

City of Stanton
February 28, 2011
Public Hearing Proposed Park Plan

The Public Hearing was called to order at 7:00 pm by Mayor Tissue-Daws.

Commissioner present: Smucker, Kroneck, Burris, Petersen and King. Absent Timiney.

There was a brief discussion regarding grant money available and the process of applying for a grant.

Citizens Comments: Terry Blum commented on if it's a park thing it has to be a good thing.

Judy Guevara asked about the swamp across from the park.

A motion was made by Petersen and supported by Kroneck to adjourn the public hearing. Public Hearing was adjourned at 7:10 pm.

City of Stanton
Regular Meeting
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The regular meeting of the City of Stanton Commission was called to order at 7:10 pm by Mayor Tissue-Daws.

Commissioner present: Smucker, Kroneck, Burris, Petersen and King. Absent Timiney.

A motion was made by Kroneck and supported by Petersen to approve the minutes to the Public Hearing held on February 14, 2011. 5 Yes. 0 No. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Kroneck and supported by Petersen to approve the minutes to the Regular Meeting held on February 14, 2011. 5 Yes. 0 No. Motion carried.

Citizens Comments: Judy Guevara thanked commission for the snow plowing on Sunday.

Additions to the Agenda: Police Report, Budget Amendments, Street Administrator Resolution, Bank Signatory, purchase authorization, purchase dash cam for police department, park plan approval, Montcalm Alliance report, Taxpayers and Citizens Comments.

A motion was made by Kroneck and supported by Smucker to approve the additions to the agenda. 5 Yes. 0 No. Motion carried.

City Manager Report: City Manager reported that the Public Works Dept. needed equipment. Auto dialers were needed for emergency situations for the utilities, safety equipment along with a new building. He also stated that the curbs and gutters need swept and police department needed some equipment.

A motion was made by Kroneck and supported by Smucker to approve the clerk/treasurer report. 5 Yes. 0 No. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Kroneck and supported by Petersen to pay the bills for February 2011. 5 Yes. 0 No. Motion carried.

Smucker reported on the Montcalm Alliance February 17, 2011 meeting. A new web site is being developed giving more information for the alliance. Richard Winger was hired for the new business projects.

Police report was read and placed on file.

A motion was made by Kroneck and supported by Smucker to make a \$40,000 amendment to the budget to cover the cost of the City Manager and the DPW Director wages and expenses taking the money from the fund balance. 5 Yes. 0 No. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Kroneck and supported by Smucker to approve the appointment of James Freed as Street Administrator. 5 Yes. 0 No. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Petersen and supported by Kroneck to make James Freed a signatory of the bank accounts. 5 Yes. 0 No. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Smucker and supported by Petersen to give James Freed authorization to spend up to \$3000 if it is within the Budget. 5 Yes. 0 no. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Kroneck and supported by Petersen to authorize the expenditure of up to \$4000 for a dash cam for the patrol car. 5 Yes. 0 No. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Smucker and supported by Petersen to approve the proposed Five Year Park Plan. 5 Yes. 0 No. Motion carried.

Citizens Comments: Bob Klingbeal from Stanton Rotary commented on the park plan. Terry Blum commented on the DPW Director that was hired. Mike Stearns commented on the need to train the new DPW Director and who gets paid to do it.

Good News! Mother Nature was good to up.

A motion was made by Petersen and supported by Kroneck to adjourn the meeting. Meeting adjourned at 8:00 pm. Next meeting will be held on March 14, 2009 at 7:00 pm in the City Hall Community Room. Public Welcome.

Monica Tissue-Daws Mayor
Janet Davis, City Clerk

