



# CITY OF OMRO

Omro, Wisconsin

## Council Meeting Minutes Tuesday, October 16, 2012 Omro City Hall Council Chambers

- Attendance** Mayor Robert R. Breu, City Administrator Linda K. Kutchenriter, City Attorney Lud Wurtz, Aldermanic Representatives Ken Cady, Steve Jungwirth, Gordon Garvens, Larry Wright, Jason Reeves, and Rod Brusius. Public Works Director Mark Van Pelt, Fire Chief Jay Treleven, Residents Eric Joss and Joel Tayler.
- Call to Order** Mayor Breu called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm in the council chambers at Omro City Hall.
- Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance** The invocation was given by Larry Wright, followed by the presentation of the Pledge of Allegiance.
- Roll Call** A full quorum of council members were in attendance to conduct the official business of the city.
- Citizens Statements** Eric Joss, of 323 Washington Avenue, addressed the council in regards to his concerns regarding the possible closure of the west end of Main Street should the lease of the old municipal garage go forward. He stated that he has a large RV that cannot make the tight turns in the area. He stated that closing the street will also create a difficulty for the fire department traffic.
- Fire Chief Jay Treleven addressed the council with his concerns of closing that street and how it would impact the 34' – 36' size of the fire trucks being able to maneuver in the neighborhood.
- Joel Tayler addressed the council with suggestions of placing parking on both ends of the old municipal garage.
- Minutes** **Rod Brusius motioned and Ken Cady seconded to approve the October 2, 2012 Council Meeting Minutes as presented. Ken Cady/Aye, Steve Jungwirth/Aye, Gordon Garvens/Aye, Larry Wright/Aye, Jason Reeves/Aye, and Rod Brusius/Aye. Motion carried by unanimous voice vote of the council members present.**

Expenditures	<b>Rod Brusius motioned and Larry Wright seconded to approve RES: 121016-A 'Expenditures' as presented. Ken Cady/Aye, Steve Jungwirth/Aye, Gordon Garvens/Aye, Larry Wright/Aye, Jason Reeves/Aye, and Rod Brusius/Aye. Motion carried by unanimous roll call vote of the council members present.</b>
Award of Bid State Hwy 116 and Whispering Way Intersection	<b>Ken Cady motioned and Steve Jungwirth seconded to approve RES: 121016-B 'Award of Bid for State Hwy 116 and Whispering Way Intersection Construction to DOT Standards' as presented. Ken Cady/Aye, Steve Jungwirth/Aye, Gordon Garvens/Present, Larry Wright/Aye, Jason Reeves/Aye, and Rod Brusius/Aye. Motion carried by unanimous roll call vote of the council members present.</b>
Use of Main Street Municipal Garage	<p>The council discussed continuing lease negotiations with Winnebago County Housing Authority for the old city garage located on W. Main Street or to keep the building for heated storage use by the Omro Police Department and possible cold storage by the public works and streets department.</p> <p><b>Larry Wright motioned and Ken Cady seconded to reconsider the action previously granted in RES: 120918-C 'Authorization to Use \$24,297.00 Sales Tax Savings from Municipal Garage Construction Project to Complete Renovations at the Superior Street Garage for the Use of the Police Department ' as adopted, and to discontinue pursuit of a lease agreement with Winnebago County Housing Authority for the municipal garage located on W. Main Street in Omro. Alderman Ken Cady called for the question. Ken Cady/Aye, Steve Jungwirth/No, Gordon Garvens/Aye, Larry Wright/Aye, Jason Reeves/Aye, and Rod Brusius/No. Motion carried by majority roll call vote of the council members present.</b></p>
Award of Bid for Stearn's Park Seawall	<b>Jason Reeves motioned and Steve Jungwirth seconded to approve RES: 121016-C 'Award of Bid for Stearn's Park Seawall / Transient Dock Rehabilitation Project' as presented. Ken Cady/Aye, Steve Jungwirth/Aye, Gordon Garvens/Aye, Larry Wright/No, Jason Reeves/Aye, and Rod Brusius/Aye. Motion carried by majority roll call vote of the council members present.</b>
Renewal of Emergency 911 Joint Powers Agreement	<b>Rod Brusius motioned and Larry Wright seconded to approve RES: 121016-C 'Renewal of Winnebago County 911 Emergency Systems Joint Powers Agreement' as presented. Ken Cady/Aye, Steve Jungwirth/Aye, Gordon Garvens/Aye, Larry Wright/Aye, Jason Reeves/Aye, and Rod Brusius/Aye. Motion carried by unanimous roll call vote of the council members present.</b>
Picnic License for American Legion Post 234 Annual	<b>Rod Brusius motioned and Jason Reeves seconded to approve RES: 121016-E 'Approval of a Temporary Class B Picnic License – American Legion Post 234' as presented for a picnic license to hold their annual</b>

- Banquet at Fire Station **banquet at the Fire Station on October 27, 2012. Ken Cady/Aye, Steve Jungwirth/Aye, Gordon Garvens/Absent, Larry Wright/Aye, Jason Reeves/Aye, and Rod Brusius/Aye. Motion carried by majority roll call vote of the council members present.**
- Budget Meeting The council set a budget workshop for Thursday, November 1, 2012 at 6:00 pm.
- Next Meeting The next meeting of the common council will be held on November 6, 2012 at 7:00 pm in the council chambers of city hall.
- Adjournment **Ken Cady motioned and Jason Reeves seconded to adjourn the council meeting at 7:29 pm. Ken Cady/Aye, Steve Jungwirth/Aye, Gordon Garvens/Aye, Larry Wright/Aye, Jason Reeves/Aye, and Rod Brusius/Aye. Motion carried by unanimous voice vote of the council members present.**

Respectfully submitted by,

*Barbara Van Clarke*

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