

**CITY COUNCIL MINUTES
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 27, 2022, 6:00 P.M.
CHEROKEE CITY HALL**

A regular meeting was called to order on this date by Mayor Schmidt. Roll call: Present: Councilpersons Brown, Loughlin, Pingel, Wigginton, Wilberding, and City Clerk-Treasurer Lucas. Absent Administrator List.

Motion by Loughlin, seconded by Brown to approve the agenda. Roll call was: AYES: All. NAYES: None.

On a motion by Brown, seconded by Wilberding the following was approved under Consent Agenda. Roll call was: AYES: All. NAYES: None.

City Council Minutes of December 13, 2022.

Approve Application for Tax Abatement for Mike Hunter, 932 Aster Dr.

Bills totaling \$166,862.52

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| 11T IA, LLC | UTILITY BILL OVER PAYMENT | \$43.87 |
| AL'S CORNER OIL CO. | PARK FUEL | \$11.35 |
| ALLIANT ENERGY | NATURAL GAS | \$5,496.70 |
| ALYSSA A. HERBOLD PLC. | 11/22 LEGAL & IMAAA REG. FEE | \$700.00 |
| BENSON CONSTRUCTION | DRIVEWAY INS. CLAIM | \$10,800.00 |
| BOJI PORTABLE TOILETS | SPOT A POT RENTAL | \$140.00 |
| BOMGAARS | OPERATING SUPPLIES | \$815.71 |
| BUILDERS SHARP. & SERVICE | FILTERS | \$30.90 |
| CELLEBRITE INC | FORENSIC SOFTWARE EXPENSE | \$860.00 |
| CHAMBER OF COMMERCE | HOTEL/MOTEL GRANT KEE COMMUNITY | \$4,986.95 |
| CHEROKEE AVIATION AUTHORITY | 12/22 PROPERTY TAX DRAW | \$1,498.28 |
| CHEROKEE CHRONICLE TIMES | LEGAL PUBLICATION | \$138.41 |
| CHEROKEE NAPA | AIR FILTER | \$72.46 |
| CHEROKEE REG. MEDICAL CENTER | DRUG SCREEN | \$71.00 |
| CLARK EQUIPMENT CO. | BOBCAT SKID LOADER | \$20,500.78 |
| COUNTRY TIRE & SERVICE | VEHICLE MAINTENANCE | \$606.30 |
| EMERGENCY APPARATUS MAINT. | ENGINE 3 REPAIRS | \$4,090.29 |
| H & S ELECTRIC | WIRE THERMOSTAT FOR WASHBAY | \$266.65 |
| HALLETT MATERIALS | ICE CONTROL SAND | \$1,135.01 |
| HAWKINS, INC. | WATER SUPPLIES | \$3,271.72 |
| HY-VEE, INC. | OPERATING SUPPLIES | \$127.33 |
| I & S GROUP, INC. | WRF NUTRIENT REDUCUTION IMP. | \$10,000.00 |
| I & S GROUP, INC. | IND. WASTEWATER PLANT | \$10,461.96 |
| IOWA COMM. ASSURANCE POOL | ADDN. PROPERTY VALUES | \$279.00 |
| IOWA LAKES ELECTRIC COOP | ELECTRICITY | \$85.00 |
| IOWA STATE POLICE ASSOC. | 2023 MEMBER DUES | \$200.00 |
| JOSIE KINDWALL | WATER DEPOSIT RETURN | \$7.76 |
| K & M TREE SERVICE | TREE REMOVAL | \$800.00 |
| MEDIACOM LLC | INTERNET | \$406.90 |
| MID AMERICAN ENERGY | ELECTRICITY | \$23,204.44 |
| MID-AMERICAN BENEFITS, INC | CLAIMS THROUGH 12/21/22 | \$497.94 |
| MOTOR PARTS SALES | FITTINGS | \$135.07 |
| MUNICIPAL SUPPLY, INC. | WATER SUPPLIES | \$10,625.25 |
| NOVELTY MACHINE & SUPPLY | INSPECT & REPAIR LIFT ASSEMBLY | \$30,864.90 |
| O'HALLORAN INTERNATIONAL | TRUCK MAINTENANCE/REPAIRS | \$1,090.69 |
| QUILL CORPORATION | GARBAGE STICKERS | \$52.98 |

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| R.J. THOMAS MFG. CO., INC. | CEMETERY UPDATE | \$100.00 |
| REHAB SYSTEMS, INC. | ROUTINE CLEANING #2 & JET VAC | \$7,140.80 |
| SCE, LLC | DIG OUT DRIVEWAY, WATER MAIN, MOVE SNOW | \$10,732.25 |
| SIOUX SALES COMPANY | HOLSTER & BOOTS | \$314.93 |
| THOMPSON INNOVATION | POWER SUPPLY @ WTR PLANT | \$1,247.40 |
| TODD MILLER | HOTEL/MEAL REIMBURSEMENT | \$447.15 |
| UNUM LIFE INS. CO OF AMERICA | 1/23 LIFE & DISABILITY INS. | \$1,468.39 |
| UPS | SHIPPED PACKAGE | \$14.28 |
| USPS | UTILITY BILL POSTAGE | \$698.09 |
| WELLS FARGO FINANCIAL LEASE | COPIER LEASE | \$65.00 |
| WIESE OIL & SUPPLY CO., LTD | CHEVRON | \$70.00 |
| YOUR FLEETCARD PROGRAM | PARK FUEL | \$188.63 |

Police Chief, Nate James was presented the Lifesaving Medal Award. The Lifesaving Award was established to recognize Iowans who have performed a courageous act in an attempt to save someone's life or to those who have unselfishly assisted in an emergency situation.

Discussion on the Spring Lake winter goose hunt was tabled, due to the lake freezing over.

Motion by Brown, seconded by Wigginton to approve the purchase of a 9mm (Sig Sauer P320, Serial #58J111613) from Brittney Kinnaman for use as a service weapon for \$1.00 and offer her to rebuy back for \$1.00. Roll call was: AYES: All. NAYES: None.

Motion by Loughlin, seconded by Wilberding to approve a onetime allotment of 40 hours vacation for Officer Dyslin and allow him to accrue vacation per the Police contract after that. Roll call was: AYES: All. NAYES: None.

FEMA's environmental compliance review process under the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) for the Wescott Park Relocation Project requires posting of a Public Notice of Availability to inform the public that an Environmental Assessment (EA) has been prepared for this project. The Public Notice can be found at City Hall, on the cities website and in the Cherokee Chronicle Times.

On a motion by Loughlin, seconded by Wigginton, the meeting was adjourned at 6:12 p.m.

Media Present: *None*

Craig Schmidt
 Mayor
 ATTEST:
 Sara Lucas
 City Clerk-Treasurer