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SPECIAL MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF GIBSON CITY
Tuesday, January 17, 2023

Call to order at 7:02 p.m. by Mayor Dickey.

Roll Call:

Ward #1	Susie Tongate:	P	Vacancy
Ward #2	Randy Wyant:	P	Ray Hanks: P
Ward #3	Scott Davis:	P	Vacancy
Ward #4	Denis Fisher:	P	Laura Miller: P
Jr. Alderman	Allison Spiller	A	

Others present: (Sign-in sheet attached) Engineer Will Gray – Donohue & Associates, Jean Noellsch representing Ford County Chronicle, resident Doug Parsons.

Alderman Miller made a motion to enter into Executive Session for the Limited Purpose of Discussing the Employment, Performance, and/or Compensation of One or More City Employees Pursuant to 5 ILCS 120/2 (1), 2nd by Alderman Davis.

Council returned to regular session at 8:00 p.m.

Motion made by Alderman Randy Wyant to hire Brad Duncan of Fairbury, to serve as the Wastewater Superintendent for Gibson City, beginning salary \$90K, four weeks' vacation, \$50 monthly stipend for cell phone, and a written agreement to waive health insurance benefits for himself and his family for 10 years; 2nd to this motion made by Alderman Scott Davis. Discussion on this motion – Visitor Doug Parsons asked council why they are not following the vacation weeks as set forth in ordinance book/handbook, increasing with years of employment. Mayor Dickey responded the handbook is a guideline, but city can make adjustments as needed and approved. Roll call vote, Motion carried 5/1, Alderman Denis Fisher cast the dissenting vote.

Mayor Dickey asked Alderman Wyant to take care of the 'housekeeping matter' of pay that was approved previously for employees Rich Nolte & Tyler Martin. Wyant explained that on December 27th, Nolte was promoted to Assistant Superintendent of Streets & Alleys and received a \$5.00 per hour increase, and Tyler Martin received title of Streets & Alleys Superintendent, along with his current title of Water Superintendent, and the dollar amount was an additional \$26K added to his current Water Supt. / Safety Mgr. Salary of \$65K, along with 4 weeks vacation and 100% health insurance coverage. Alderman Wyant stated council neglected to set a 'start date' for the increases, and his motion is to make these rates effective as of December 28th for both Nolte and Martin; 2nd made by Alderman Davis. Motion carried 6/0.

No further business, Motion to Adjourn made by Alderman Davis, 2nd by Alderman Fisher, all in favor, meeting adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

APPROVED

Mayor Daniel E Dickey

ATTEST _____
Janice L Hall, City Clerk