

STERLING CITY COMMISSION

Regular Meeting

April 19, 2010

7:00 PM

City Hall - 114 N. Broadway - Sterling, Kansas

I. Routine Business

1. Call to Order
2. Additions or Deletions to the Agenda (*Additions addressed under Other Business*)
3. Recognition of Visitors
4. Citizen Forum

II. Consent Agenda

1. Approval of Appropriation Number 7-10
2. Approval of 4-5-10 Regular Meeting Minutes
3. Approval of Representative Phernella Tripp and Alternate Kay Kennedy for reappointment to the Rice County Council on Aging.

III. New Business

1. Recognition for City Commissioner Kim Witt for (4) years of service from January 2006 to April 2010 and serving 2008-2009 as Mayor.
2. Welcome to newly elected City Commissioner Steve Rivas for a (3) year term and oath to office.
3. Congratulations to City Commissioner Todd Rowland for re-election for a (3) year term and oath to office.
4. Appointment of a new Mayor for a one-year term by the City Commission.
5. Appointment of a new Vice-Mayor for a one-year term by the City Commission.
6. Presentation of the Rice County EMS 2009 Annual Report by Director Terry David.
7. Presentation on Sterling Lake shelter house options, Flag Memorial, and budget funding by Park Board President Kent Anthony.
8. Presentation on Sterling Public Library maintenance funding by Board of Directors.
9. Recommend approval of Stutzman Refuse Disposal Inc rate increase of \$0.25 per month per residence from \$9.25 to \$9.50 and commercial as per rate sheet. Regional Operations Manager Bob McClure.
10. Recommend approval of FEMA Reconductoring bid on Projects #15, #16 and #22 for \$86,692.25 energized rate and \$86,692.25 30% energized and 70% de-energized from IES Commercial Inc of Holdrege, Nebraska. IES Commercial Inc is the second lowest bidder as original low bidder Tiede's Line Construction Inc has withdrawn.

11. Recommend approval of Bucher, Willis & Ratliff Corporation Agreement for Engineering Services in the amount of \$3,000 for probable water surface elevation sheet flow determination for FEMA Flood Zone AO revision to Zone X.
12. Recommend approval of Blue Cross/Blue Shield Health Insurance renewal premium increase of 6.5% for June 2010 thru May 2011. The adopted 2010 budget provided for a 15% increase in premium.
13. Information – Kansas Power Pool meeting held at Jeffrey Energy Center on 4-15-10. Commissioner Bob Booth and City Manager Rod Willis attended.
14. Recommend approval to purchase Tiger rear boom flair mower for \$15,720 from Sellers Equipment utilizing sewer lagoon loan funds to perform needed mowing maintenance on lagoon slopes. Utilization of sewer lagoon loan funds has been approved by Rod Geisler of KDHE through consultant Bill Strait. Another bid for a Land Pride Rotary Cutter for \$16,186.56 was received from PrairieLand Partners, Inc in Hutchinson, the John Deere Dealership.

IV. Other Business

1. Hear Miscellaneous City Manager Reports and Updates.

V. Adjournment