

**MINUTES -MARSING CITY COUNCIL MEETING
APRIL 13, 2016-7:00 PM**

Mayor James Ferdinand called the meeting to order at 7:00 P.M. and led the Pledge of Allegiance. Roll Call: Mayor James Ferdinand, Cory Percifield, Chris Even, City Clerk-Treasurer Janice Bicandi, Marie Herman, Maintenance Supervisor Philip Gibson, City Engineer Amy Woodruff, City Code Enforcer Mike Shimkus and City Attorney Stephanie Bonney. Councilman Aron Streibel was absent. Other present were: Tina Wilson-Western Alliance, Chantyroise Duncan, Casey and Autumn Calloway, Jason Verduzco Transmission Network Company of Idaho, LLC and Bill Nelson.

CONSENT AGENDA: Percifield moved, Even seconded to approve the Consent Agenda, the minutes to the March 9, 2016 regular minutes and Public Hearing and claims against the City in the amount of \$47,973.24. Motion Carried.

Tina Wilson from Western Alliance for Economic Development presented her renewal for the City's annual membership. Percifield moved, Even seconded to actively support Western Alliance in the amount \$1457.00 the annual fee. Motion carried.

Even moved, Herman seconded to approve "Wine and Art in the Park" which will be held on May 7, 2016 from 11 A.M. to 3 P.M., at the Marsing Island Park featuring local artists, Sunny slope Wine, BLM Birds of Prey Exhibit and Food. Motion carried.

PUBLIC INPUT: Chantyroise Duncan asked about incident regarding her cat that was killed by the neighbor's dog that jumped the fence into her Dad's back yard. Deputy Even gave Chantyroise the Sheriff's number to discuss the situation.

NEW BUSINESS: Casey Calloway had questions on how to get an easement to his future home north of the high school gym and what permits will be needed to put a house there. Calloway will do more research.

OLD BUSINESS: City Engineer Amy Woodruff talked about the City of Marsing being awarded a \$100,000 grant to renovate Reich Street for overlay, full depth and sidewalks down one side. Amy will get a sketch ready for Reich Street Project for next meeting city will be salvaging as much of the existing pavement as possible. City will get this done and it will be a good project.

Jason Verduzco-Interstate Transport LLC, Transmission Network Company of Idaho simply is trying to accomplish and to build an infrastructure for providers to offer goods and services to the local public moving forward in the 21st century. Mayor said the site locations you selected are not correct. The City Council asked Jason about Public Utility Status.

Code Enforcer Mike Shimkus presented photos of Richard Rodriguez's lot and will give notice in writing. Mike had questions on how to enforce this with the help of an officer. Mike also talked about Nick Saiz and his business in residential. Mike and Sue Colson cut trees down for their neighbors who place they are taking care of. They have branches they cut off of the trees that are in the alley behind the Senior Center and in front Mayra Huerta home on 1st Street North. Mike and Sue Colson don't have the ability to hall the branches off. Philip was asked how long it would take to clean them up and take them to the burn pile, Philip said about 2 hours. Council said to just do it and bill them for it.

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REPORTS: Maintenance Supervisor Philip Gibson reported pot holes being patches on Kent Street and the request to burn ditch off on South Bruneau Highway. The parks lawns have been fertilized. Water meter service replaced for John Salove. Phillip worked with Kirby on Net DMR we will be testing water quarterly. City crew are monitoring and watching over the methane project. Cross walk signs are on Main Street. Discussion on Crosswalk signs are on center line of Main Street. City council feel it is better money spent to re-do the crosswalks with the crosswalk melt-down rather than spending money on crosswalk signs. We are putting sprinklers lines around the Island Park restrooms. Ordered Park Sign: City Park closed winter 8 p.m. and closed summers 10 p.m.

Mayor's Report:

Even moved, Herman seconded to approve \$500 for the Easter Egg Hunt. Motion carried

Percifield moved, Even seconded to approve \$500 for the Leroy Breshears Fishing Derby on June 4, 2016. Motion carried.

Mayor is working on getting second bid on new phone system for our city phones.

Even moved, Herman seconded to approve a date for the FY 2016-2017 Budget Hearing date for August 16, 2016 at 7:00 P.M. Motion carried.

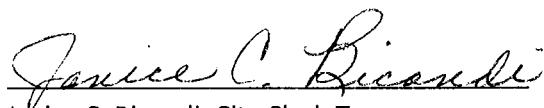
Even moved, Percifield seconded to approve Teresa Bettleyon from the Marsing School District requested to do the summer feeding program at the City Park. Motion carried.

Two beavers were reported at the Island Park Pond. James is working with Fish and Game to remove them.

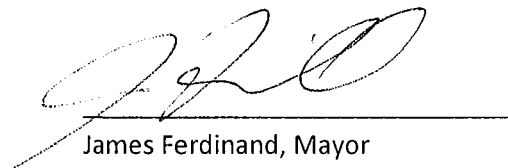
Some discussion on trying to get Intermountain Gas Company out to Marsing, when bridge work is going to be done in 2017.

Even moved, Percifield seconded to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried. The meeting was adjourned at 8:40 P.M.

Respectfully submitted:



Janice C. Bicandi, City Clerk-Treasurer



James Ferdinand, Mayor