A REGULAR MEETING OF THE OGLESBY CITY COUNCIL WAS HELD ON MONDAY , SEPTEMBER 20 2021 AT CITY HALL. THE MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER AT 7:00 P.M.

PRESENT: COMMISSIONERS ARGUBRIGHT, CULLINAN, CURRAN, LIJEWSKI, MAYOR RIVARA, ATTORNEY BARRY AND CITY CLERK EITUTIS

A MOTION WAS MADE BY LIJEWSKI SECONDED BY ARGUBRIGHT to approve the regular meeting minutes from September 7, 2021. AYES: ARGUBRIGHT, CULLINAN, CURRAN, LIJEWSKI AND RIVARA.

Public comments on agenda items only: none

A MOTION WAS MADE BY ARGUBRIGHT SECONDED BY CURRAN to approve bills as presented for payment. AYES: ARGUBRIGHT, CULLINAN, CURRAN, LIJEWSKI, RIVARA.

**ACUITY $350.00; AIRGAS $ 48.56; AMEREN IP $ 1,068.95; APLINGTON, KAUFMAN, MCCLINTOCK, STEELE & BARRY $ 15,510.60; APPLE PRESS $ 169.85; BENEFIT PLANNING CONSULTANTS, INC $ 314.65; CALL ONE $ 3,835.42; CHUCK’S COMPRESSORS INC. $ 674.50; COLUMBIA PIPE & SUPPLY CO $ 467.23; CONNECTING POINT $ 165.00; CURRAN, JASON $ 256.60; DE LAGE LANDEN FINANCIAL SERVICES $ 366.84; DRESBACH DISTRIBUTING $ 323.55; EDENS, CATHIE $ 3.96; EITUTIS, AMY $ 361.95; EMERGENCY MEDICAL PRODUCTS INC $ 537.51; FULL CIRCLE TRAINING SOLUTIONS $ 399.00; GERARD, JOSH $ 122.79 GROSENBACH’S AUTO REPAIR $ 92.00; HANCOCK, KALVIN $ 2,809.31; HAWKINS, INC. $ 1553.02; HILTON CHICAGO $ 5,853.60; IL PUBLIC RISK FUND $ 4692.00; IMPACT NETWORKINGS LLC $ 420.73; JOHN SENICA JR. $ 24.96; JOHN’S SERVICE & SALES $ 186.17; KENDRICK PEST CONTROL INC. $ 260.00; KNOBLAUCH ADVERTISING $ 1559.68; LANCDCOMP LANDFILL $ 705.5; MARCOTTE, SANDY $ 50.00; MARGIS, MICHAEL $ 20.00; MAUTINO DISTRIBUTING $ 48.00; MENARDS $ 464.19; MILLER, JOSH $ 67.87; MORROW BROTHERS $ 36,210.00; NCPERS GROUP LIFE INS $ 16.00; NIMCA $ 110.00; POMP’S TIRE SERVICE $ 578.88; REPUBLIC SERVICES $ 29,518.39; RIVARA, DOMINIC $ 422.89; RIVARA, MICHAEL $ 60.00; SMART SOURCE LLC $ 3742.05; SMITH’S SALES & SERVICE $ 95.00; ST. MARGARET’S HEALTH-PERU $ 16.68; STANDARD LIFE INSURANCE $ 857.03; STRYKER SALES CORPORATION $ 464.95; T.E.S.T. INC. $ 144.00; UNITED HEALTH CARE INSURANCE $ 125.02; USPS $ 773.56; UNIVERSAL UTILIY SUPPLY CO. $ 15.457.94; VALLE, BRETT $ 20.00; VERIZON $ 188.92; WARFIELD, SHAWN $ 12.42 TOTALS : $133,092.29**

A MOTION IS MADE BY CURRAN, SECONDED ARGUBRIGHT BY to approve the City support for the development of the proposed solar project at the Oglesby Fire station site. AYES: ARGUBRIGHT, CULLINAN, CURRAN, LIJEWSKI AND RIVARA. Commissioner Curran states that this project had been proposed in the past. Commissioner Curran states there were new questions on the current project and notes it is important to mention the changes since the project was denied in the past. Commissioner Curran states that the previous council made a good decision and goes over some of the information on the questionnaire. Commissioner Curran notes that he would also like to obtain a solar site at IVCC as well. Commissioner Argubright asks what the costs will include?

Mayor Rivara states a request was submitted by Mike Picco to close Glen Street to First Street south to the alley on October 2, 2021 from 4:00-10:00 p.m. for a block party and asks for a motion and second for the request. Commissioner Lijewski it is not a very high traffic area. Commissioner Curran states the only thing he does not like is that it was not listed on the agenda and that may have prevented neighbors in the area from being aware. A MOTION IS MADE CURRAN, SECONDED BY ARGUBRIGHT to grant the request. AYES: ARGUBRIGHT, CULLINAN, CURRAN, LIJEWSKI AND RIVARA.

A MOTION WAS MADE BY CURRAN, SECONDED BY ARGUBRIGHT to approve the AYES: ARGUBRIGHT, CULLINAN, CURRAN, LIJEWSKI AND RIVARA.

Old Business: none

Public Comments: none

**Commissioner Reports:**

Argubright: none

Lijewski: states that Randy Leininger is the Officer of the Month, the Fire Department had 17 calls. The generator has been hooked up at the building with the help of the Electric Department. The Ambulance Department had 69 call outs and 21 were transfers.

Curran: hydrant flushing will begin October 4, 2023. The dates for leaf pick up and branch chipping will be announced at the next council meeting. The street Department has been busy doing prep work for Senica Square.

Cullinan: Harvest Fest will be held on 10/16/2021 from 11:00-5:00 p.m. at Senica Square, corrects that it will be from 1:00-5:00 p.m.

Mayor’s report: city workers did a great job with Boots, Brews and BBQ and feels it was a success. Mayor Rivara states that it is a good move in regards to the solar project. Mayor Rivara states that there are contractors who do not follow the rules and explains the importance of doing so. The 2022 Façade Program is being looked at how the city can help those that apply.

A MOTION TO ADJOURN WAS MADE BY ARGUBRIGHT, SECONDED BY to adjourn regular session. AYES: ARGUBRIGHT, CULLINAN, CURRAN, RIVARA

Amy Eitutis, City Clerk