

COUNCIL MEETING OF MARCH 18, 2013

The second regular March meeting of the Mannington City Council with Mayor Bob Garcia presiding was held Monday, March 18, 2013 at 7:00 p.m. at city hall. Council members attending were Christina Dunigan, Larry Smith, Terry Starsick, Rana Taylor and Becky Williams.

City Clerk Michele Fluharty read the minutes of the last regular meeting and they stood approved as read.

Mayor Garcia recognized the visitors. Mary Ayersman of Consolidation Coal asked for permission to purchase 200,000 gallons of water from the City at \$5.00 per 1,000 gallons. Dunigan asked how the City would determine the amount of water used by Consol. Garcia said the honor system would be used. Taylor made the motion to approve the sale of 200,000 gallons to Consol. Smith seconded the motion and it carried. The City Attorney previously approved the agreement between the two parties.

Joe Reynolds said he would like to address the Patriot Coal issue. Garcia said he sent a letter on behalf of the City stating that the actions of Patriot Coal were not only detrimental to the coal miners but it had a trickle down affect on everyone else in the area. Reynolds said he would check to see if that letter had been received.

Orie Ellen Sterling thanked Councilman Starsick for his efforts to get new sidewalks in the Brookside Addition but added that she hoped there would be some money to be used in the Southside area so they can tie in to the new bridge.

In department reports, Superintendent Ted Nice detailed the work done by his crew during the last two weeks. He reported that Jim Gill and Mike Williams both passed their meter tests and will now be licensed to test the water meters. Chief of Police David James gave his February report and said they received 118 calls for assistance during the month.

In Old Business, the only item was the final approval of the FY 2013-14 budgets. Dunigan made the motion to adopt the General, Water, Fire, Coal

Severance and Mead Fund Budgets for FY 2013-14. Starsick seconded the motion and all approved.

Mayor Garcia recommended that Stacy Hays be appointed to fill an unexpired term on the Planning Commission. Taylor made the motion to appoint Hays. Smith seconded the motion and it carried. Her term will expire on June 30, 2013.

Taylor made the motion to hold a Clean-Up Day on Saturday, April 6. Smith seconded the motion and it carried. Two dumpsters will be rented for the day.

Taylor made the motion to adjourn. Starsick seconded the motion and it carried. The meeting adjourned at 7:20 p.m.