

**CITY OF CARROLLTON
COUNCIL MEETING
CITY HALL**

**OCTOBER 10, 2011
7:00 P.M.**

PRESENT

MAYOR: GENE MCMURRY

**COUNCIL: ROBB ADAMS
KEVIN CRAIG
ANN DEATHERAGE
MIKE GORDON
LARRY MORGAN
ADAM RAKER**

ATTORNEY FOR CITY: NICHOLAS MARSH

CLERK/TREASURER: BECKY H. PYLES

ASSISTANT POLICE CHIEF: STEVE ABBOTT @ 7:48 P.M.

FIRE ENGINEER: GREG BECK

PUBLIC WORKS SUPER: RONNIE KNIGHT

CODE ENFORCEMENT: ART ZOOK

UTILITIES MANAGER: BILL OSBORNE @ 7:12 P.M.

CCCDC: JOAN MOORE

MAIN STREET DIRECTOR: SAM BURGESS

TEEN COUNCILMEMBERS: DANIELLE WHEELER

**PRESS: MADISON COURIER/KRISTEN SNYDER
NEWS DEMOCRAT/KRISTIN SHERRARD**

ABSENT:

TEEN COUNCILMEMBER: KEVIN STATES

SHE ALSO REPORTED THAT THE END OF THE NINE WEEKS PERIOD IS FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14TH.

B. PUBLIC WORKS – RON KNIGHT, PUBLIC WORKS SUPERVISOR, REPORTED THAT THE NEW LEAF MACHINE SHOULD BE DELIVERED BY OCTOBER 18TH.

HE ALSO REPORTED THAT HE HAD LOOKED AT THE ALLEY BETWEEN CLAY & POLK STREETS AND 6TH & 7TH STREETS. HE NOTED A DRAIN WOULD NOT WORK AS THE ALLEY IS HIGHER THAN POLK WHERE THE CATCH BASIN IS LOCATED. HE THOUGHT IF A SLOPE WAS CREATED BY BLACKTOPPING THE ALLEY WITH A GRAVEL GUTTER WOULD SOLVE THE DRAINAGE ISSUES. THE MAYOR SAID HE WOULD GET AN ESTIMATE FROM OVA.

C. UTILITIES – BILL OSBORNE, UTILITIES MANAGER, SAID THAT EAGLE CREEK AND CARED PROJECTS ARE BEING CLOSED OUT AND THEY ARE WORKING ON THE KIA PROJECT.

HYDRANTS WILL BE FLUSHED ON THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13TH.

D. C.C.C.D.C. – JOAN MOORE SAID SHE IS WORKING ON A NEW FIREFIGHTERS GRANT. THE C.C.C.D.C. AND CHAMBER OF COMMERCE ARE SPONSORING A NEW LEADERSHIP GROUP WITH 25 MEMBERS.

SHE REMINDED EVERYBODY OF THE UPCOMING CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BANQUET ON THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13TH.

E. POLICE DEPARTMENT – STEVE ABBOTT, ASSISTANT POLICE CHIEF, REPORTED FOR CHIEF MIKE WILLHOITE. HE SAID THAT A NEW VEHICLE HAS BEEN ORDERED AND SHOULD BE HERE IN THE NEXT TWO WEEKS.

F. FIRE DEPARTMENT – GREG BECK, FIRE ENGINEER, SAID THAT THE NEW PICKUP WHICH HAD BEEN ORDERED SHOULD ARRIVE BY THE END OF OCTOBER.

HE SAID THREE OF THE FOUR FIRE TRUCKS HAVE BEEN TESTED.

HE ALSO SAID IN THE AREA OF FIRE PREVENTION THERE NEEDS TO BE MORE PLANNING FOR CLASSES WITH THE SCHOOLS.

COUNCILMAN GORDON ASKED ABOUT THE STATUS OF REPAIR WORK ON THE LADDER TRUCK. GREG REPORTED M&M SAID REPAIRS SHOULD BE COMPLETED IN APPROXIMATELY ONE WEEK.

G. CODE ENFORCEMENT – ART ZOOK, CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER, SAID MR. SHREWSBURY CAME TO THE LAST PLANNING & ZONING MEETING AND WILL BE AT THE NEXT MEETING WITH SOME IDEAS.

APPROVAL OF FINANCIAL REPORT

MOTION BY COUNCILMAN GORDON AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN ADAMS AND DULY CARRIED TO APPROVE THE FINANCIAL REPORT.

AYES 6 NAYS 0

APPROVAL OF ACCOUNTS PAID/PAYABLE THROUGH OCTOBER 11, 2011

MOTION BY COUNCILMAN CRAIG AND SECONDED BY COUNCILWOMAN DEATHERAGE TO APPROVE ACCOUNTS PAID/PAYABLE THROUGH OCTOBER 11, 2011.

AYES 6 NAYS 0

COMMENTS:

COUNCILMAN MORGAN THOUGHT A NEIGHBOR WATCH NEEDS TO BE ESTABLISHED FOR ALL NEIGHBORHOODS. CITY ATTORNEY, NICK MARSH, SAID THAT THE POLICE, SHERIFF, AND COUNTY ATTORNEY ALL HAVE ANONYMOUS LINES.

ADJOURNMENT

THE MOTION WAS MADE BY COUNCILMAN GORDON AND SECONDED BY COUNCILMAN CRAIG AND DULY CARRIED TO STAND ADJOURN THE BOARD OF COUNCIL AT THE HOUR OF 8:01 P.M.

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ATTEST:

GENE McMURRY, MAYOR

BECKY H. PYLES, CLERK-TREASURER