

Important Notice

**This meeting will be held with Council Members and the Mayor
In attendance at the South Pointe Par Community Building at 521 S
Sycamore Street.**

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cityhall@elpasoil.org by 4:30 PM on Monday to enable us to send you a
meeting Invitation.**

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meeting in person at El Paso City Hall. The Governor of Illinois
Executive Order for size of groups and social distancing will still be
enforced. We would encourage anyone wanting to attend the
meeting, to do so electronically. If you are having issues or have
questions, please contact us at the number below, prior to the
meeting. (309) 527-4005**

A Regular Meeting of the El Paso City Council was called to order by Mayor J.W. Price on January 4, 2021 at 7:30 PM.

Council Members Present: Brucker, Moore, Staulcup, Barker, Kearney and Kilpatrick. Absent: None. The Mayor reported the meeting is being recorded.

Present in Person: Director of Public Services Barry Kauther, Treasurer Linda Haas, Clerk Fever, Police Chief Joe Montemurro, Officer Sean Montoney, Officer Cole Mekley, Officer Bryan and Kenzie Wilkey, Thad Mool, and Kim Kearney as the local press.

Also present by Zoom Application: Administrative Assistant Sandee Kessinger, Public Works Supervisor Casey Jones and Recreation Director Colton Scott. Others names from zoom software

Karen, Taylor Lisa Hocker and Deb.

Pledge of allegiance to the flag was recited.

Approval of Agenda: Motion by Kearney, seconded by Kilpatrick to approve agenda as presented. Roll call vote taken of all ayes.

Consent Agenda.

Council Minutes: The minutes of the December 21, 2020 Regular City Council Meeting were presented in written form

Parks & Recreation Committee Minutes: The minutes of the December 21, 2020 Parks & Recreation Committee Meeting were presented in written form

Register of Bills: The Register of Bills in the amount of \$ 9,442.98 was presented.

Approval of Consent Agenda: Motion by Kearney, seconded by Moore to approve items on consent agenda as presented. Roll call vote taken of all ayes.

Public Comments: None.

Old Business: None.

New Business:

Police Certificates of Commendation: Chief Police Joe Montemurro, presented Officer Sean Montoney, Officer Cole Mekley, and Officer Bryan Wilkey with Certificates of Commendation for jobs well done on arrests of several suspects in past two weeks.

Perks & Recreation Projects: Motion by Kilpatrick, seconded by Kearney to approve the price quote from Concrete Magic of \$13,091 for a new floor surface in the Pool House and to approve a 50% advance. Roll call vote taken of all ayes.

Ordinances: Several changes to parking regulations are to be discussed by Pubic Safety Committee and possible changes to be presented to Council.

Council Room Audio & Video: Four proposals were presented for Audio Video equipment in Council Room. Motion by Brucker, seconded by Kilpatrick to approve spending \$29,861 or less on equipment and installation. Roll call vote taken of all ayes.

Director of Public Service: Barry reported much work will be done on ice/snow storm clean up over the next month with a lot of fallen limbs and trees, some breaking power service lines. Training required by OSHA will be held next week.

Mayor's Report: The Mayor reported spoke of power and tree issues. New Committee assignments were presented.

City Council Comments: No comments.

Police Chief Report: Chief presented a written report of activity report for December.

Clerk's Report: Nothing to report.

Attorney Stoller was absent.

Motion by Kilpatrick, seconded by Brucker to adjourn. Roll call vote taken of all ayes. Meeting adjourned at 8:20 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

David W. Fever,
City Clerk