

**Ruthven City Council Meeting  
June 5, 2019 - 6:30 PM**

The Ruthven City Council, of the City of Ruthven, Iowa, met on the 5<sup>th</sup> Day of June, 2019, at 6:30 PM, in regular session, in Council Chambers at City Hall, pursuant to law and to the rules of said council.

Meeting was called to order by Mayor David J Kirk in the Chair, and the roll being called, the following members were present: Mitch Anderson, Dustin Johnson, Jay Schoning, Marci Simington and Terrance Williams Absent: None

City employees present: Michael Loder and Margaret Tatman.

Public: Peg & Steve Cizek-Bobber Down, Lenny Larsen-ISG Engineering, Nancy Foertsch-LISSD.

Motion Schoning, second Johnson to approve: minutes from May 22, 2019 council meeting, summary list of claims and clerk's financial reports. Vote-Ayes: Anderson, Johnson, Schoning, Simington and Williams. Nays: None. Absent: None

Motion Simington, second Williams to approve RESOLUTION NO 25-2018 –A RESOLUTION SETTING PUBLIC HEARING ON THE CITY COUNCIL INTENT TO AMEND THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF RUTHVEN, IOWA, BY ADDING A NEW CHAPTER ALLOWING AND REGULATING THE KEEPING OF URBAN CHICKENS, DUCKS AND RABBITS WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS OF THE CITY OF RUTHVEN. Public Hearing will be held June 19, 2019 at 6:35 p.m. Roll Call Vote-Ayes: Anderson, Johnson, Schoning, Simington and Williams. Nays: None. Absent: None

Lenny Larsen of ISG Engineering was on hand and shared information with the council on Phase II Sewer Lagoon project with Mayor and Council.

Mayor Kirk shared with council that Blacktop Services called and said the street projects are a month behind.

Discussion was held on painting murals on the south walls of the bath house. More information will be brought to the next council meeting.

Motion Williams, second Anderson to approve spending of up to \$2,000.00 for lounge chairs around the large pool and regular chairs for around the baby pool. Vote-Ayes: Anderson, Johnson, Schoning, Simington and Williams. Nays: None. Absent: None

Discussion was held on roofing the pool bathhouse and park shelter house along with plumbing repairs in the pool pump house.

Motion Johnson, second Simington to approve advertising for the two open library board member openings. Vote-Ayes: Anderson, Johnson, Schoning, Simington and Williams. Nays: None. Absent: None

The city seal design contest entries were looked over and each council member is to bring the top 3 favorite designs to the next meeting for further discussion on them.

Discussion was held on commercial buildings and living in them.

Motion Williams, second Johnson to adjourn meeting at 7:03 P.M. Vote- Ayes: Anderson, Johnson, Schoning, Simington and Williams. Nays: None. Absent: None

Signed:

Attest:

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David J. Kirk, Mayor

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Margaret Tatman, City Clerk