

CITY OF ODEBOLT - REGULAR MEETING  
MONDAY, OCTOBER 6, CITY HALL, 7:30 P.M.

Mayor Rex called the meeting to order with the following Council in attendance: Thompson, Flink and Hemphill. Absent at roll call were Hansen and Scott. Also in attendance were: William and Rachel Wallace, Engineer Neal Kuehl, Supt. Bill Tysor, Chief Bruce Henderson.

Moved by Flink and seconded by Hemphill to approve the agenda. Three ayes. Moved by Hemphill and seconded by Flink to approve the minutes of the previous meeting. Three ayes. Moved by Thompson and seconded by Flink to approve the bills as presented. Three ayes.

DISBURSEMENTS BY FUND

Community Protection	\$ 9,497.71
Garbage	5,796.58
Recycling	2,506.91
Road Fund	29,232.54
Sewer	3,439.85
Water	3,910.61
Sales Tax	573.42
Human Develop.	795.47
General Fund	<u>8,322.97</u>
Total	\$64,076.06

SEPTEMBER RECEIPTS

Utilities	\$23,658.55
Taxes	19,872.71
Road Fund	8,316.91
Interest	101.84
Misc. refunds	<u>1,872.83</u>
	\$53,822.84

Pool receipts

First Federal    \$25.00

Boys & Girls –Major-Minors receipts:

Faith Lutheran Church    \$300.00

William and Rachel Wallace were present to thank Bill Tysor for his assistance with the water leak in Cottage Grove Addition and to request that the City accept, as a gift, the property on which the “Odebolt” sign at the east entrance of town now stands. The Wallaces had originally given the Chamber permission to place the sign there at a time when they had a business and liability insurance at that location. The Wallaces will do the necessary paper work of transferring the property. It was moved by Flink and seconded by Hemphill to accept the offer of approximately 25X30 feet of land. Three ayes.

Moved by Thompson and seconded by Hemphill to approve the following permits: (Three ayes) Roger Sorensen-mailbox; Marge Loger-mailbox; Rod Bettin-addition to house; Margaret Roeder- replace sidewalk and install ramp; Odebolt Nursing and Rehab Center-sidewalks; P.D. Gronemeyer remove sidewalk; Larry Landgraf-mailbox; Carolyne Priebnow-fence; Dan Thayer-tree; Gary Babcock-demolish house; Charles Hansen-automatic sprinkler system (approved with stipulations); Joyce Currie-snow fence; Jeremiah Kruckenberg-addition to garage.

Supt. Tysor reported on the Landfill Meeting that he attended. A tonnage report on recyclables is available at City Hall.

Two complaints were received on open burning situations. A burning ban was discussed. Supt Tysor discussed information he had requested from the State. Further research will be done on what other Cities have in their ordinances.

Engineer Neal Kuehl will be sending a letter to the IDNR on behalf of the City regarding staying in compliance with wastewater regulations.

Trick or Treat has been set for Thursday evening, October 30<sup>th</sup> from 5:00-7:00 p.m.

The Police report was reviewed. Chief Henderson stated that the Dept. has received a grant in the amount of \$2900.00 to be used for a computer, scanner, digital camera and a laptop. The Mayor thanked Chief Henderson for the time spent in applying for the grant. It will be a great benefit to the Department.

The Odebolt Public Library and the Odebolt Fire Department have received notice that they have been designated as heirs of the estate of Albert Prestin upon the death of his loving wife, Eugenia Prestin. The City is most grateful for this generous contribution to these organizations.

Supt. Tysor advised the Council of two requests to remove walnut trees from City parking. Discussion followed and more information will be forthcoming. .

Tysor reported that new regulations have been handed down by the DNR. Quarterly samples will be required and the City must stand the cost.

The City gratefully acknowledges the following gifts: \$25.00 from First Federal for the summer recreation program and \$300.00 from Faith Lutheran Church for the Major-Minor Program

Moved by Hemphill and seconded Flink to make the final payment to Hopkins on the water tower project.

James Scott entered here.

The sidewalk snow removal contract will be renewed with Jace Horsley for the same price as last year.

At 8:28 p.m. it was moved by Hemphill and seconded by Flink to adjourn. Four ayes.

R. J. Rex, Mayor

Joan Godbersen, City Clerk