

Mayfield Town Council Meeting

July 13, 2016

Regular meeting of the Mayfield Town Council was held on July 13, 2016 at 6:00 p.m. at the Mayfield Town Hall, located at 52 North Main Street, Mayfield, Utah.

Present at the meeting: (by roll call)
Malynda Bjerregaard – Councilmember
Eric Peterson – Councilmember
Zara Faatz - Councilmember
Aaron Peterson – Councilmember
Catherine Bartholomew – Town Recorder
Van Malmgren - Maintenance Supervisor
Mayor John Christensen presiding

Others present at the meeting:
Garrick Willden
David Haight
Keith Graves

Absent:

Training Meeting – 6:00 p.m. – Representatives from the Rural Community Consultants held training for the town council and the planning commission members on GRAMA, Transparency, Agendas, Open and Public Meetings and Public Hearings. They discussed state code laws pertaining to Planning Commissions and the Board of Appeals. They were excused.

Regular Meeting – 7:00 p.m.

Mayor John Christensen called the meeting to order and welcomed everyone to council meeting.

Pledge of Allegiance was given by John P. Christensen

Prayer was given by Eric Peterson

Mayor Christensen turned the time over to Mr. Keith Graves from the Mayfield Town Lions Club. He went over with the council several items of concern for the upcoming 24th of July celebration. He would like barricades put on the hill to stop people from parking on the hill and would like the snow plow moved for more parking sites at the park.

Mr. Graves also discussed with the council the problems they are having with children destroying the playhouse, train and playground equipment at the park. Malynda suggested we put it in the news letter asking parents to talk to their children and if the destruction continues we will have to remove the equipment.

Minutes were read for the month of May, and June. After some discussion motion was made by Eric to accept the minutes with corrections. Seconded by Malynda, motion carried.

Bills were presented for payment for the month of July. After some discussion motion was made by Eric to pay the bills. Seconded by Aaron Peterson, motion carried.

Mr. Haight was present at the meeting to see where the council is on law enforcement for the town. Mayor Christensen stated that he will talk about it later in the meeting.

Garrick Willden, updated the council on our sidewalk project, he also had them pick a color for our handicap rails at each end of the sidewalk.

Catherine talked to the council about the bids to redo the flower beds at the town hall. She stated that we had to have them redo their bids because we have made some changes to the plans. She asked the council if she could award the bid to the lowest bidder and move forward with the project.

Catherine went over several items she had included in there packets. She also reviewed with the council our financial report.

Catherine also talked to the council about getting set up to be able to have our customers pay with a credit/debit card or on line.

The council went over the fire inspection that has been completed on Tory Sorensen's business and that it had passed.

Malynda discussed with the council several items she would like to have our Planning Commission work on. First, start with updating our general plan. She hopes to have the funding and completed within a year. She wants to look at the surveys that were sent out to see what the concerns of the Mayfield residents are. She would like to have our Planning Commission meet on monthly bases. The council decided to have a planning meeting next month at 6:30 p.m. before our regular meeting.

Zara updated the council on the cemetery. She stated that the cattle guard is in and the road project is about complete.

Mayor Christensen stated that he had the opportunity to attend the Six County board meeting and that they did a tour of Sanpete. He stated that he had taken the new Forest Ranger with him and was able to discuss the town cabin road and how rough it is. John said that he is glad that he can serve on this board and feels it is beneficial for town also.

John said that the committee working on our law enforcement has talked with an attorney on setting up a inter local agreement with Gunnison, Centerfield and Mayfield. The mayor stated that he first would like to see the surveys and then also have the public hearing to see what the community feels about the need for law enforcement in town.

John said that the Sanpete County Fire District will be increasing their fees in the near future.

John talked about our water reports and that we can no longer estimate our usage of water at our sources, it needs to be metered so we have a more accurate record. Malynda talked about concerns she had about our water testing report.

Move to adjourn.