

**MINUTES  
CITY COUNCIL  
NOVEMBER 6, 2007**

**Mayor Ed Hagnauer called the regular meeting to order of the City Council at 7:05 p.m.**

**ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL: Skubish, Kambarian, McDowell, Skoklo, Davis, Thompson, Partney, Smith, Whitaker, Wofford, Schmidtke, Jenkins, Eavenson, Mayor Hagnauer and Clerk Whitaker present. Hess was absent**

**MOTION By Davis, second by Eavenson to approve the city council minutes for the previous meeting on October 16, 2007. Motion carried.**

**MOTION By Davis, second by Skoklo to place on file letter from Rev. Michael L. Barnes of Suburban Baptist Church regarding live nativity scene. Motion carried.**

**MOTION By Eavenson, second by Whitaker to place on file the letter and approve any necessary action needed for the Central Christian Church Live Nativity. Motion carried.**

**MOTION By Hess, second by Skoklo to approve the request for the Santa's Holiday Ave. Parade. Motion carried.**

**MOTION By Skoklo, second by Whitaker to refer to Industrial Search and Economic Development Committee. Motion carried.**

**MOTION By McDowell, second by Kambarian to place on file the Graphic Review Board meeting cancellation for November 1, 2007. Motion carried.**

**MOTION By6 Skubish, second by Whitaker to apply the Omnibus Rule to approve the following Resolutions for demolition or repair:**

- A. 1642 Cleveland**
- B. 1638-40 Cleveland**
- C. 2732 W 20<sup>th</sup>**
- D. 1428-30 Cleveland**
- E. 1812-14 Delmar**

**ROLL CALL: Skubish, Kambarian, McDowell, Skoklo, Davis, Thompson, Partney, Smith, Whitaker, Wofford, Schmidtke, Jenkins and Eavenson. Motion carried.**

**FINAL PASSAGE: Skubish, Kambarian, McDowell, Skoklo, Davis, Thompson, Partney, Smith, Whitaker, Wofford, Schmidtke, Jenkins and Eavenson. Motion carried.**

**MOTION By Skubish, second by Thompson to suspend the rules and place on final passage an Ordinance to approve an Agreement for Municipal Court and Camera Enforcement of Red Light Traffic Violations in an automated law enforcement system, per 625 ILCS 5/11-208.6.**

**ROLL CALL: Skubish, Kambarian, McDowell, Skoklo, Davis, Thompson, Partney, Smith, Whitaker, Wofford, Schmidtke, Jenkins and Eavenson. Motion carried.**

**FINAL PASSAGE: Skubish, Kambarian, McDowell, Skoklo, Davis, Thompson, Partney, Smith, Whitaker, Wofford, Schmidtke, Jenkins and Eavenson. Motion carried.**

**MOTION By Kambarian, second by Thompson to approve the amendment to the Ordinance approving the Agreement for Municipal Court and Camera Enforcement of Red Light Traffic Violations in an automated law enforcement system, per 625 ILCS 5/11-208.6 (to read American Traffic Systems, Inc., not Automated Traffic Systems, Inc.)**

**ROLL CALL: Skubish, Kambarian, McDowell, Skoklo, Davis, Thompson, Partney, Smith, Whitaker, Wofford, Schmidtke, Jenkins and Eavenson. Motion carried.**

**MOTION By Skubish, second by Skoklo to approve the Resolution to sell the property commonly known as 824 Niedringhaus Ave. (to Mike and Pam Allen for \$1200)**

**ROLL CALL: Skubish, Kambarian, McDowell, Skoklo, Davis, Thompson, Partney, Smith, Whitaker, Wofford, Schmidtke, Jenkins and Eavenson. Motion carried.**

**MOTION By Skubish, second by Smith to suspend the rules and place on final passage an Ordinance Annexing the territory commonly known as 2683 North Street to the City of Granite City, Illinois.**

**ROLL CALL: Skubish, Kambarian, McDowell, Skoklo, Davis, Thompson, Partney, Smith, Whitaker, Wofford, Schmidtke, Jenkins and Eavenson. Motion carried.**

**FINAL PASSAGE: Skubish, Kambarian, McDowell, Skoklo, Davis, Thompson, Partney, Smith, Whitaker, Wofford, Schmidtke, Jenkins and Eavenson. Motion carried.**

**MOTION By Skubish, second by Partney to suspend the rules and place on final passage an Ordinance establishing a handicapped parking space at 2842 State Street within the City of Granite City, Illinois.**

**ROLL CALL: Skubish, Kambarian, McDowell, Skoklo, Davis, Thompson, Partney, Smith, Whitaker, Wofford, Schmidtke, Jenkins and Eavenson. Motion carried.**

**FINAL PASSAGE: Skubish, Kambarian, McDowell, Skoklo, Davis, Thompson, Partney, Smith, Whitaker, Wofford, Schmidtke, Jenkins and Eavenson. Motion carried.**

**MOTION By Skubish, second by Eavenson to suspend the rules and place on final passage an Ordinance providing for the placement of a Stop Sign at 2809 Edgewood Ave, within the City of Granite City.**

**ROLL CALL: Skubish, Kambarian, McDowell, Skoklo, Davis, Thompson, Partney, Smith, Whitaker, Wofford, Schmidtke, Jenkins and Eavenson. Motion carried.**

**FINAL PASSAGE: Skubish, Kambarian, McDowell, Skoklo, Davis, Thompson, Partney, Smith, Whitaker, Wofford, Schmidtke, Jenkins and Eavenson. Motion carried.**

**MOTION By Skubish, second by Davis to suspend the rules and place on final passage an Ordinance providing for the placement of a stop sign at 2312 Elm Ave., within the City of Granite City.**

**ROLL CALL: Skubish, Kambarian, McDowell, Skoklo, Davis, Thompson, Partney, Smith, Whitaker, Wofford, Schmidtke, Jenkins and Eavenson. Motion carried.**

**FINAL PASSAGE: Skubish, Kambarian, McDowell, Skoklo, Davis, Thompson, Partney, Smith, Whitaker, Wofford, Schmidtke, Jenkins and Eavenson. Motion carried.**

**MOTION By Skubish, second by Schmidtke to suspend the rules and place on final passage an Ordinance to declare a 1987 Horton Modular Ambulance surplus and to authorize the on-line solicitation of Bids for its purchase.**

**ROLL CALL: Skubish, Kambarian, McDowell, Skoklo, Davis, Thompson, Partney, Smith, Whitaker, Wofford, Schmidtke, Jenkins and Eavenson. Motion carried.**

**FINAL PASSAGE: Skubish, Kambarian, McDowell, Skoklo, Davis, Thompson, Partney, Smith, Whitaker, Wofford, Schmidtke, Jenkins and Eavenson. Motion carried.**

**MOTION By Thompson, second by Skoklo to award the City of Granite City Emergency Generator bid to Pyramid Electrical Contractors Inc in the amount of \$104,870.00 and the Township Generator to Lowry Electric Company in the amount of \$137,954.00. (Paid by TIF Funds)**

**ROLL CALL: Skubish, Kambarian, McDowell, Skoklo, Davis, Thompson, Partney, Smith, Whitaker, Wofford, Schmidtke, Jenkins and Eavenson. Motion carried.**

**MOTION By Thompson, second by Davis to suspend the rules and place on the November 20, 2007, City Council Agenda to include an Ordinance to adopt a Project Labor Agreement. Motion carried.**

**MOTION By Thompson, second by Kambarian to award Pyramid Electric the Youth Center Heating and Lighting bid not to exceed \$12000.00.**

**ROLL CALL: Skubish, Kambarian, McDowell, Skoklo, Davis, Thompson, Partney, Smith, Whitaker, Wofford, Schmidtke, Jenkins and Eavenson. Motion carried.**

**MOTION By Thompson, second by Davis to amend the November 20, 2007 Agenda to include a letter from the Granite City Housing Authority to remove guardrail on Propes Avenue temporarily for construction access. Motion carried.**

**MOTION By Schmidtke, second by Hess to suspend the agenda to discuss Fire Station 1, Bay Repairs.**

**ROLL CALL: Skubish, Kambarian, McDowell, Skoklo, Davis, Thompson, Partney, Smith, Whitaker, Wofford, Schmidtke, Jenkins and Eavenson. Motion carried.**

**MOTION By Schmidtke, second by Partney to complete the repairs to the bay area in Fire Station 1, not to exceed \$30,000.00.**

**ROLL CALL: Skubish, Kambarian, McDowell, Skoklo, Davis, Thompson, Partney, Smith, Whitaker, Wofford, Schmidtke, Jenkins and Eavenson. Motion carried.**

**MOTION By Kambarian, second by McDowell to approve the payroll for the period ending October 30, 2007 in the amount of \$552,601.65.**

**ROLL CALL: Skubish, Kambarian, McDowell, Skoklo, Davis, Thompson, Partney, Smith, Whitaker, Wofford, Schmidtke, Jenkins and Eavenson. Motion carried.**

**MOTION By Kambarian, second by McDowell to approve the Bill List for the Month of October 2007 in the amount of \$2,388,393.44.**

**ROLL CALL: Skubish, Kambarian, McDowell, Skoklo, Davis, Thompson, Smith, Whitaker, Wofford, Schmidtke, Jenkins and Eavenson voted yes. Partney voted no. Motion carried.**

**MOTION By Hess, second by Whitaker to amend the agenda to include a memo from the Office of Risk Management regarding Retiree Medicare Supplement Renewal.**

**ROLL CALL: Skubish, Kambarian, McDowell, Skoklo, Davis, Thompson, Partney, Smith, Whitaker, Wofford, Schmidtke, Jenkins and Eavenson. Motion carried.**

**MOTION By Hess, second by Whitaker to approve the renewal with Benistar and Express Script for the 2008 calendar year for the Retiree Medicare Supplement.**

**ROLL CALL: Skubish, Kambarian, McDowell, Skoklo, Davis, Thompson, Partney, Smith, Whitaker, Wofford, Schmidtke, Jenkins and Eavenson. Motion carried.**

**MOTION By Skoklo, second by Hess to adjourn the regular City Council Meeting at 7:50 p.m. Motion carried.**

**MEETING ADJOURNED**

**ATTEST  
JUDY WHITAKER  
CITY CLERK**