

THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE EAST DUBLIN MAYOR AND COUNCIL

February 12, 2024

The regular meeting of the East Dublin Mayor and Council was called to order by Mayor George Gornto.

Invocation was led by Councilman Brown followed by pledge to the flag.

A motion was made by Councilwoman Roberson and seconded by Councilman Tanner to approve the minutes as read of the previous meeting. All voted in favor with none opposed.

A motion was made by Councilman Williams and seconded by Councilman Brown to approve the bills for payment, which also included an invoice from Hofstadter and Associates in the amount of \$3,261.50. All voted in favor with none opposed

A motion was made by Councilman Brown and seconded by Councilman Sheppard to approve the financial statements. All voted in favor with none opposed.

A motion was made by Councilwoman Roberson and seconded by Councilman Williams to add to the agenda “Volunteer Fireman Pay”. All voted in favor of the addition with none opposed.

A motion was made by Councilman Sheppard and seconded by Councilman Tanner to increase the volunteer fireman’s pay from \$10.00 per call to \$15.00 per call and to be retroactive back to 1/01/2024. All voted in favor of the increase with none opposed.

The following two items from the Public Works Department were presented to the Council for surplus:

1996 Freightliner Truck
1998 Vermeer Chipper

After discussion, a motion was made by Councilman Tanner and seconded by Councilman Sheppard to surplus and place on GovDeals.com for sale the 1996 Freightliner Truck and 1998 Vermeer Chipper. All voted in favor with none opposed.

Two items under the Larsen Street Sewer Project Bid were presented as two separate items to be voted upon. There are as follows:

To approve/disapprove KDUG, Corporation as the lowest bidder for the project
To approve/disapprove \$43,374 additional City funds out of SPLOST for the project

The first item of Larsen Street Sewer Project Bid for the contractor bid portion was addressed.

After discussion, a motion was made by Councilman Tanner and seconded by Councilman

Sheppard to approve KDUG, Corporation as the contractor for the Larsen Street Sewer Project with the lowest bid of \$995,874. All voted in favor with none opposed. (See Attached Bid List)

The second item of the Larsen Street Sewer Project bid for the approval/disapproval of additional funding was addressed.

After further discussion, a motion was made by Councilman Williams and seconded by Councilman Tanner to approve the \$43,374 of additional City funds to be added to the initial \$100,000 city cash match for the Larsen Street Sewer Project. It as noted that these funds would be taken out of SPLOST. All voted in favor with none opposed. (See Attached Project Cost)

Mayor Gornto opened the floor for Recognition of Citizens. There was no one present.

Being no further business, a motion to adjourn was made by Councilman Williams and seconded by Councilman Sheppard. All voted in favor with none opposed.

Approved: 3/11/2024

Mayor

City Clerk

Attending:

Mayor George H. Gornto
City Clerk Melissa Bassett
Police Chief Bill Luecke

Council Members:

Braxton Brown, Jr.
Brenda Roberson
John Sheppard
Len Tanner, Jr.
Al Williams