

**CITY OF CHILLICOTHE
COUNCIL MEETING
MARCH 10, 2014**

The City Council of the City of Chillicothe, Peoria County, Illinois, met in Regular Session March 10, 2014. Mayor Douglas P. Crew 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 Crew directed the Clerk to call Roll.

Present: Mayor Douglas P. Crew
City Clerk Sharon A. Crabel
City Treasurer B.L. Bredeman

Aldermen: Ronald Beaumont, Danny Colwell,
Patricia Connor, Dennis Gould,
Michael Hughes, Gary Sharp,
James Thornton, Mel Witte

Also Present: City Attorney Michael Seghetti
Office Manager Denise Passage
Superintendent of Public Works Josh Cooper
ED Director Rachael Parker
Police Chief Scott Mettill

Absent: City Engineer Ken Coulter
Fire Chief John Myers

Chairman Crew declared a Quorum present.

The Minutes of the Regular Council Meeting, held on February 24, 2014, were presented.

Motion Alderman Colwell, second Alderman Witte, that the Council dispense with the reading of the Minutes of the February 24, 2014, Regular Council Meeting, and approve the Minutes as presented. Motion carried via voce vote.

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Clerk Crabel presented the City Engineer's Report dated March 10, 2014.

Clerk Crabel presented the City Collector's Report and the City Treasurer's Report, both for the month ending February 28, 2014.

Clerk Crabel read a letter from the Illinois Department of Public Health, recognizing and commending the City of Chillicothe Community Water System for maintaining perfect compliance in 2013, for 12 consecutive months, in accordance with the State of Illinois Public Water Supply Regulation Act regarding fluoridation.

Chairman Crew commended Superintendent of Public Works Josh Cooper, for a job well done on maintaining the correct level of fluoride in the City's drinking water.

Motion Alderman Colwell, second Alderman Witte, that the communications, as presented by the Clerk, be placed on file. Motion carried via voce vote.

Chairman Crew stated that he received a letter, from HomeServe, an independent insurance company that provides coverage for homeowners, for water, sewer and electrical lines coming into their homes.

Chairman Crew stated that HomeServe is in no way affiliated with the City of Chillicothe.

Chairman Crew updated the Council in regards to refinancing the City's 2006 Bond, and for the issuance of an Alternate Bond.

Motion Alderman Colwell, second Alderman Hughes, that the communications, as presented by the Mayor, be accepted and placed on file. Motion carried via voce vote.

Motion Alderman Thornton, second Alderman Witte, that the bills, as presented by paid, and the payrolls and transfers be approved. Roll Call vote was:

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

Nays: **None**

Chairman Crew declared motion carried.

Motion Alderman Gould, second Alderman Witte, that the Council approve an expenditure of \$1,480.51, payable to Centre State International Trucks, for the repair of the 2006 Dump Truck. Payable from the Road & Bridge Fund. Roll Call vote was:

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

Nays: **None**

Chairman Crew declared motion carried.

Motion Alderman Hughes, second Alderman Colwell, that the Council adopt Resolution No. 14-03-07, a Resolution approving a Separation of Employment Agreement between the City of Chillicothe and Daniel Adcock. Roll Call vote was:

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

Nays: **None**

Abstain: **Witte**

Chairman Crew declared Resolution No. 14-03-07 passed and signed the same.

