

City of Rock Falls

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CITY COUNCIL MEETING

March 5, 2013
6:30 p.m.

AGENDA

Call to Order @ 6:30 p.m.

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call

AUDIENCE REQUESTS

Community Affairs:

Sandy Henriken, Executive Director, Rock Falls Community Development Corporation
Bethany Bland, President /CEO, Rock Falls Chamber of Commerce.

Ordinance: Adoption

1. 2013 – 2095; Ordinance amending a previous Ordinance establishing an Enterprise Zone within the Illinois Counties of Whiteside and Carroll. Amends previously adopted **Ordinance 2012- 2076**.
2. 2013 – 2096; Ordinance authorizing the execution of an annexation agreement between Brent A. Porter and the City of Rock Falls for 17.44 acres, more or less Parcel # 11-34-177-002.
3. 2013 – 2097; Ordinance annexing certain territory to the City of Rock Falls, Whiteside County, Illinois, Parcel # 11-34-177-002 classified under the zoning ordinance with a classification of AG-1, Special Use, and the special use permit is issued for the purpose of permitting the operation of a campground and recreational trailer park.
4. 2013 – 2098; Ordinance amending Section 9-149. **Prohibited Areas of Parking**

Consent Agenda:

1. Approve the Minutes of the February 19, 2013
2. Approve the bills as presented
3. Approve Proclamation recognizing, **CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER APPRECIATION MONTH** during April 2013.
4. Approve Proclamation declaring April 22, 2013, **EARTH DAY**.
5. Approve Proclamation for **AMERICAN RED CROSS MONTH** during the March 2013.
6. Approve Proclamation for **FAIR HOUSING MONTH** during April 2013
7. Approve the agreement with Municode for \$3775.00 for a legal review of the Municipal Codes of Rock Falls.

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1. Proposed financing of the Customer Utility Office renovation project.
2. Request for authorization from the Firehouse of God Ministries and Modern Woodman to proceed with beautification project at the First Avenue Parking Lot, on May 4, 2013.
3. Approve Agreement between the City of Rock Falls and Fischer Excavating, Inc. for a good Neighbor Agreement in regards to the Dog Pound Project.

Information/Correspondence:

William B. Wescott, City Clerk
Jim Reese, City Attorney
Brian Frickenstein, City Engineer

Department Heads:

Electric- Mr. Simon

1. Request on behalf of the Electric Committee for Council approval to accept the submitted bid of Terry Wolf Construction, in the amount of \$98,606.00 for the Customer Utility Renovation Project.

Police- Chief Kuelper

Water/Street- Mr. Padilla

Fire Chief- Chief Larson

Building Inspector- Mr. Searing

Water Reclamation- Mr. Cox

Standing Committees:

ADA- Chairman Searing (03-06-13 @4:00 p.m.)
Building Code- Chairman Snow (03-06-13 @ 5:15 p.m.)
Public Works –Chairman Reitzel (03-07 -13@ 6:00 p.m.)
Public Property – Chairman Folsom (03-14-13 @ 6:00 p.m.)
Electric – Chairman Hand (03-26-13 @ 8:15 a.m.)
Finance-Chairman Kuhlemier (03-26-13 @ 6:00 p.m.)
Special Finance (Budget) (03-27-13 @ 6:00 p.m.)
Ordinance/License- Chairman Vandersnick (03-28-13 @ 6:00 p.m.)
Personnel/Safety-Chairman Vandersnick (03-28-13 @ 7:00 p.m.)

Ward Reports:

Ward 1	Ward 2	Ward 3	Ward 4
Ald. Vandersnick	Ald. Kuhlemier	Ald. Hand	Ald. Folsom
Ald. Reitzel	Ald. Snow	Ald. Schuneman	Ald. Watts

Mayor's Report:

Executive Session:

Any Actions resulting from Executive Session:

Adjournment: