

The Eldon City Council met in regular session on October 11, 2022 at Eldon City Hall with Mayor Potts presiding. Council members answering roll call were Tom Bedford, Carl Culp, Brandon Potts, David Showman, and Stacey Doree. The meeting was called to order at 5:30pm.

Motion by Showman to authorize the agenda, second by Doree, all aye, motion carried.

Motion by Potts to authorize regular meeting minutes September 13, 2022, second by Culp, all aye, motion carried.

Motion by Showman to authorize the bills, second by Potts, all aye, motion carried.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS –
Matt Greiner left election material for the council.

Motion by Doree to authorize a fence variance for 709 Elm Street, second by Culp, all aye, motion carried.

Motion by Potts to forgive sewer charges for 309 KD North due to a water leak, second by Showman, all aye, motion carried.

Motion by Showman to forgive sewer charges for 2797 Hwy 918 due to a water leak, second by Potts, all aye, motion carried.

City Clerk – No report.

Public Works – Jerred Reed updated the council on projects the public works department is working on.

Wapello County Law Enforcement – A written report was received. Marty Wonderlin was present.

Library – A written report was received.

Engineer – No report. Discussion was held on the dredging of the lagoons and the grant requirements. A special meeting has been set for October 25th at 5:30.

Gothic Visitors Center – A written report was received. Cari Nicely was present to update the council on the grant for the new building. The council will authorize a letter of support on October 25th.

Fire Department – Discussion was held on the fire department burning a home at 5254 Ashland Road. Motion by Potts to allow the training fire, second by Doree, Bedford yes, Culp yes, Showman opposed, motion carried.

Cemetery – No report.

Trails/Parks – No report.

Eldon Athletics – No report.

Old Business – Ryan Mitchell updated the council on nuisance properties.

New Business – Discussion was held on wages and benefits for FY24. Ryan Mitchell will research options for the employee handbook.

Public Forum – None.

Council Discussion – None.

Motion by Doree to adjourn, second by Showman, all aye, motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 6:14pm.

Attest: Carrie Teninty