

Mayor Ron Counts called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Father Charlie Ferrara from St. David's Catholic Church offered the opening prayer.

Those present per roll call taken by City Clerk Tammi Casey: Mayor Ron Counts, Crisler, Fulbright, Owens, Amato, McArthur, Cooley, Plunk, Freese, Richison, Casey, Holden, Sweeney, Boone, Blattner, Kroupa and Chief Shockey.

SPECIAL PRESENTATION

Mayor Counts presented Michael Evans with a Mayor's Appreciation Award for his work with the Arnold Veterans Commission. Mr. Evans received a standing ovation.

BUSINESS FROM THE FLOOR

Jerry Winter, Jr., 1905 Richardson Place Apt. #6 – Thanked the Veterans Commission and council for their support during the difficult time he recently faced with the loss of a loved one.

John Brazeal, 10 Lamp Post Court - Spoke regarding his desire to repeal the storm water charge currently being billed. Mr. Brazeal drafted a sample ordinance that he would like to see discussed at the next work session and then brought to council for a vote at a future council meeting.

CONSENT AGENDA

- A. MINUTES FROM THE FEBRUARY 18, 2016 MEETING**
- B. PAYROLL WARRANT NO. 1232 IN THE AMOUNT OF \$244,352.79**
- C. GENERAL WARRANT NO. 5661 IN THE AMOUNT OF \$833,503.73**

Butch Cooley made a motion and so moved to approve the consent agenda. Seconded by Jason Fulbright. Roll call vote: Crisler, yes; Fulbright, yes; Owens, yes; Amato, yes; McArthur, yes; Cooley, yes; Plunk, yes; Freese, yes; 8 Yeas: **Consent agenda approved.**

ORDINANCES

NONE

RESOLUTIONS

RESOLUTION NO. 16-14 – A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH AMERICA’S PARKING REMARKING COMPANY TO PROVIDE CONSTRUCTION SERVICES FOR THE STREET AND PARKING LOT STRIPING PROJECT FOR THE CITY OF ARNOLD, MO

Brian McArthur made a motion and so moved to approve Resolution No. 16-14. Seconded by Paul Freese. Roll call vote: Crisler, yes; Fulbright, yes; Owens, yes; Amato, yes; McArthur, yes; Cooley, yes; Plunk, yes; Freese, yes; 8 Yeas: **Resolution passed.**

RESOLUTION NO. 16-15 – A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE RELEASE OF A DRAINAGE EASEMENT

Paul Freese made a motion and so moved to approve Resolution No. 16-15. Seconded by Gary Plunk. Roll call vote: Crisler, yes; Fulbright, yes; Owens, yes; Amato, yes; McArthur, yes; Cooley, yes; Plunk, yes; Freese, yes; 8 Yeas: **Resolution passed.**

MOTIONS

A. 2016-01 CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT FOR AN IN-HOME DAY CARE AT 2342 LEE DRIVE

Mary Holden informed council that a Public Hearing was held on 2/23/2016. There were no comments and minimal discussion. The commission is forwarding a recommendation of approval with a vote of 6-0. **Jason Fulbright made a motion and so moved to approve the conditional use permit at 2342 Lee Drive.** Seconded by Brian McArthur. Roll call vote: Crisler, yes; Fulbright, yes; Owens, yes; Amato, yes; McArthur, yes; Cooley, yes; Plunk, yes; Freese, yes; 8 Yeas: **Motion carried.**

REPORTS FROM MAYOR, COUNCIL AND COMMITTEES

Mayor Counts – Encouraged everyone to attend the Rotary sponsored and Tourism funded event being held this Saturday at Rickman Auditorium. All proceeds will go directly to people that were affected by the recent flooding. Mayor Counts also advised everyone that FEMA will be here until Friday and SBA will stay for another two weeks.

All council members during their report thanked Mike Evans for all his hard work with the Veterans Commission.

Paul Freese – Ward 3 – Informed council that the Liquor Committee met tonight to review the liquor license application received from J Sushi Restaurant. The committee is forwarding a recommendation of approval.

Paul Freese made a motion and so moved to approve the liquor license application for J Sushi Restaurant. Seconded by Nancy Crisler. Roll call vote: Crisler, yes; Fulbright, yes; Owens, yes; Amato, yes; McArthur, yes; Cooley, yes; Plunk, yes; Freese, yes; 8 Yeas: **Motion carried.**

Butch Cooley – Ward 4 – Stated he is still receiving calls regarding snipe signs and would like to know if it would be possible for employees to pick them up when they see them. Mr. Cooley also inquired as to whether companies performing work in the City are required to repair any damage that is done to the streets when they are finished with the project.

Phil Amato – Ward 3 – Requested that Bryan Richison provide council with an update regarding the recent Tourism meeting. Mr. Richison informed council that Anheuser Busch will again be donating \$50,000 this year for fireworks at the July 4th and Arnold Days celebrations. The Tourism Commission also approved \$21,000 for Arnold Athletic Association tournaments and \$4,000 to the Jefferson County Library foundation's 5K run. Mr. Amato stated that he attended a meeting held earlier today with Senator Blunts' office regarding the recent flooding event.

Jason Fulbright – Ward 1 – Stated that the Watershed Workshop he recently attended was very informative. They concentrated a lot on flooding and flood maps and ways to get the entire community involved. Mr. Fulbright also stated that after the meeting held earlier today, Senator Blunts' office is now even more committed to working with us in reformulating the flood maps, buyouts and other flood related items. There was also discussion of developing ways for all communities along Highway 55 to come together in working towards the common goal of bringing all cities forward.

Brian McArthur – Ward 2 – Read an e-mail he received from Rhonda Eschmann, an Arnold resident who belongs to the Rec. Center along with her husband. She wanted to commend Rec Center employees Debbie Johnson, Teresa Kohut, April Martin, Pat Moore and Karen Fay. She stated that these employees go the extra mile and make every trip there outstanding.

ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS

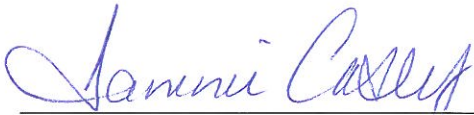
Bryan Richison – Encouraged everyone to attend Arnold Rotary Club's annual pancake breakfast being held this Saturday.

Ed Blattner – Informed council that he attended the American Concrete Pavement Association's conference in Kansas City this week where he accepted, on behalf of the City, the award for Excellence in Pavement for the Michigan Avenue project. Mr. Blattner also stated that the spring brush pick up will occur the week of March 28th.

Lloyd Rogers from the Aging and Disabilities Committee reported that the All Abilities Expo will be held this Saturday from 10:00 until 2:00 at the Roy Wilde Service Center.

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Jason Fulbright. Seconded by Nancy Crisler. Voice vote: All yeas.

Meeting adjourned at 7:33 p.m.



City Clerk Tammi Casey, MRCC

CITY OF ARNOLD, MISSOURI

ROLL CALL

MEETING: REGULAR

DATE: 3/3/2016

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BILL NO - RESOLUTION - MOTION

		ROLL CALL	CONSENT AGENDA	RESOLUTION NO. 16-14	RESOLUTION NO. 16-15	MOTION TO APPROVE CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT FOR DAYCARE	MOTION TO APPROVE J SUSHI LIQUOR LICENSE
COUNCIL MEMBERS:							
MAYOR	RON COUNTS	PRESENT					
COUNCIL:	NANCY CRISLER	PRESENT	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
COUNCIL:	JASON FULBRIGHT	PRESENT	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
COUNCIL:	DAVID OWENS	PRESENT	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
COUNCIL:	PHIL AMATO	PRESENT	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
COUNCIL:	BRIAN MCARTHUR	PRESENT	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
COUNCIL:	BUTCH COOLEY	PRESENT	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
COUNCIL:	GARY PLUNK	PRESENT	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
COUNCIL:	PAUL FREESE	PRESENT	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
CITY ADMINISTRATOR	BRYAN RICHISON	PRESENT	PARKS DIR:		SUSIE BOONE		PRESENT
CITY CLERK	TAMMI CASEY	PRESENT	PUBLIC WORKS:		ED BLATTNER		PRESENT
COM DEV	MARY HOLDEN	PRESENT	TREASURER:		DAN KROUPA		PRESENT
CITY ATTORNEY	BOB SWEENEY	PRESENT	POLICE DEPT.		CHIEF SHOCKEY		PRESENT