

City of Lodi
Special Common Council Meeting
Minutes –July 26, 2022

Present: Alderpersons Stevenson, Goethel (virtual), Hansen, Ripp, Strasser (virtual), Tonn (virtual).
Mayor Groves Lloyd

Staff Present: Brenda Ayers, Chad Wolter, Dan Markart

Others Present: Jonathon Stefonek, Lodi Enterprise

Mayor Groves Lloyd called the meeting to order at 4:00 PM in the Council Room at City Hall, 130 S Main, Lodi.

Roll call was taken – Hansen, Stevenson, Ripp, Tonn (Virtual), Goethel (virtual), Strasser (virtual) were present.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Mayor Groves Lloyd skipped the meeting etiquette since there were no members of the public signed up for public input.

Discussion and Possible Action Regarding Increase in Vac Truck Purchase Price. Ayers reported on her conversation with Tom Poole of Brown Equipment. It was reported that the company delayed price increases as long as they could. The manufacturers are increasing their prices which in turn has caused Brown Equipment to increase their prices. In April Poole gave the Director of Operations a heads up that the price will increase but was not able to provide a definitive amount until recently.

MOTION (Stevenson, Hansen) to move forward with the purchase of the vac truck at a price of \$496,942.84. Concerns were expressed regarding safeguarding from similar events in the future. It was noted that the City has owned the vac truck for 25 years and it was at the end of its life. It was further noted that the City did its due diligence by contacting the supplier to see if there was room for negotiation on the price. Roll call vote- Aye (Stevenson, Hansen, Ripp, Tonn Goethel, Strasser); Nay (0) Motion carried.

Next Meeting Date. Tuesday, August 16, 2022 at 6 p.m.

Adjourn. MOTION (Hansen, Stevenson) to adjourn. Voice vote- all ayes. Meeting adjourned at 4:17 p.m.

Minutes by Brenda Ayers, City Clerk