

Kimball City Council
Regular Meeting
April 21, 2020

A regular meeting of the Mayor and City Council was convened in open and public session at 6:00 p.m. on April 21, 2020. Pursuant to Governor's Executive Order 20-03, Mayor Prunty and Council member Shields were physically present. Council members Baliman, Bright and Pike attended via Zoom meeting ID #433 584 148. Also present via Zoom were City Administrator Dean, City Treasurer Brower, and City Clerk Terrill. The public was represented.

Notice of the meeting was given in advance by publication in the Western Nebraska Observer. Notice of the meeting was given to the members and a copy of their acknowledgement of receipt of notice and the agenda is on record at the office of the City Clerk. Availability of the agenda was communicated in advance notice and in the notice to the members. All proceedings hereafter shown were taken while the convened meeting was open to the attendance of the public except as otherwise indicated.

Prunty called the meeting to order at 6:02 p.m. On roll call the following votes were recorded. Aye: Baliman, Pike, Bright and Shields. Nay: None. Absent: None. Motion carried. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited. Prunty acknowledged the posted Open Meetings Act and a copy was provided in the Zoom meeting chat box.

Prunty opened the public hearing at 6:04 p.m. for the application for a Class IB (Beer, wine, distilled spirits on sale, beer off sale only) liquor license for The Sagebrush, LLC dba The Sagebrush, 615 E. 3rd St., Kimball, NE. Hadenfeldt addressed page three of the application that states Hadenfeldt assisted in the completion of the application. Hadenfeldt advised Council that he did not aid in completing the application. He also noted that page five asks for a previous liquor license number and that it appears that someone wrote that number in. There being no further discussion, Prunty closed the public hearing at 6:08 p.m. Baliman moved and seconded by Bright to approve the application for a Class IB liquor license for The Sagebrush, LLC dba The Sagebrush, 615 E. 3rd St., Kimball, NE. On roll call the following votes were recorded. Aye: Baliman, Pike, Bright and Shields. Nay: None. Absent: None. Motion carried.

Prunty opened discussion to consider recommendation from Citizen's Advisory Committee to set a time restriction of 120 days from date of completion on grant applications. Dean advised the Council that the Committee had a meeting earlier in the day and recommended setting the time restriction on all grant applications. Baliman moved and seconded by Pike to approve the recommendation from the Citizen's Advisory Committee to set a time restriction of 120 days from the date of completion on grant applications. On roll call the following votes were recorded. Aye: Baliman, Pike, Bright and Shields. Nay: None. Absent: None. Motion carried.

Prunty opened discussion on Resolution 2020-04. Prunty advised this Resolution 2020-04 is requesting permission to close a portion of highway 30 from 7:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. on May 8, 2020 to allow for a mobile graduation parade for the 2020 Kimball Senior Class. Prunty added that he has contacted Doug Hoevet with Nebraska Department of Transportation and he has approved the temporary closure but there needs to be a resolution. Prunty advised that the Kimball Kiwanis Club is organizing the parade for

the Kimball graduates that are not able to have a ceremony due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Bright moved and seconded by Shields to approve Resolution 2020-04, allowing a portion of Highway 30 to be closed on May 8, 2020 from 7:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. for a mobile graduation parade for the 2020 Kimball Senior Class. On roll call the following votes were recorded. Aye: Baliman, Pike, Bright and Shields. Nay: None. Absent: None. Motion carried.

The City Council reviewed the following items under the consent agenda: (1) Minutes from the regular City Council meeting March 12, 2020; (2) Claims; (3) Financial Statements. Baliman moved and seconded by Pike to approve the consent agenda as presented. On roll call the following votes were recorded. Aye: Baliman, Pike, Bright and Shields. Nay: None. Absent: None. Motion carried.

Administrators Report: Dean advised the Council that the Board of Public works approved a 5% COVID-19 Disaster Relief on all utility bills. He went on to say that the Board will discuss continuing this for another month during their next meeting. Dean advised that interviews have been held for the Library Director's position.

Mayors Report: Prunty advised that applications for the Administrator position have been put on hold. He added that the top four applicants have been selected. Prunty stated that those applicants will be contacted.

Dean thanked the Council and residents for allowing him to serve the City of Kimball for the last three years.

Next regular meeting will be held May 19, 2020 at 6:00 p.m. There being no further business, Bright moved and seconded by Baliman to adjourn the meeting at 6:17 p.m. On roll call the following votes were recorded. Aye: Baliman, Pike, Bright and Shields. Nay: None. Absent: None. Motion carried.

Keith B. Prunty, Mayor

Katherine Terrill, City Clerk