OF FONTANELLE FOR THE YEAR 1999/2000.

West Central I-80 Development Corp. has requested a letter of support from the City for a 2000 IDED Grant Application. Motion by Jaschke to not send a support letter. Seconded by Glassell. Carried unanimously. Lois is to draft a letter to WCI-80DC explaining why the City will not send a letter of support.

Motion by Cummins to have the Mayor sign the request for payment forms. Seconded by Glassell. Carried unanimously.

The street committee cannot get together to view the Greenfield street sweeper. They will have to look at it separately.

There was discussion on cleaning out the water plant's backwash holding pit.

Motion by Sickles to adjourn. Seconded by Jaschke. Carried unanimously.

*Lois Ehrenfried*

*R. Scott Homan*  
R. Scott Homan, Mayor

Attest: Lois Ehrenfried, City Clerk

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City of Fontanelle

October 9, 2000

The Fontanelle City Council met in regular session on October 9, 2000, at 7:00 p.m. at Fontanelle City Hall with Mayor Homan calling the meeting to order. Council members present were: Dukes, Glassell, Jaschke, Sickles and Cummins. Absent: None.

Mayor Homan amended the agenda by adding WCI-80DC after Departmental Reports. Motion by Cummins to approve the amended agenda. Seconded by Glassell. Carried unanimously.

Steve Jensen, the attorney for Dennis Parkis, presented a corrected resolution to take the place of Resolution 2000.12. Motion by Cummins to adopt the proposed resolution. Seconded by Jaschke. Carried unanimously. Whereupon, the Mayor proclaimed the resolution duly adopted as:

RESOLUTION 2000.18

Randy Marchant, Adair County Chief Deputy, attended the meeting to entertain questions pertaining to the bill for paying the posse members for their time during RAGBRAI. Tammy Cass, co-chairperson of the RAGBRAI committee, asked some questions of Deputy Marchant. In the future, the posse is to check with organizers and make them aware that there will be an hourly charge. Motion by Cummins to split the posse bill with the RAGBRAI committee. Seconded by Glassell. Carried unanimously.

Loyal Goff attended to ask that something be done to the south side of Maple St. in front of his property. The water stands and is breaking up the street. Craig was instructed to look over the situation and determine if an inlet is needed at the low point or if raising the drainage area to above the street would work. Also, Mr. Goff asked if the Council had any suggestions to get rid of the birds that cause problems at roosting time. He had put in a call to the DNR about traps, but had received no answer.

Mr. Goff informed the Council about abuses to the recycling bins on the City lot what he had seen. He suggested that the Council remove the bins and stop the recycling if the abuses aren't stopped.

An open well on a property was discussed. Motion by Cummins to put a top on said well and send the property owner a bill for same. Seconded by Sickles. Carried unanimously.

Dave Bauer with H R Green, presented the report on the water quality of the test well. It pumps 100 gallans per minute but is very high in sulfate. An ion exchange is the best way to remove sulfate, so the water plant would need to be enlarged and remodeled to include this process. Mr. Bauer will get a ballpark figure for the cost of including this process and also for blending some of the water with our existing water.

Tim Ostroski with SICOG will be sending a letter to the City for the Mayor's signature, requesting extra funds from the State for the sewer project. Mr. Ostroski also discussed the housing rehabilitation program. He will bring some of the pre-application forms to City Hall to be mailed out to Fontanelle citizens. These forms are to determine how many households would use this program. Motion by Glassell to go forward with the housing rehabilitation program and have the pre-applications sent out. Seconded by Dukes. Carried unanimously.

Next Mr. Ostroski discussed tax abatement with the Council. The effective date should probably be the date the ordinance was passed and adopted. It would be for residential and commercial customers. The abatement includes remodeling as well as new construction.

Requirements for a street tube for Stacie Christensen was discussed. She would like to go smaller than a 22 foot tube. Craig is to get the County Engineers recommendation but the Council feels nothing smaller than an 18 foot tube should be allowed.

Motion by Jaschke to approve the minutes. Seconded by Sickles. Carried unanimously.

Motion by Cummins to approve the Clerk's report. Seconded by Dukes. Carried unanimously.

Motion by Dukes to approve the bills for payment. Seconded by Glassell. Carried unanimously.