

**MINUTES OF THE AUGUST 16, 2021 MEETING  
OF THE HUMBOLDT CITY COUNCIL**

The Humboldt City Council met in regular session on Monday, August 16, 2021 in the Council Chambers of the Humboldt Municipal Building. Mayor Daniel Scholl called the meeting to order at 5:30 PM. Council Members present: Goodell, Dominick, Worthington, and Whittlesey. Absent: Sleiter.

Motion by Worthington, Second by Goodell to approve the following Consent Agenda items: 1) the agenda as printed; 2) the minutes of the August 2, 2021 regular Council meeting; 3) the amended June Treasurer's Report; 4) the July Treasurer's Report; and 5) a request from the Humboldt Athletic Boosters for a street closure on Sumner Avenue for the Cy-Hawk Rivalry on September 9, 2021. (4) Ayes, motion carried.

Public input comments were made by: Cory Larson of Voltage Ink regarding upcoming car shows; Larry Loss regarding a lighted holiday parade; and Deb Petersen regarding signage for downtown merchants.

Ryan Miller of PeopleService, Inc. reviewed the July PeopleService reports. He updated the Council on current and upcoming repairs and maintenance issues for the water and wastewater treatment systems.

Police Chief Joel Sanders reported on the purchase and operation of body-worn cameras for police officers.

Motion by Goodell, Second by Whittlesey to approve the following proposed Resolution No. 2021-60: "A RESOLUTION APPROVING A REQUEST FROM THE HUMBOLDT ATHLETIC BOOSTERS TO ALLOW THE CONSUMPTION OF WINE AND BEER ON A PUBLIC STREET WHICH HAS BEEN CLOSED FOR A SPECIAL EVENT."

Roll Call Vote: Ayes – Goodell, Dominick, Worthington, and Whittlesey. Motion carried.

Motion by Goodell, Second by Worthington to approve the following proposed Resolution No. 2021-61: "A RESOLUTION CREATING A NEW POLICE SERGEANT STAFF POSITION FOR THE CITY OF HUMBOLDT, IOWA."

Roll Call Vote: Ayes – Dominick, Worthington, Whittlesey, and Goodell. Motion carried.

Other Items Discussed: City Administrator – Reminded the Council of the special meeting on August 23<sup>rd</sup> to consider proposals from search firms for a new City Administrator. Goodell – Asked if the daycare hours could be extended to accommodate industries with early working shifts.

Motion by Worthington, Second by Whittlesey to schedule Tuesday, September 7, 2021 at 5:30 PM as the date and time for the next regular meeting of the Humboldt City Council and to adjourn this session at 6:38 PM. (4) Ayes, motion carried.

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Daniel E. Scholl, Mayor

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
Gloria J. Christensen, City Clerk