

**CITY OF CHILLICOTHE  
COUNCIL MEETING  
MINUTES OF A REGULAR MEETING  
SEPTEMBER 26, 2016**

The City Council of the City of Chillicothe, Peoria County, Illinois, met in Regular Session September 26, 2016. Mayor Pro Tem, Dennis Gould called the meeting to order at 7:00 P.M.

The Pledge of Allegiance, to the Flag of the United States of America, was recited.

Chairman Gould directed Clerk Hurd to call Roll.

**Present:**

**City Treasurer B.L. Bredeman  
City Clerk Margaret Hurd**

**Aldermen: Ronald Beaumont, Judith Cantwell,  
Danny Colwell, Patricia Connor,  
Dennis Gould, Michael Hughes,  
Gary Sharp, James Thornton**

**Also Present:**

**City Attorney Michael Seghetti  
Police Chief Scott Mettille  
Superintendent of Public Works, Shawn Sutherland  
Office Manager Denise Passage  
ED Director Parker  
Fire Chief Mike Denzer**

**Absent:**

**Mayor Douglas P. Crew  
City Engineer Ken Coulter**

**Chairman Gould declared a Quorum present.**

The Minutes of the Regular Council Meeting held on September 12, 2016 were presented.

Motion Alderman Colwell, second Alderman Beaumont that the Council dispense with the reading of the Minutes of the September 12, 2016 Regular Council Meeting and approve the Minutes as presented.

**Motion carried via voce vote.**

There were no communications from the Clerk

Alderman Hughes reported that he was contacted by Auctioneer Tim Placher about the need for a partial street to be block during an Auction. It was the consensus of the Council to have Police Chief Mettille contact Mr. Placher.

Alderman Connor reported that a citizen had contacted her about a high water bill. She turned it over to Office Manager Passage to place on the next public works committee meeting agenda.

Alderman Hughes mentioned that Citizen Betty Truitt had suggested to him that the City have a form for reimbursements of high water bills. Alderman Hughes would like to discuss it at the next public safety committee meeting. Motion Alderman Colwell, second Alderman Beaumont that the Communications as presented by the Alderman be placed on file.

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**Motion carried via voce vote.**

Alderman Colwell announced that the HR Committee met last week. The topic of the meeting was Dispatch Consolidation. He stated that it was determined by the committee to move forward with the proposal from Bartonville to consolidate.

Motion Alderman Thornton, second Alderman Gould that the bills as presented be paid and the payrolls and transfers be approved.

**Roll Call Vote was:**

**Ayes:** **Beaumont, Cantwell, Colwell, Connor  
Gould, Hughes, Sharp, Thornton**

**Nays:** **None**

**Chairman declared motion carried.**

Motion Alderman Hughes, second Alderman Sharp that the Council approve the following application for the 2016 sidewalk program:

Gloria Chmielewski 1925 Cloverdale \$720.00

Total \$720.00

Budget \$22,000.00

Balance \$10,533.10

Approved \$ 720.00

Balance\$ 9,813.10

**Roll Call Vote was:**

**Ayes:** **Beaumont, Cantwell, Colwell, Connor  
Gould, Hughes, Sharp, Thornton**

**Nays:** **None**

**Chairman declared motion carried.**

Motion Alderman Hughes, second Alderman Thornton that the Council accept the proposal and approve the expenditure of \$8,740.00, from Lauber Tree Service, for the removal of Six Trees and the trimming of one Tree. Payable from the Road & Bridge Fund.

**Roll Call Vote was:**

**Ayes:** **Beaumont, Cantwell, Colwell, Connor  
Gould, Hughes, Sharp, Thornton**

**Nays:** **None**

**Chairman declared motion carried.**

Motion Alderman Hughes, second Alderman Sharp that the Council approve Ordinance No. 16-09-16, an Ordinance Authorizing the conveyance of Land (1505 Finney).

**Roll Call Vote was:**

**Ayes:** **Beaumont, Cantwell, Colwell, Connor**

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**Gould, Hughes, Sharp, Thornton**

**Nays:** **None**  
**Chairman declared Ordinance No. 16-09-16 passed and signed the same.**

Motion Alderman Hughes, second Alderman Colwell that the Council approve the Notice for Special Event held on Public Property, as submitted by Dennis Fraikes, IVC high school, for the use of the City Park and the use and closing of Second Street from Cedar Street to Elm Street, on Friday, October 7, 2016, from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. for the IVC Homecoming Parade.

**Motion carried via voce vote.**

Motion Alderman Thornton, second Alderman Colwell that the Council approve project and expenditure of \$3,434.00 payable to Troy Childers as the City's reimbursement of the extended sidewalk replacement that was done at 810 N 2<sup>nd</sup> Street in front of business. Payable from Central Business TIF.

**Roll Call Vote was:**

**Ayes:** **Beaumont, Cantwell, Colwell, Connor  
Gould, Hughes, Sharp, Thornton**

**Nays:** **None**  
**Chairman declared motion carried.**

Chairman Gould announced that there being no further business the Council meeting adjourned at 7:13 p.m.

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Margaret E. Hurd  
City Clerk