

## **MINUTES, March 13, 2025**

The Granby Board of Aldermen met in regular session at 6:00 p.m. with Mayor Pro Tem Doreen Clouse presiding. Present at roll call were: Doreen Clouse, Dustin Elder, and Kristi McGehee, Bobbi White was not present.

Department Heads present: Jim Channel, Tim Murphy, Lawna Price, and Trevor Williams. Lance Piatt represented the Waste Water Department in the absence of Victor Coggin.

Dustin Elder moved to approve the agenda. Kristi McGehee seconded the motion. Voting aye: Doreen Clouse, Dustin Elder, and Kristi McGehee Voting nay: None. Motion carried: 3-0.

Dustin Elder moved to approve the minutes from February 26, 2025. Kristi McGehee seconded the motion. Voting aye: Doreen Clouse, Dustin Elder, and Kristi McGehee. Voting nay: None. Motion carried: 3-0.

Guest Speaker, Jeremy Hopper, expressed concern about the Veterans Park sign blocking the sight line of the City of Granby electronic sign which makes it difficult for cars traveling Highway 60 to read messages. After some discussion, Kristi McGehee moved to lower the Veterans Park sign enough to make the electronic sign visible. Dustin Elder seconded the motion. Voting aye: Doreen Clouse, Dustin Elder, and Kristi McGehee. Voting nay: None. Motion carried: 3-0

A date for the next Budget Review was set for Monday, April 7<sup>th</sup>, at 5:30 PM.

Dustin Elder moved to approve the Bills to Pay/Balances on Hand Report. Kristi McGehee seconded the motion. Voting aye: Doreen Clouse, Dustin Elder, and Kristi McGehee. Voting nay: None. Motion carried: 3-0

Kristi McGehee moved to approve the Department Head Reports. Dustin Elder seconded the motion. Voting aye: Doreen Clouse, Dustin Elder, Kristi McGehee. Voting nay: None. Motion carried: 3-0

There was discussion regarding the new Senior Computer Classes. The first class is scheduled for March 27<sup>th</sup>. The need for future classes will be determined by level of interest.

Chief Trevor Williams introduced the new police officer, Bill Watkins, to the Council. He was sworn in by Interim City Clerk, Deborah Billings.

The new Missouri Blue Shield Program was discussed briefly, but Council agreed more information is needed.

Ordinance 948 was read. Dustin Elder moved the ordinance be approved on first reading. Kristi McGehee seconded the motion. Voting aye: Doreen Clouse, Dustin Elder, and Kristi McGehee. Voting nay: None. Motion carried: 3-0.

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Ordinance 949 was read. Dustin Elder moved the ordinance be approved on first reading. Kristi McGehee seconded the motion. Voting aye: Doreen Clouse, Dustin Elder, and Kristi McGehee. Voting nay: None. Motion carried: 3-0.

Estimates from John Cotton Roofing to replace the roof on the police station side of City Hall and for soffit, fascia and gutter repair/replacement on the remainder were reviewed. Dustin Elder moved to table this matter until the March 27<sup>th</sup> meeting and get additional bids for review. Kristi McGehee seconded the motion. Voting aye: Doreen Clouse, Dustin Elder, and Kristi McGehee, Voting nay: None. Motion carried: 3-0.

Dustin Elder moved to remove Sandra Williams as an authorized signer for the court bank account and add Savannah Heun as an authorized signer. Kristi McGehee seconded the motion. Voting aye: Doreen Clouse, Dustin Elder, and Kristi McGehee. Voting nay: None. Motion carried: 3-0.

Dustin Elder moved to transfer the remaining CD at Southwest Missouri Bank to Community Bank & Trust. Kristin McGehee seconded the motion. Voting aye: Doreen Clouse, Dustin Elder, and Kristi McGehee, Voting nay: None. Motion carried: 3-0.

Kristi McGehee moved to go into a closed session in accordance with RSMo 610.021 to discuss a Personnel Matter. Dustin Elder seconded the motion. Voting aye by Roll Call: Doreen Clouse, Dustin Elder, and Kristi McGehee. Voting nay: None. Motion carried: 3-0. Council entered into closed session at 6:34 PM. No motions made or votes were taken during closed session

Kristi McGehee moved to return to open session. Dustin Elder seconded the motion. Voting aye by Roll Call: Doreen Clouse, Dustin Elder, and Kristi McGehee. Voting nay: None. Motion carried; 3-0. Mayor Pro Tem Doreen Clouse returned the meeting to open session at 7:04 PM.

Dustin Elder moved to adjourn. Kristi McGehee seconded the motion. Voting aye: Doreen Clouse, Dustin Elder, and Kristi McGehee, Voting nay: None. Motion carried: 3-0.

Meeting adjourned 7:05 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

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Deborah Billings, Interim City Clerk