

CITY OF MILFORD
SPECIAL MEETING
DECEMBER 16, 2008
MINUTES

A special meeting of the Mayor and Council of the City of Milford, Nebraska was held at the City Hall Office in said City on the 16th day of December 2008 at 5:00 pm. Present were: Mayor Dean Bruha; Council members: Jeff Baker, Rick Fortune, Jeff Heckman; Attorney Robert Blevens; Chief of Police Forrest Siebken; Secretary Tracy Yeackley. Absent: City Clerk Jeanne Hoggins, Maintenance Supt: Mark Frey. Also present: Logan Rainforth, Tasha Jackson, Benjamin Gruber, Nancy McGill and Nancy Swarts with the press.

Notice of the meeting was given in advance thereof by posting in three public places; a designated method for giving notice, as shown by the Certification of Posting attached to these minutes. Notice of this meeting was given to the Mayor and all members of the Council and a copy of their acknowledgement of receipt of notice and the agenda is attached to the minutes. Availability of the agenda was communicated in the advance notice and in the notice to the Mayor and Council of this meeting. All proceedings hereafter shown were taken while the convened meeting was open to the attendance of the public.

CALL TO ORDER: Mayor Bruha called the meeting to order at 5:03 p.m. Mayor Bruha publicly stated to all in attendance that a current copy of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act is available for review and is posted on the south wall of the meeting room at the City Hall Office.

Council Appointment: Motion was made by Fortune and seconded by Baker to approve the Mayors appointment of Dan Kral to fill out the remaining 2 years on the City Council for Ward I. Roll call vote: Fortune yes, Baker yes, Heckman yes. Motion carried.

Payment of Library Invoice: Baker informed the Council of a bill turned in for a radio advertisement for the Webermeier Library. The radio station was doing an hour long spot on local libraries around Lincoln. Motion was made by Fortune and seconded by Heckman to approve the payment. Roll call vote: Fortune yes, Heckman yes, Baker yes. Motion carried.

Introduction and Adoption of Ordinance – Definition of Dangerous

Dogs: Blevens read the Ordinance for those in attendance. The floor was then open for discussion. Logan Rainforth expressed his concerns about singling out pit bulls as a dangerous dog. Logan and Benjamin also stated that they didn't agree with muzzling the dog unless it had displayed any violent tendencies. Baker and Fortune both stated that the Council is looking out for the safety of the public. The Council made motion to table

the item until the January meeting. Roll call vote: Baker yes, Fortune yes, Heckman yes. Motion carried.

Introduction and Adoption of Ordinance – Amend ordinance #6-118:

ADJOURNMENT: A motion was made by Fortune and seconded by Heckman to adjourn the meeting. Roll call vote: Fortune yes, Heckman yes, Baker yes. Motion carried and meeting adjourned at 5:32 p.m.

Jeanne Hoggins, City Clerk

Dean A. Bruha

CERTIFICATION

I, the undersigned, City Clerk of the City of Milford, Nebraska, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of proceedings had and done by the Mayor and Council of December 16, 2008 that all of the subjects included in the foregoing proceedings were contained in the agenda for the meeting, kept continually current and readily available for public inspection at the office of the City Clerk; that such subjects were contained in said agenda for at least twenty-four hours prior to said meeting; that at least one copy of all reproducible material discussed at the meeting was available at the meeting for examination and copying by members of the public; that the said minutes from which the foregoing proceedings have been extracted were in written form and available for public inspection within ten working days and prior to the next convened meeting of said body; that all news media requesting notification concerning meetings of said body were provided advance notification of the time and place of said meeting and the subjects to be discussed at said meeting.

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Jeanne Hoggins, City Clerk