City of Bromley

City Council Meeting

Wednesday Oct 9, 2024

The City of Bromley met in a regular session on Wednesday October 9, 2024 @ 6:00pm, with a pledge to the flag and Mayor Denham presiding.

Roll Call- Council members present: Mike Kendall. Andrew Clift, Dave Radford, Tim Wartman and Gail smith. Absent Dianne Wartman

Call to Order- Staff present: Kim Vocke City Attorney, Police Brian DeWaine, Fire Chief Mike Steward, Public Works Bob France and Jack Dudley. Absent City Clerk Brittany Hinzman

Approval of Minutes- Gail Smith made a motion to approve the previous minutes, Andy Clift seconded. All in favor with 5 yes.

Citizens Report – Mr. Larry Hamant requested an update on the dumpster positioned unsafely along Rt 8. The mayor indicated that he has attempted to have the DOT take care of this. Short discussion ensued with the result that Kim will send a letter to Safecode Properties Management to address the issue.

PDS – Gail indicated no report and that a Repair/Demolition order has been initiated with a deadline of Oct. 31, 2024 for 305 Main Street.

Police report – Full report available upon request.

Fire Chief – Full report available upon request. Working on inspections. Training continues.

Hall report – Dianne absent so no report. Gail Smith asked the cost of Altifiber work on the council room improvement. Kendall indicated that it was under \$500.00.

Road and Light - No report

License – No report except for a short discussion about raising the fee. Result was that the current fee of \$100.00 for individual housing units to \$150.00. The multi family units will remain the same at \$100.00 per unit. Gail Smith motioned to approve, seconded by Andy Clift. All in favor with 5 yes.

Kim Vocke – Second Reading of Ord. 9-1-24 Prohibiting the use of fireworks in the Bromley Veterans Park. Kendall made a motion to accept with a second by Gail Smith. Resolution 10-1-24 appointing Greg Recten to the Telecommunication Board. Dave Radford made a motion to approve with a second by Gail Smith. All in favor with 5 yes. Resolution 10-2-2024 pertaining to the Housing Authority of Covington recommended by Steve Arlinghaus. Motion made by Gail Smith to approve with a second by Dave Radford. All in favor 5 yes.

Ways and means – Kendall no report since we are only three months into the new fiscal year. Also, if you notice a few differences in the reporting from the last two months reports, it is due to corrections the Lori may have made during her visit to the office.

Parks and Playground – Bob reported that vandals kicked a hole in the men's restroom wall again. Mike and Bob have posted new times for the bathrooms to be open with a decision the close them for winter on November 1<sup>st</sup>. We plan to install another camera aimed directly at the entrance doors. Gail Smith ask what materials are to be used on the suggested new bleachers. Tim reported prices are being obtained for both wood and aluminum.

Mayors Report – Mike Denham did not have much however he reported that the person who is working on our records retention requirements has started and it will be a long process which is at no cost to the city. Gail Smith asked when the Pantry/Library will be installed. Andy indicated that it would be next week.

Committee reports – Gail Smith made a motion to accept all reports with a second by Andy Clift. All in favor 5 yes.

Old Business - Gail Smith reported that the issues surrounding ownership of the cemetery have been resolved by both sides. Duke may be in the area to work on a cleanup in November. A short discussion pertaining to old safe that was in the council chamber as to what we will be doing with it. It was recommended to see if we could work out a swap with a safe company.

New Business - No report

Communications - No report

Bills – Andy Clift made a motion to pay the bills with a second from Gail Smith. All in favor 5 yes.

Motion to Adjourn – Gail Smith made a motion to adjourn with a second by Dave Radford.

Meeting adjourned - 6:58pm

City Clark