

**CITY OF ORIENT, IOWA  
REGULAR MEETING  
JANUARY 16, 2020**

The regular meeting of the Orient City Council was called to order by Mayor Swanson on January 16, 2020 at 6:00 PM at Orient City Hall. The following council members answered roll call: Joshua Madison, Gary Metzger, Clarissa Pashek, Justin Boswell was absent. Also present, Scott Tonderum, Greenfield Municipal Utilities, City Attorney, David Grapentine, Maintenance Superintendent, Jim Sitzman and City Clerk, Della Kramer.

Motion made by Madison 2<sup>nd</sup> by Pashek to approve the consent agenda which included the following: agenda for January 16, 2020, minutes of the December 9, 2019 Council Meeting, Special meeting January 6, 2020, approval of bills for \$26,240.44 and the December financial reports. All voting aye, motion carried.

Scott Tonderum from Greenfield Municipal Utilities talked about upgrading to new meters and automated water readings, the council would like more information. Scott also shared service agreements that GMU has with their customers.

Motion made by Metzger 2<sup>nd</sup> by Pashek to approve **RESOLUTION 2020-01-15-01, A RESOLUTION TO SET PUBLIC HEARING DATE OF FEBRUARY 10, 2020 FOR FY 21 MAXIMUM PROPERTY TAX DOLLARS.** Roll Call vote: Ayes: Madison, Metzger, Pashek. Nays: None. Absent: Bowell. Motion carried. Mayor Swanson declared **RESOLUTION 2020-01-15-01 DULY ADOPTED.**

Motion made by Pashek, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Madison to hire James Sitzman at \$20.00 an hour with an effective date of January 17, 2020 and to provide health insurance and dental insurance for employee only. All voting aye, motion carried.

Motion made by Pashek 2<sup>nd</sup> by Madison 2<sup>nd</sup> to approve employee and family dental plan with Delta Dental for \$1,519.20 for a year. All voting aye, motion carried.

Motion made by Metzger 2<sup>nd</sup> by Madison to adjourn meeting. All voting aye, motion carried.

ATTEST:

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Matthew Swanson, Mayor

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Della Kramer, City Clerk