

The Forsyth Board of Aldermen met in regular session on Monday July 20, 2020 at 6:00 p.m. with the following present:

Mayor Kelly Dougherty  
Larry Moehl  
Cheryl Altis  
Jack Baker  
Greg Dougherty

Craig Smith, Holly Smith Cody Mathew, Bill Mccullah, Aaron Drake, Tracy Mock, Dennis Sulgrove, Tim Church, Missi Hesketh, Nathan Bower, David Forrest, Cheyenne Beasley, and Darren Anstead.

The meeting was opened with a prayer by the Mayor followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

#### FIRST AND SECOND READING OF BILL NUMBER 526 – FACE COVERING REQUIREMENTS

The Mayor explained that several people had called or sent e-mails to City Hall supporting the bill. Received a letter against the bill.

Missi Hesketh and Aaron Drake spoke in support of the face covering requirements. Darren Anstead explained that he is in support of face coverings but should be the business owners that enforce the requirements.

The Mayor also received a letter from Cox Health in support of face covering. The letter explained that face covering requirements is the next step to fighting the corona virus.

On a motion by Cheryl Altis and seconded by Larry Moehl Bill Number 526 was placed on its first reading by title only. Motion carried with all members present voting aye.

The reading was approved on a motion by Jack Baker seconded by Larry Moehl. Motion carried with all members present voting aye.

On a motion by Greg Dougherty and seconded by Larry Moehl Bill Number 526 was placed on its second and final reading by title only. Motion carried with all members present voting aye.

The reading was approved by a motion by Cheryl Altis and seconded by Greg Dougherty and adopted as Ordinance number 526 with a roll call vote of Jack Baker, aye, Larry Moehl, aye, Cheryl Altis, aye, and Greg Dougherty, aye.

#### OPEN SEALED BIDS FOR 2012 DODGE CHARGER

Received the following sealed bids for the 2012 Dodge Charger Police car: Robert Wheeler, \$6,268.00, Dennis Nelson, \$4001.99, Bonnie Brooks, \$1,500.00, Lauren Ebersol, \$2,257.00, Danielle Hathaway, \$2,000.00, Richard Anderson, \$1,000.00, We Mullen, \$900.00, Kelly Romo,

\$3,000.00, Andrew Bryant, \$1,000.00, Dakota King, \$2,000.00, Stacey Mullins, \$1,500.00, Yousef Dabbagh, \$1,675.00, John Koch, \$1,000.00, Kelly Barlow, \$310.00, Michael Gannott, \$721.61.

On a motion by Jack Baker and seconded by Larry Moehl it was approved to accept the bid for the 2012 Dodge Charger from Robert Wheeler in the amount of \$6,268.00. Motion carried with all members present voting aye.

#### FIRST READING OF BILL NUMBER 527 – CONFLICT OF INTEREST

On a motion by Jack Baker and seconded by Greg Dougherty Bill Number 527 was placed on its first reading by title only. Motion carried with all members present voting aye.

The reading was approved on a motion by Greg Dougherty and seconded by Larry Moehl. Motion carried with all members present voting aye.

Second and final reading at the next meeting in August.

#### APPROVE SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER AGREEMENT WITH FORSYTH SCHOOL

The Mayor explained that the board approved the agreement at the June meeting, but changes were made to the agreement. The agreement was changed to reflect an eight-hour day.

On a motion by Jack Baker and seconded by Cheryl Altis it was approved to accept the school resource officer agreement as presented. Motion carried with all members present voting aye.

#### APPROVE MO HWY AND TRANSPORTATION GROWING TOGETHER AGREEMENT ROUND ABOUT

The Mayor explained that Chris Robertson has been working on the beautification of the round about. He was unable to attend the meeting to discuss the project.

On a motion by Jack Baker and seconded by Greg Dougherty it was approved to table this discussion until the next meeting in August. Motion carried with all members present voting aye.

#### PROPERTY DISCUSSION – LIFT STATION AND HWY 160 PROPERTY

On a motion by Cheryl Altis and seconded by Greg Dougherty it was approved to table this agenda item until the next meeting in August. Due to Chris Robertson not being able to attend. Motion carried with all members present voting aye.

#### RE-APPOINT BOB COBBLER – BOARD OF ADJUSTMENTS

On a motion by Cheryl Altis and seconded by Greg Dougherty it was approved to re-appoint Bob Cobbler to the Board of Adjustments. Motion carried with all members present voting aye.

ACCEPT RESIGNATION FROM FIRE DEPARTMENT MEMBERS – TASHA WILDER AND LORYN EDMONDS

On a motion by Jack Baker and seconded by Larry Moehl it was approved to accept the resignations from Tasha Wilder and Loryn Edmonds. Motion carried with all members present voting aye.

ACCEPT APPLICATION FROM CODY MATHEW – FIRE DEPARTMENT

On a motion by Cheryl Altis and seconded by Greg Dougherty it was approved to accept the application from Cody Mathew for the Fire Department. Motion carried with all members present voting aye.

MINUTES – JUNE 15, 2020 MEETING

On a motion by Greg Dougherty and seconded by Jack Baker the minutes of the June 15, 2020 meeting were approved as written. Motion carried with all members present voting aye.

BILLS FOR APPROVAL

On a motion by Cheryl Altis and seconded by Greg Dougherty the bills for June 18, 2020 for \$51,235.53, June 25, 2020 for \$44,462.85, July 2, 2020 for \$11,080.23, July 9, 2020 for \$56,161.65, and July 16, 2020 for \$3,860.47 were approved for payment. Motion carried with all members present voting aye.

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AS OF JUNE 30, 2020

On a motion by Jack Baker and seconded by Larry Moehl the financial statements ending June 30, 2020 were approved as presented. Motion carried with all members present voting aye.

APPROVAL OF TRANSFERS FORM JUNE 18, 2020 THRU JULY 16, 2020

On a motion by Greg Dougherty and seconded by Larry Moehl the transfers from June 18, 2020 thru July 16, 2020 were approved. Motion carried with all members present voting aye.

On a motion by Jack Baker and seconded by Larry Moehl the meeting adjourned at 6:50 p.m. Motion carried with all members present voting aye.

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Cheyenne Beasley, City Clerk

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Kelly Dougherty, City Clerk

