

City of Wellsville  
411 Main  
Wellsville, KS 66092

The regular meeting of the Wellsville City Council was held on Wednesday, June 12<sup>th</sup> 2024 in the Wellsville City Hall meeting room located at 411 Main Street. Councilmen present were Chuck Rutledge, Cory Cunningham, Nichole Pruitt and Scott Hutchinson. Department heads present were City Superintendent Darien Kerr, Police Chief Danny Hackler and Building and Codes official Isaac Mallory.

Councilman Luke Henry was absent.

Councilman Scott Hutchinson moved to approve the consent agenda and the minutes from the previous meeting. Councilman Cory Cunningham seconded. Motion passed 4-0

Mayor Lytle opened the meeting up for public comments.

Lorrie Glass Coffman with the Chamber gave the new membership brochures to council. Lorrie said the chamber golf tournament is coming up in July and will talk to businesses regarding hole sponsorship.

County Commissioner Don Stottlemire gave the county report. The ambulance is up in revenue and will be receiving they should receive the new ambulance this month.

The Historical Society donation was brought before council. The Historical Society asked for a donation from the City, the last one was given in 2021.

Councilman Cory Cunningham motioned to give \$10,000 to the Historical Society again. Councilman Chuck Rutledge seconded. Motion passed 4-0.

A Senior citizen discount for the pool was discussed. Consensus was to let senior citizens 65 and older in for free.

The pool repairs were brought before council with an attached list. There were items already done on the list.

The baby pool is still an issue, the ladders inside the pool are still broken, vaccums are an issue and she needs more training on the big one to make it work better. Jaime Speer said there is a gap on the pool ladder that the little ones can fit thru. Councilwoman Nichole Pruitt suggested looking at the gap immediately.

Jamie said that the outlets are tripping; we have an electrician coming this evening to look at all the problems. Isaac suggested he inspect it before opening the pool for the season.

Some of the things that need to be repaired can be repaired at their convenience. Councilman Rutledge suggested getting a metal rolling shelf with a lock to purchase for the wooden shelf that is rotting and in need of repair.

The outside fence was loose and kids were getting in. Jaime said she zip tied the fence and Darien put clamps on it later.

Councilwoman Nichole Pruitt said the list was good and to provide another list at the end of summer and keep us updated on anything that is a hazard.

Councilwoman Nichole Pruitt also suggested the pool manager come to 1 meeting a month.

City Superintendent Darien Kerr said he is starting chip and seal on the 18<sup>th</sup> of June. Darien said a truck was involved in an accident and needs repaired.

Police Chief Danny Hackler gave the Police Department report.

Building and Codes official Isaac Mallory gave the planning report. A & W has submitted plans and will go through planning. There are 5 permits currently being processed. 32 inspections have been done since last May and 87 phone calls recently. The city car has 110,000 miles and we may need to start looking for a different vehicle.

Councilman Chuck Rutledge motioned to go into executive session at 6:37 p.m to discuss performance of non-elected personnel pursuant to KSA 75-4319(b)(1). The open meeting will resume in City Council chambers at 6:4 p.m. Councilman Hutchinson seconded. Motion passed 4-0.

Councilman Hutchinson moved to come out of executive session. Councilwoman Nichole Pruitt seconded. Motion passed 4-0.

No motions were made and only the above mentioned item was discussed.

Councilman Hutchinson moved to have a pool tour to review the list that was given. Councilwoman Pruitt seconded. Motion passed 4-0.

Councilman Hutchinson motioned to adjourn the meeting. Councilwoman Pruitt seconded. Motion passed 4-0.

Meeting adjourned at 6:45 pm

City Clerk  
Tammy Jones