

Bennington City Council
Regular Meeting
October 26, 2020

Meeting was brought to order at 7:00 p.m. with a motion by David Galvan, second by Dennis Kelley.
Motion Carried.

Additions to the agenda were RV Parking, Vandalism at park, Parking on Watters/Putnam, Hagmeiers, sidewalks, GPS Corner Pins, Energy efficiency assessment, zoning book.

Motion by David Galvan, second by Trudi Rathbun to approve the printed list of bills and the minutes as written. Motion Carried.

Present at the meeting were Mayor Ward Stockamp, David Galvan, Brian Davidson, Judith Swagerty, Trudi Rathbun, Dennis Kelley, and City clerk Adrienne Luthi. Visitor was Clinton Katt.

Ward Stockamp read a resignation letter to the council from Trudi Rathbun.

Motion by David Galvan, second by Brian Davidson to accept the resignation from the council of Trudi Rathbun as of 10/26/2020. Motion Carried.

The council discussed finding someone to fill the vacant seat on the council. Motion by Judith Swagerty, second by David Galvan to announce the vacant seat in the next newsletter and invite anyone interested in serving on the council to attend the next city council meeting and discuss their interest with the council. Motion Carried.

GPS corner pins were discussed. Council would like Adrienne to check with Schwab-Eaton who did the survey and made the map of corner pins if there was GPS capabilities to locate the pins and if not, is it possible to get that done? Adrienne will contact Tim Hart and let the council know.

Hagmeiers property at 108 Stark was discussed. Council would like an update from them on what has been accomplished at the property since the 30 days they were given to update has passed. Adrienne will contact them and update the council.

The Council discussed the city zoning book. Adrienne will call and find out how much it would cost to digitize our zoning book and put it on the website. Adrienne will find out and put it on the next agenda.

City identification cards were discussed. Marie Ballou at Ottawa county emergency management has asked if we would like cards for the city employees and council. Motion by Judith Swagerty, second by David Galvan to approve having the county make us city ID cards. Motion Carried.

Motion by David Galvan, second by Trudi Rathbun to adjourn the meeting at 8:00 p.m. Motion Carried.