

**The Linn Grove Regular City Council meeting was held at the Linn Grove Community Center on January 14th 2021 at 7:00 p.m.** Mayor Anderson called the meeting to order. Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mayor Anderson.

Members present : Johnson, Graesing, Withers, Jessen, Smith

Members absent: none

In Attendance: Lori Krummen.

Moved by Jessen to adopt the agenda. Seconded by Withers. All ayes. Motion carried.

Moved by Jessen to approve previous meeting minutes as read from December 10th 2020. Seconded by Johnson. All ayes motion carried.

Moved by Graesing to approve clerk/treasurer’s reports and all bills as presented. Seconded by Johnson. All ayes. Motion carried.

	<u>Date</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Memo</u>	<u>Credit</u>
Jan 21	01/15/2021	Anderson, Aaron	Snow Removal	461.75
	01/15/2021	Graesing, Denny J		221.64
	01/15/2021	Smith, Mary L		71.57
	01/15/2021	Krummen, Neil D.		928.51
	01/15/2021	Jenson, Patria J		439.72
	01/15/2021	Baxter, Jane L		311.09
	01/15/2021	Windstream	community center/library phone internet	170.04
	01/15/2021	Aflac		41.21
	01/15/2021	United States Treasury		587.18
	01/15/2021	Treasurer - State of Iowa		258.00
	01/15/2021	Brad's Service	tube repair	36.00
	01/15/2021	First Cooperative Association	snowplow fuel	51.12
	01/15/2021	Graesing Denny	backhoe work tree dump	55.00
	01/15/2021	Grow's Garbage Service LLC	December Garbage Service	1,000.00
	01/15/2021	Harold Rowley Recycle Center	Recycling 4th Quarter	1,270.50
	01/15/2021	ILRW		1,565.20
	01/15/2021	Ripke Electric	siemens circuit breaker motor protection	183.00
	01/15/2021	Spencer Daily Reporter	Slagle Ad	52.60
	01/15/2021	Foundation Analytical Laboratory	water testing	114.22
	01/18/2021	IPERS		345.54
	01/25/2021	Alliant Energy	7 accounts listed below	<u>1,426.97</u>
Jan 21				<u><u>9,590.86</u></u>

**Old Business -**

Review Update of City Website – Withers commented cities use different providers for websites. Website updating will be researched further.

**New Business -**

Review Tax Levy 21/22 - clarified to leave the categories of tax levy the same as FY 20/21. Withers motioned to set the Max Tax Levy Public Hearing for February 11<sup>th</sup> 2021. Seconded by Johnson. All ayes. Motion carried.

Appoint Public Safety Director – Smith motion to appoint Jud Graesing as the Public Safety Director. Seconded by Johnson. All ayes. Motion carried.

Set Official Newspaper – Motion by Jessen to appoint the Pilot Tribune as Official Newspaper. Seconded by Johnson. All ayes. Motion carried.

Set Official Depository – Motion by Jessen to appoint the Community State Bank as the Official Depository. Seconded by Smith. All ayes. Motion carried.

Set Official Attorney – Motion by Graesing to appoint Don Hemphill as the Official Attorney. Seconded by Jessen. All ayes. Motion carried.

Annual Salaries Withers motion to approve Annual Salaries for posting. Seconded by Jessen. All ayes. Motion carried.

**City of Linn Grove Annual Payroll Summary  
January through December 2020**

<b>Aaron Anderson Mayor</b>	<b>\$1,200.00</b>
<b>Aaron Anderson Snow Removal</b>	<b>\$950.00</b>
<b>Barbra Sennert City Clerk</b>	<b>\$7,635.88</b>
<b>Denny J Graesing Building Inspector</b>	<b>\$230.00</b>
<b>Eugene D Johnson City Councilman</b>	<b>\$280.00</b>
<b>Eugene D Johnson City Water</b>	<b>\$30.00</b>
<b>Jane L Baxter City Council</b>	<b>\$140.00</b>
<b>Jane L Baxter City Clerk</b>	<b>\$3,360.00</b>
<b>John C Nelson Snow Removal</b>	<b>\$250.00</b>
<b>John E Smith City Councilman</b>	<b>\$260.00</b>
<b>Jud J Graesing City Councilman</b>	<b>\$160.00</b>
<b>Lolita M Weier Library</b>	<b>\$816.75</b>
<b>Mary L Smith Library</b>	<b>\$217.00</b>
<b>Michael Gibbs Park Mowing</b>	<b>\$1,155.00</b>
<b>Monte J Fassler Water Readings</b>	<b>\$450.00</b>
<b>Neil D. Krummen Water/Sewer</b>	<b>\$10,821.50</b>
<b>Patria J Jenson Library Manager</b>	<b>\$5,635.50</b>
<b>Ronda Ellis Community Center Cleaning</b>	<b>\$270.00</b>
<b>Steven C Jessen City Councilman</b>	<b>\$260.00</b>
<b>Wade A Withers City Councilman</b>	<b>\$260.00</b>

Budget Workshop - Will be held at February meeting.

Abatements –402 Church St. reviewing for actions to take. 302 Church St has improved.

Library Report – December book check outs increased.

Park Report – none

Water – Sewer Report – Valve on sewer discharge will be replaced.

Maintenance Report – need a spare tire for lawnmower and searching for the spare.

Clerk Report - 10 shutoff letters sent. Sherriff patrolled 28 hours.

**Announcements Open Forum** – Lori Krummen appreciated the ramp being scooped. Steve Jessen commented the Slagle Building needs to be cleaned (cans removed) and setup for a museum. Include costs to 21/22 year budget for items needing updated and repaired. A committee needs to be setup to save the Slagle Building possibly including the Enhancement Committee and Park Committee.

Adjourn: Moved by Jessen to adjourn. Seconded by Smith. All ayes. Motion carried. Time 7:50 pm.

\_\_\_\_\_ Mayor

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_ City Clerk

ATTEST: CITY CLERK Posted on 11/22/21 per Title 1 Chapter 4 Article 10.2(3) of the Linn Grove City and Code of Iowa Sec 372.13(6)