

JANUARY 17, 2017

The Jerseyville City Council met in regular session on Tuesday, January 17, 2017, at 6:00 p.m. in the Jerseyville City Hall.

Roll call: Present were Commissioners Gary Goetten, Kevin Stork, Richard Perdun and Mayor Bill Russell. Comm. Steve Pohlman was absent. Also present was City Attorney Bill Strang.

Comm. Perdun led the opening prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

A motion was made by Comm. Perdun and seconded by Comm. Stork to approve the minutes of the last regular meeting on January 3, 2017, Roll call vote showed all present voted aye, no nays, motion carried.

A motion was made by Comm. Stork, seconded by Comm. Perdun, to approve the bills as presented which totaled \$311,685.22. Roll call vote showed all present voted aye, no nays, motion carried.

City Attorney Bill Strang explained that the next item on the agenda was an Ordinance amending the Jerseyville Code regarding drug paraphernalia to include allowing the Chief of Police or his designee to be able to designate certain items that are used to ingest, inject, inhale or otherwise introduce into the human body cannabis or any other controlled or banned substance under state law. As a result it gives the Chief of Police a little more authority over the situation where things that have never been used for anything but drug use be removed from sale or delivery to any person within 14 days of his order. Att. Strang proposed that the City approve Section 1, deleting Section 2 (which may be dealt with later), thus moving Section 3 to 2, and Section 4 would then become Section 3. Section 2 would be the penalty paragraph imposing a \$100 Fine and incarceration for up to 30 days for the 1st offense; and up to \$700 and up to 30 days in jail for the second and each subsequent offense. The State allows that in certain circumstances the City can be the same or more restrictive than State law. The revised copy would be back to the City Clerk by the morning, basically adding 2 new sub-paragraphs to the City Code, Title 6, Chapter 5, Article C, Section 6-5C-5, A.1. A motion was made by Comm. Stork, seconded by Comm. Goetten, to approve the Ordinance amending the Code concerning drug paraphernalia with the revisions. Roll call vote showed all present voted aye, no nays, motion carried. **ORD #1688.**

ORD #1688
REGARDING DRUG PARAPHERNALIA

There was no public comment and Angela Sullivan reminded the Council that the Daddy/Daughter Dance will again be 3 nights this year, February 17-19. Due to the popularity of the event it has gone from 1 night in 2012 to 3 nights last year and moving it to the weekend preceding President's Day allows 3 days for the event.

DADDY/DAUGHTER DANCE
SCHEDULED FOR 2/17-2/19

With no further business to discuss, a motion was made by Comm. Goetten, seconded by Comm. Stork, to adjourn the meeting at 6:15 p.m. Roll call vote showed all present voted aye, no nays, motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT