

Proceedings of the Colo City Council  
March 7, 2007

The Colo City Council met in regular session on Wednesday, March 7, 2007, at City Hall. Mayor John Foley called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. The roll was called showing members present and absent as follows: Present: Otto, Snodgrass, Wilson. Absent: Woods, Stoeffler.

Council member Wilson moved to approve the minutes of the February 5, 2007, meeting as presented. Council member Snodgrass seconded the motion and it passed all ayes.

Receipts Summary: General Fund 18753.18, Road Use Tax Fund 6668.09, Water Utility Fund 9676.55, Sewer Utility Fund 6941.18, Solid Waste Fund 8042.00, Debt Service Fund 39.74, Trust and Agency Fund 200.00, Tax Increment Finance Fund 152.78, Local Option Sales Tax Fund 8387.36.

Council member Otto moved to approve the following claims for payment:

GENERAL FUND	
AFTER PROM PARTY	100.00
ALLIANT UTILITIES	1,266.82
B&D AUTO PARTS	4.66
BANKERS LEASING COMPANY	331.25
BERKA, SCOTT	1,708.72
CARLETON, JON	92.24
CASEY'S GENERAL STORES	47.15
COLO POST OFFICE	236.20
COLO TELEPHONE CO.	115.72
DRAINTEC	245.00
HEIMAN FIRE EQUIPMENT	2,222.85
I.P.E.R.S.	734.69
ING LIFE INSURANCE & ANNUITY	246.42
LUKE, DEANNE	100.00
METLIFE	292.03
MID-IOWA PUBLISHING	3.65
MIDWEST BREATHING AIR SYSTEMS	498.85
OPPEDAL, MARY	584.65
REASSURE AMERICA LIFE INS	321.71
STAPLES	263.49
STATE BANK & TRUST CO.	2,323.49
THE TRIBUNE	33.44
TRUE NORTH COMPANIES LC	33.68
WHITE & ZAFFARANO LAW OFFICE	352.00
ROAD USE TAX FUND	
ABSOLUTE GLASS	115.00
ALLIANT UTILITIES	1,045.13
BERKA, SCOTT	877.92
BOB'S PAINT & REPAIR	222.30
CARLETON, JON	1,197.52
CASEY'S GENERAL STORES	119.80
FROHWEIN STORES INC.	67.52
IOWA DOT	204.56
MID-LAND EQUIPMENT	7.75
STORY COUNTY ENGINEER	488.63
VEENSTRA & KIM INC	482.50
VETTER EQUIPMENT CO	103.64
WATER UTILITY FUND	
ALLIANT UTILITIES	400.37
BERKA, SCOTT	516.42
CARLETON, JON	462.68
MINNESOTA VALLEY LABORATORY	16.00
ZIEGLER CAT	455.00
SEWER UTILITY FUND	
ALLIANT UTILITIES	47.95

COLO TELEPHONE CO.	24.20
SOLID WASTE	
AMES, CITY OF	1,487.42
BENNETT'S SANITATION	2,678.00
WASTE MANAGEMENT OF AMES	420.69
TRUST AND AGENCY FUND	
BESCH, GREG	100.00

Council member Wilson seconded the motion and it passed all ayes.

The Council received reports from the Colo Recreation Board, the Colo Public Library, and Colo Development Group.

Mayor Foley gave a report on the Community Center Planning Committee. The committee currently has 8 members and will hold its first meeting before the next regular Council meeting.

At 7:30 p.m. the Mayor declared that this was the time and the place for a public hearing to hear comments for or against the proposed City budget for the fiscal year ending 6-30-08. There were no comments received and the hearing was closed.

Council member Snodgrass introduced and moved the approval of a RESOLUTION APPROVING THE CITY OF COLO OPERATING BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING 6-30-08. Council member Otto seconded the motion and it passed with record vote as follows: Ayes: Otto, Wilson, Snodgrass. Nays: None. Whereupon the Mayor declared the motion carried and the resolution approved and he gave it No. 07-3-1 for the record.

The Council discussed the possibility of providing some form of assistance to residents with tree damage caused by the recent wind and ice storm. No action taken.

The Council discussed the City's law enforcement services contract. Mayor Foley reported that he had been in contact with representatives of the City of Nevada for providing the law enforcement services for Colo. The Council agreed to have the Mayor continue discussions with the City of Nevada.

The Council tabled action on the 2007 street seal-coating contract.

Council member Wilson moved to approve the following appointments to the Colo Planning and Zoning Commission: James Chevalier – reappointment to a 5 yr. term ending 12-31-11, and Jason Dodd – appointment to an unexpired term ending 12-31-09. Council member Snodgrass seconded the motion and it passed all ayes.

The Council reviewed the status of nuisance abatement actions.

There being no further business to come before the meeting Council member Wilson moved to adjourn. Council member Snodgrass seconded the motion. The motion carried and the meeting adjourned.

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John W. Foley  
Mayor

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
Scott V. Berka  
City Clerk