

PROCEEDINGS: Fremont

CITY OF FREMONT, IOWA
Meeting Minutes
May 20, 2019

The Fremont City Council met in special session Monday, May 20, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. with Mayor John VanZante presiding.

Council members present were James Howrey, Brent Swearingen, and Max Marlin. Ken Long was absent.

Guest present: Phil Brown, Jackie Perkins, Paul Versteegh, Kevin Muell, Jim Jager, Paul Fynaardt and Charles Oldham with Harrison Township. Carroll Hol with White Oak Township. Ron Reed, Paul Weiland, Jenny VanZante and Loren Bolkema with Cedar Township. Andrew Ritland Mahaska County Attorney. Jesse Sanders with Mahaska County Sheriff's Department.

Mahaska County Attorney, Andrew Ritland spoke to the council in regards to the separate 28E agreements for fire protection and financing of a fire station. He explained the contracts and answered questions.

Swearingen made a motion to approve the 28E Agreement and contract for financing of a fire station between Cedar Township and the City of Fremont. Howrey seconded. Ayes: Howrey, Marlin, Swearingen.

Swearingen made a motion to approve the 28E Agreement and contract for fire protection services between Cedar Township and the City of Fremont. Howrey seconded. Ayes: Howrey, Marlin, Swearingen.

Public Works Bruce Caves has been working on the storm drain on East Main. Council discussed possible options to try.

No additional information regarding the post office.

No additional information regarding the

asbestos testing at 120 East Main. Swearingen contacted Midwest Sanitation in regards to prices of roll offs. Howrey contact LDI regarding roll offs. This will be back on the agenda next month.

No decisions were made on the open burning Ordinance. This will be back on the agenda June 3, 2019.

The Planning and Zoning Committee gave their recommendation to the City Council regarding selling Dodge Drive (Paper Street) between 415 N Miles and 411 N Miles. Council will review this further at June 3, 2019 meeting.

Swearingen talked to Rich Keasling regarding to changing his property at 3313 Highway 23 from residential to commercial. He prefer to keep the property residential. Clerk will look up the pass information regarding what was said at the council meetings regarding this property.

Curb at West side of North Cumberland that it does not accommodate a wheelchair and a list of how many other areas that are like this, will be on the June 3, 2019 agenda.

Caves will get a quote on the fence for the lagoons this week.

Council reviewed the invite to Mahaska County Environmental Learning Center at Caldwell Park.

Howrey made a motion to approve the building permit for fence at 316 North Harrison. Swearingen seconded. Ayes: Swearingen, Marlin, Howrey.

Swearingen made a motioned to adjourn, seconded by Howrey. Ayes: Howrey, Swearingen, Marlin. Meeting adjourned at 8:45 p.m.

Signed, John VanZante, Mayor
Attest, Nancy Reed, City Clerk

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