OMAK CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING MINUTES October 21, 2024

CALL TO ORDER:

Mayor Pro-Tem Foth called the regular meeting of the Omak City Council to order at 7:00 PM and established a quorum. Everyone joined in the flag salute.

COUNCIL AND ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL:

Nattalie Cariker Todd McDaniel, City Administrator (CA)

Barry Freel Tyler Wells, Building Official (BO) - Zoom

Steve Clark Jeremy Patrick, Fire Chief
Meyer Louie Dan Christensen, Chief of Police

Michelle Gaines Wayne Beetchenow, Public Works Director (PWD)

Dave Womack - Zoom Connie Thomas, City Clerk

Mike Foth Rochelle Danielson, C.O.R.E. Program Manager/Outreach Specialist

Marc Doney, Team O.N.E.-absent

CONSENT AGENDA:

Member Clark moved, seconded by Member Gaines, to approve the consent agenda consisting of the minutes from the October 7, 2024, meeting and October 14, 2024 Budget Workshop; 2024 claims checks numbered 111988-1112052 in the amount of \$760,593.96; September 2024 Manual checks numbered 111799,111800, 111818, 111819, 111821, 111893, 111895-111898 and voided 111798 in the amount of \$537,065.92. As there was no discussion and no comments from the audience, the Council voted and unanimously approved the motion.

NEW BUSINESS:

Ordinance 1945 – 1st Read – Amending the 2024 Budget for Various Funds

CA McDaniel explained to the Council this ordinance recognizes the expenditure for the Fire Department extrication equipment, revenue, and expenditures for the Engh Road and TIB Chip Seal projects in the street fund. It also recognizes the expenditure for the two plows that were purchased out of the 508, Equipment Rental Capital. There were no questions from the Council.

Citizen Ronnie Jackson

Mrs. Jackson addressed the Council reading a statement. She informed Council that she will ask to be on the agenda when the mayor returns.

OTHER BUSINESS:

Committee/Staff Reports:

C.O.R.E. Program Manager Danielson reminded the Council that Kickn' it with the Cops is this Saturday with the River Valley Soccer Club.

CA McDaniel reminded the Council of the second Budget Workshop scheduled for Monday, October 28, 2024, at 6pm.

Member Cariker reminded the Council of the Halloween Harvest Fest activities this weekend Saturday, October 26, 2024. Starting at noon, the Mirage will host a free movie and at 3:00pm there is the Zombie Fun Run followed by the Halloween Harvest Fest in the Civic League Park. New this year is a Lip Sync Competition. There will be a category for both adults and children with cash prizes of \$100, \$75 & \$50. It is a packed day.

Member Louie referred to a letter from Okanogan County Transportation & Nutrition (OCTN) asking for a contribution from the City. CA McDaniel said the expenditure was not included in the budget, but Council can have that conversation during the workshop. Mayor Pro-Tem Foth suggested Jennifer Fitzthum, Executive Director of OCTN attend a council meeting.

As there was no further business before Council, Mayor Pro-Tem Foth adjourned the meeting at 7:06

PM.

Connie Thomas, City Clerk

Mike Foth, Mayor Pro-Tem