

January 19, 2021

The regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Pittsfield, Pike County, Illinois, was held on Tuesday, January 19, 2021, at 6:00 p.m. The meeting was held at the Meeting Room of the Fire Department at 122 Jefferson Street. The following officers were present: Mayor John Hayden, City Clerk Ann Moffit, Aldermen Bill Grimsley, Kevin Ketchum, Paul Lennon, Robert Ritchart, Beth White, Robert Wilson, and Kevin Wombles.

Mayor Hayden presided.

Alderman Ketchum moved to approve the minutes of the January 5, 2021 Council meeting.

Alderman White seconded the motion.

Roll Call:	Yea:	Grimsley, Ketchum, Lennon, Ritchart, Wombles, White, Wilson, Wood (8)
	Nay:	None (0)
	Present:	None (0)

The motion carried.

Alderman Ketchum moved to approve the December, 2020 Treasurer's Report.

Alderman Wood seconded the motion.

Roll Call:	Yea:	Grimsley, Ketchum, Lennon, Ritchart, White, Wilson, Wombles, Wood (8)
	Nay:	None (0)
	Present:	None (0)

Special Use – Communication Station – Tabled

Alderman Wood moved to direct Attorney Hollahan to prepare an Amendment to Ordinance to add mobile home for caretaker or maintenance residence as a special use in Business or Commercial District only.

Alderman Wilson seconded the motion.

Roll Call:	Yea:	Grimsley, Ketchum, Lennon, Ritchart, White, Wilson, Wombles, Wood (8)
	Nay:	None (0)
	Present:	None (0)

The motion carried.

Alderman Wilson moved to approve Resolution 2021-1 Municipal Estimate of Maintenance Costs.

Alderman Wombles seconded the motion.

Roll Call:	Yea:	Grimsley, Ketchum, Lennon, Ritchart, White, Wilson, Wombles, Wood (8)
	Nay:	None (0)
	Present:	None (0)

The motion carried.

Alderman Ritchart moved to approve the Finance Committee Report and the Clerk be directed to issue the claims thereon.

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Alderman Ketchum seconded the motion.

Roll Call:	Yea:	Grimsley, Ketchum, Lennon, Ritchart, White, Wilson, Wombles, Wood (8)
	Nay:	None (0)
	Present:	None (0)

The motion carried.

Brenda Middendorf introduced Camden Arnold, an intern from Western Illinois University. Camden will be working with Pike County Economic Development and Picture Pittsfield. Jessica Guthrie expressed her gratitude to the City of Pittsfield for funding this position. Ms. Guthrie also informed the council that she will be stepping down as president of Picture Pittsfield in March and Patrick Lamb will be the new president. Patrick Lamb thanked the City for the assistance that they have provided to Picture Pittsfield and stated he looks forward to continuing to work with everyone.

Mayor Hayden thanked Ed Knight for working on the sustainability grant for local businesses.

Alderman Grimsley asked if the mowing at the water tower was a bid job. Mayor stated that he believes that it is and we will verify the locations included in the bid and the bid timing process. He believes it is early April.

Ed Knight stated that he and City Clerk Ann Moffit has completed the pay request for the Cures Grant.

Alderwoman White moved to adjourn this meeting at 6:16 p.m.

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City Clerk