

OFFICIAL MINUTES
OF THE MEETING OF THE
GOVERNING BODY OF THE
CITY OF PITTSBURG, KANSAS
May 9, 2023

A Regular Session of the Board of Commissioners was held at 5:30 p.m. on Tuesday, May 9, 2023, in the City Commission Room, located in the Law Enforcement Center, 201 North Pine, with Mayor Ron Seglie presiding and the following members present: Cheryl Brooks, Stu Hite, Dawn McNay and Chuck Munsell.

Mayor Seglie led the flag salute.

Major Eric Johnson, on behalf of the Salvation Army, provided an invocation.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES – On motion of Munsell, seconded by Hite, the Governing Body approved the April 25, 2023, City Commission Meeting minutes as presented. Motion carried.

ORDINANCE NO. S-1094 – On motion of Munsell, seconded by Hite, the Governing Body adopted Ordinance No. S-1094, revoking and amending Section 1 of Ordinance No. S-1093, in order to correct the effective date of an additional City Retailers Sales Tax in the amount of one-half of one percent (0.5%) within the City of Pittsburg, to become effective on January 1, 2024, and authorized the Mayor to sign the Ordinance on behalf of the City. Motion carried.

STOP SIGNS – OLIVE STREET – On motion of Munsell, seconded by Hite, the Governing Body approved the recommendation of the Traffic Advisory Board to place stop signs at the intersections of 5th & Olive and 6th & Olive converting the two-way stops to four-way stops in an effort to address traffic and safety concerns on the east side of Westside Elementary School, and authorized City Staff to install the signs. Motion carried.

AQUATIC CENTER ADMISSION FEES – On motion of Munsell, seconded by Hite, the Governing Body approved staff recommendation to raise the Aquatic Center daily youth admission fee from \$3.25 to \$4.00 and the daily adult admission fee from \$4.25 to \$5.00. Motion carried.

EMERGENCY SOLUTIONS GRANT APPLICATION – On motion of Munsell, seconded by Hite, the Governing Body approved staff recommendation to submit an Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG) application to the Kansas Housing Resources Corporation in the amount of \$415,668.50 for homeless services including prevention, rapid re-housing and day shelter services, and authorized the Mayor to sign the appropriate documents on behalf of the City. Motion carried.

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE – On motion of Munsell, seconded by Hite, the Governing Body approved the Appropriation Ordinance for the period ending May 9, 2023, subject to the release of HUD expenditures when funds are received. Motion carried with the following roll call vote: Yea: Brooks, Hite, McNay, Munsell and Seglie.

ORDINANCE NO. G-1348 – On motion of Hite, seconded by Brooks, the Governing Body adopted Ordinance No. G-1348, annexing land into the limits and boundaries of the City of Pittsburg, Kansas, pursuant to K.S.A. 12-520 (a) (7), as amended, and authorized the Mayor to sign the Ordinance on behalf of the City. Motion carried.

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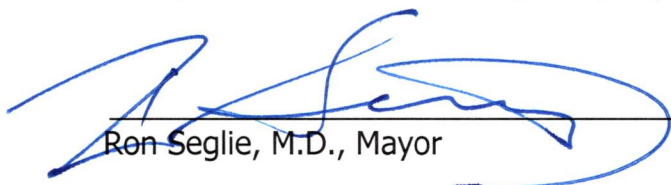
ORDINANCE NO. S-1095 – On motion of Hite, seconded by McNay, the Governing Body adopted Ordinance No. S-1095, terminating a Redevelopment District and related Redevelopment Project Plan within the City (North Broadway TIF District), and authorized the Mayor to sign the Ordinance on behalf of the City. Motion carried.

U.S. 69 HIGHWAY - Kansas Department of Transportation (KDOT) representatives presented information and received public comments regarding the U.S. 69 Highway project.

The following individuals provided input regarding the project:

Ken Brock
Dan Muter
Linda Grilz
Bert Patrick
Bailey Cares
Debbie Brock
Marty Beezley
Sarah Dodson
Jerry Lomshek
Dave Loiselle
Barb Loiselle
Cody Cowan
Jeff Briggs
Jovanna Brackett-Oetinger
Blake Benson
Ralph McGeorge
Steve Garner
Kris Hemby
Chuck Heckert
Cooper Brown
Kevin Mitchelson
Paula Renn-Eller
Jeremy Martinous

ADJOURNMENT: On motion of McNay, seconded by Munsell, the Governing Body adjourned the meeting at 7:54 p.m. Motion carried.



Ron Seglie, M.D., Mayor


CITY OF PITTSBURG
ATTEST:
CLERK


Tammy Nagel, City Clerk