

Present:

Michael Kourianos, Mayor
Councilmembers:
Rick Davis
Amy Knott-Jespersen
Boyd Marsing
Layne Miller
Terry Willis

Sherrie Gordon, City Recorder
Miles Nelson, Public Works Director
Nick Tatton, Community/Human Resources Director
Brandon Sicilia, Police Chief

Staff/Others: See Public Meeting Sign-In Sheet

1. Mayor Kourianos called the regular meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.
2. Commander Jelin with the American Legion led the Pledge of Allegiance. Pastor Jimmy Darter with Liberty Faith Fellowship offered a word.
3. Roll was called with the above Councilmembers and staff in attendance.
4. SAFETY SECONDS – Councilmember Knott-Jespersen reminded everyone to buckle up when driving a vehicle. Drive safely.
5. WATER CONSERVATION UPDATE – Miles Nelson presented the water conservation update:
Water Resources Update as of August 25, 2021:
 - As of August 24th, Scofield Reservoir had a water content of 20,256 Acre Feet (30% capacity).
 - Precipitation Accumulation (October 1, 2020 – August 25, 2021) = 18.1” (72% of average).Rain over the past couple of weeks has helped gain a little ground with annual precipitation which is now at 72% of average. However, the storms did not make a significant difference with Scofield Reservoir, which has dropped an additional 3-4% over the past 15 days. The public is doing a good job in conserving water.
6. PUBLIC COMMENT – No public comment was received on any item.
7. FEE WAIVER AND EQUIPMENT REQUEST - Consideration and possible approval of a fee waiver for use of the Peace Garden and sound equipment by Commander David Jelin, American Legion Commander, Price Post 3, District 5 Southeast Utah, for the 20th Anniversary of the Terrorist Attacks of 9/11/2001; Remember, Honor, and Recognize ceremony.
Commander Jelin addressed the Mayor and Council. He said the American Legion Price Post 3 is hosting a 20th Anniversary of the Terrorist Attacks of 9/11/2001, a Day to Remember, Honor, and Recognize the victims of the attacks, our First Responders, and US Armed Forces. This is a patriotic but non-political event. It is about our nation’s loses, sacrifice, honor, and volunteers who were on duty that day 20 years ago. The ceremony begins at 10 AM, Saturday, September 11, 2021. He requested a fee waiver for the use of the Peace Garden and use of the sound equipment. He presented posters to be distributed throughout the area to inform citizens of the ceremony.
MOTION. Councilmember Willis moved to approve waiving the Peace Garden rental fee and use of the sound equipment. Motion seconded by Councilmember Knott-Jespersen and carried.
8. OATH OF OFFICE - Swearing in of new Library Boardmember Jason Olsen.
The City Recorder administered the Oath of Office to Jason Olsen. The Mayor and Council thanked him for volunteering to serve on the Library Board.
9. RESOLUTION NO. 2021-11 - Consideration and possible approval of a resolution amending and adding Price Municipal Corporation job descriptions for the positions of Laborer I - City Wide, Laborer II - City Wide and Laborer III - City Wide
Nick Tatton reviewed the resolution.
MOTION. Councilmember Davis moved to approve Resolution No. 2021-11. Motion seconded by Councilmember Miller and carried.
10. RESOLUTION NO. 2021-12 - Consideration and possible approval of a resolution establishing the employee promotion career ladder matrix for the Laborer - City Wide positions at Price City.
Nick Tatton reviewed the resolution.
MOTION. Councilmember Davis moved to approve Resolution No. 2021-12. Motion seconded by Councilmember Marsing and carried.

11. RESOLUTION NO. 2021-13 - Consideration and possible approval of a resolution amending the Price Municipal Corporation job description for the position of City Engineer.
Nick Tatton reviewed the resolution.
MOTION. Councilmember Miller moved to approve Resolution No. 2021-13. Motion seconded by Councilmember Willis and carried.

CONSENT AGENDA – Councilmember Marsing moved to approve consent agenda items 12 through 19. Motion seconded by Councilmember Knott-Jespersen and carried.

12. MINUTES

- a. August 11, 2021 City Council Workshop
- b. August 11, 2021 City Council Meeting

13. CAREER LADDER PROMOTION - Consideration and possible approval of a career ladder promotion for Brock Breitenstein from Laborer, Grade 4 to Operator I, Grade 7.
14. SELECTIVE SALARY ADJUSTMENTS - Consideration and possible approval of Selective Salary Adjustments, per Section 14.6.A of the Price City Policy and Procedure Manual, for police officers Steven Brown, Arthur Perry, Brandon Rigby, TJ Robertson, and Cameron Sartori.
15. GENERAL SERVICE CONTRACT: ROCKY MOUNTAIN POWER - Consideration and possible approval of a General Service Contract between Rocky Mountain Power and Price City to provide electrical service (Service ID #521574153 001) near 3550 N Highway 6 for the operation of a water testing system required by the State Division of Drinking Water.
16. ATWOOD BABE RUTH BALLFIELD CEMENT PROJECT - Consideration and possible approval to go to bid for the ADA and patron cement project at the Babe Ruth Ball Field. This project will create an ADA viewing area and cement pathways improving accessibility and safety.
17. INTERNATIONAL DAYS - Consideration and possible approval to:
1. Councilmember Chair and Councilmember Co-Chair List.
 2. Chair, Co-Chair, and date to be listed on the November schedule list going forward.
 3. Change 2022 International Days to August 4, 5, 6, 2022.
 4. Change 2023 International Days to August 3, 4, 5, 2023.
18. PROCLAMATION - Consideration and possible approval of a proclamation declaring September 2021 to be Suicide Prevention and Awareness Month.
19. TRAVEL REQUEST- Consideration and possible approval of travel request for:
Councilmember Layne Miller - Utah Outdoor Summit, October 27-28, 2021, Kanab, UT
20. UNFINISHED BUSINESS - Amanda McIntosh, Suicide Prevention Specialist with the Southeast Utah Health District, addressed the Mayor and Council. She expressed appreciation for Price City’s support of the proclamation declaring September 2021 to be Suicide Prevention and Awareness Month. She also expressed appreciation for the Peace Garden fees being waived. She reviewed the activities being held during the month of September. She stated that it is very important to let the community know of all the resources available.
Commander Jelin commented on the negative effects that the Afghanistan situation is having on Veterans. Veterans support activities that the Suicide Prevention Programs provides. She hopes that the community will be part of these activities and help pass the word to others.

Mayor Kourianos called for a motion to close the regular City Council meeting.

MOTION. Councilmember Miller moved to close the regular City Council meeting. Motion seconded by Councilmember Knott-Jespersen and carried.

The regular City Council meeting was adjourned at 5:54 p.m.

APPROVED:

ATTEST:

Michael Kourianos, Mayor

Sherrie Gordon, City Recorder