January 22, 2024 Morton City Council Regular Meeting

Mayor Rick Mead Councilman Jason Sawyer Councilman Bob Boyer Councilman Richard Vanderlip Councilman Travis Cooper Councilwoman Caro Johnson

7:00 pm - Pledge of Allegiance: Led by Mayor Mead

Consent Agenda vouchers and EFTs from December 18, 2023 passed. (Motion by councilman Cooper, 2<sup>nd</sup> councilman Vanderlip, all in favor)

## Public comment:

None

## New business:

- Council approved Ord. 2024-01 prohibiting the interference with first responders and firefighters (Motion by councilman Vanderlip, 2<sup>nd</sup> councilman Sawyer, all in favor)
- Council approved Ordinance 2024-02 to amend, repeal and replace sections of Morton municipal code chapter 9.04 adopting state statutes as the Morton Criminal Code (Motion by councilman Vanderlip, 2<sup>nd</sup> councilwoman Johnson, all in favor)
- Councilman Vanderlip spoke regarding beautification and improvements to the Lyle building.
   FOMP would like to put up a lighted sign to advertise FOMP functions and advertise for Lyle.
   Trevor a member of FOMP wants to plant flowers and beautify grounds around Lyle.

## Old Business:

Council approved to surplus the park manager house (Motion by councilman Vanderlip, 2<sup>nd</sup> councilman Boyer, all in favor)

## Public Participation:

Citizen asked if public comment could be changed to 5 minutes and if council thought about live streaming the meetings.

Councilwoman Johnson stated a citizen in Morton will turn 100 yrs. old, maybe city could do something to acknowledge her and also Councilwoman Johnson will be in charge of the city clean up day.

Motion to adjourn by councilman Vanderlip, 2<sup>nd</sup> councilwoman Cooper, all in favor.

Adjourn 7:45 pm Respectfully, LuAnn Ward, City Clerk

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Ricky Mead, Mayor

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