The Mission City Council met in regular session at Mission City Hall on Wednesday, March 21, 2018. The meeting was called to order by Mayor Appletoft. The following councilmembers were present: Ken Davis, Sollie Flora, Kristin Inman, Debbie Kring, Pat Quinn, Arcie Rothrock, Nick Schlossmacher, and Hillary Thomas.

#### SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS

Bob Hamilton, Kansas Department of Transportation Law Enforcement Liaison for the northeast region, presented the 2018 AAA Traffic Safety Award to the Police Department.

Police Chief Ben Hadley introduced newly hired Officers Zeta Bates and Cliff Oblinger.

# **CONSENT AGENDA**

**Moved by Quinn, seconded by Kring** to approve the Consent Agenda, items 3a through 3h.

- 3a. Minutes of the February 21, 2018 City Council Meeting
- 3b. Rotary Street Solicitation Application
- 3c. Ordinance Amendments Related to the Duties and Functions of the City Treasurer
- 3d. Ordinance Correcting Membership to the Sustainability Commission
- 3e. Sylvester Powell, Jr. Community Center Roof Repairs
- 3f. Acceptance of Permanent Easements, Foxridge Drive Project
- 3g. Interlocal Agreement with Overland Park for Chip Seal, Lamar Shawnee Mission Parkway to 67th Street
- 3h. KLM Mowing Contract

Voting AYE: Davis, Flora, Inman, Kring, Quinn, Rothrock, Schlossmacher, Thomas. Motion carried.

# PUBLIC COMMENTS

There were no public comments.

# ACTION ITEMS

There were no action items.

# FINANCE & ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE

Councilmember Schlossmacher did not have a report.

## COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

Councilmember Inman did not have a report.

# NEW BUSINESS

# Table Sponsorship for Mission Project Fundraising Event

City Administrator Laura Smith shared that Councilmember Quinn had approached the City Council with a request to support The Mission Project's 2018 Derby Gala with a Grandstand Sponsorship of \$1,500. Ms. Smith stated that The Mission Project provides a unique and valuable service to the community. The sponsorship would be an extension of the connections and collaborations that have existed between the City of Mission and The Mission Project for many years. The sponsorship would come from the Public Relations budget line item.

**Moved by Quinn, seconded by Schlossmacher** to approve the Grandstand Sponsorship in the amount of \$1,500 for the Mission Project's 2018 Derby Gala fundraising event. Voting AYE: Davis, Flora, Inman, Kring, Quinn, Rothrock, Schlossmacher, Thomas. **Motion carried.** 

# Approval of Bank Signatories

Assistant City Administrator/Finance Director Brian Scott presented a resolution that would update the signatories for certain bank checking accounts. The changes include updates to the Mayor and City Treasurer signatories and the addition of a new Court Clerk.

**Moved by Kring, seconded by Davis** to approve a resolution authorizing signatories for certain bank checking accounts of the City of Mission, Kansas. Voting AYE: Davis, Flora, Inman, Kring, Quinn, Rothrock, Schlossmacher, Thomas. **Motion carried.** 

#### **COMMENTS FROM THE CITY COUNCIL**

Councilmember Thomas thanked the Mission residents present and the Shawnee Mission North High School student in attendance for attending the City Council meeting. Councilmember Kring reported on the recent National League of Cities (NLC) Congressional City Conference in Washington D.C. Councilmembers Kring, Schlossmacher and Flora attended. Councilmember Kring will be researching the feasibility of Green Bonds in light of the City's upcoming interceptor project on Johnson Drive. A number of grants were also discussed as an attractive funding source for municipalities. Infrastructure was an overall theme at the conference, and Councilmember Kring reported that the NLC President is pushing for a more equal funding match between federal and local entities on infrastructure projects.

Councilmember Schlossmacher reminded the audience that he and Councilmember Rothrock will host a Ward II meeting on Thursday, March 29 at the Sylvester Powell, Jr. Community Center at 7:00 p.m. All are welcome to attend.

# MAYOR'S REPORT

Mayor Appletoft did not have a report.

# CITY ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT

City Administrator Laura Smith reported that the City Council retreat scheduled for Saturday, March 24 is cancelled, due to the facilitator's illness. Ms. Smith will work to find a new date.

Ms. Smith invited the City Council to attend the celebration of Mission's annual Arbor Day Poster Contest winners at Rushton Elementary School on Friday, March 23. The Parks, Recreation, and Tree Commission and Mayor Appletoft will present the winners with their framed posters, and a tree planting demonstration on the school grounds will follow. Rushton student Affan Ansari was selected as the overall state winner, a first for Mission.

Ms. Smith shared that the Mission Business Partnership will be hosting a quarterly meeting at Casey's Auto Repair on Beverly on Wednesday, March 28 at 6:00 p.m.

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## EXECUTIVE SESSION

There was no executive session.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

Moved by Quinn, seconded by Kring to adjourn the meeting at 7:14 p.m. All present voted AYE. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted by Emily Randel, Public Information Officer.

Ronald E. Appletoft, Mayor

Martha M. Sumrall, City Clerk