City of Bromley

City Council Meeting

Wednesday August 9, 2023

The City of Bromley met in a regular session on Wednesday August 9, 2023 @ 6pm, with a pledge to the flag and Mayor Denham presiding.

Roll Call- Council members present: Mike Kendall, Dave Radford, Dianne Wartman, Gail Smith, ABSENT Andrew Clift.

Call to Order- Staff present: Kim Vocke City Attorney, Chief of Police Cody Stanley, Brittany Hinzman City Clerk, Bob France. ABSENT- Fire Chief Mike Steward.

Approval of Minutes- Gail Smith motion to approve, Dave Radford second, all in favor YES.

Citizen Report- Zak Kordenbrock- thank you for confronting the guy going door to door and making people uncomfortable. Keith Williams- "can the city festival be held by fire dept in an effort to offset the proposed 18% Fire Dept contract increase?" Mike Kendall- fire dept festival held festival on their own, and the funds went to fire dept, the block party festival funds go back toward festival growth, and scholarships as time and growth progresses, as well as back to the city for infrastructure. Kim Vocke- the city did not have anything to do with festival, the Ludlow fire dept would have to choose to have festival at their discretion within the city of Bromley. Funds delegation is up to the festival planners and organizers, not the city. Mike Roseberry- 305 MAIN ST RE: to improve property to make livable. Liens to be reviewed and per Kim Vocke lien code of ordinance to be followed per due process in order to request lien forgiveness. Liens at this time equate to over \$30k. Gail Smith to address and obtain totals, no decision made until further determination.

PDS – Gail Smith, z-21 is complete and representative will be present in September to present explanation of changes and updates, those of which will require 3 new ordinances to make consistent with new z-21 guidelines. Proactive Blitz lead to awareness of 18 new violations. 305 main street rodent control is \$885 and additional time paid to public works for cleaning up property.

Police Chief- Cody Stanley (full report may be obtained per request) Uptake in special area checks, Police dept moved to 1502 Dixie Highway.

Fire Chief- ABSENT (full report may be obtained upon request)

Hall Committee- Dianne Wartman, work has begun on pressure washing patio and around city building, weeding, gutter cleaning and pavilion. There cannot be a gate installed in the back due to a drop off and additional steps would need to be installed. Estimate for steps or options for steps and gate design/ safety. Mayor- wood behind city building and leading to Shelby Street, to be hauled away.

Roads- Dave Radford, pending DUKE scheduling for street light replacements, invoices have been submitted. Quotes being obtained for new curbs from Shelby to Main, heavy amounts of water being trapped, design will be required to assist with water runoff. Municipal Aide KRS requires hearing for discussion of road improvements, Gall Smith- when are speed bumps to be installed? Rubber with stakes to be installed once assessed per best most effective and efficient placement and installment. Municipal Aide hearing required by law and therefore opened by Dave Radford, no input provided on use of the finds, Dave Radford closed hearing.

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Old Business- Mike Kendall- Plumbers got permit, and walls/ platform being installed for water heater, job continues to progress. Frank Wartman came out to help with metal door installment. Thank you, Frank.

Communications- Is there a requirement for business hours to be posted for patron awareness? To be determined per ABC Administration.

Bills-Motion to pay bills, Tim Wartman first, Gail Smith second, all in favor YES.

Motion to Adjourn- Gail Smith first, Dave Radford second, all in favor YES.

Meeting adjourned – 7:23 pm.

Mayor Mit Dente City Clerk Britfard Hingman