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**Gilbert City Council**  
**Minutes**  
**tele-meeting via Zoom.us**  
**March 15, 2021 at 6:00 PM**

Present: Mayor Jonathon Popp, Council members: Shaon Anderson, Teri Gallahan, Katie Jerkins and Frank Rydl.

Guests: Story County Deputy Janorschke, Daniel Haug from Prairie Rivers, Nick Sorenson from Ames Chamber of Commerce, Anna Henderson with Story County Animal Control, Kate Gohr with Hope Animal Rescue of Iowa, Administrative Assistant Darian Everding, Marie Schwartz, DeeDee Haselhoff, Aldo Schwatz, Tom Kepley, and Mary Buchman.

Mayor Popp waived the Pledge of Allegiance due to the sound and timing difficulty over the online format.

Motion to approve the Consent Agenda consisting of the March 15, 2021 Agenda.(Gallahan/Anderson). MCU (4).

Open Forum: Deputy Janorschke reported the department has increased patrols during the school dismissal hour. N. Sorenson introduced himself to the council.

Motion to approve Resolution 2021-03-05 Authorizing the use of a preliminary official statement in connection with the issuance of General Obligation Corporate Purpose Bonds, Series 2021 and setting April 5, 2021 as the date for the sale of the Bonds.(Gallahan/Anderson). (Roll Call: aye- Anderson, Gallahan, Jerkins, Rydl; nay- none; absent-Miller). Motion passed.

D. Haug gave a presentation on the Story County Water Monitoring Plan. No action was taken.

Motion to table TNR program for nuisance cats and put forth efforts to catch as many stray cats as possible and send to Story County Animal Shelter. (Jerkins/Anderson). MCU(4).

Motion to approve liquor license for Gilbert Iowa Firefighters Association during Gilbert Days celebration.(Gallahan/Rydl). MCU(4).

Motion to hold city wide garage sales on Saturday, May 1<sup>st</sup>.(Jerkins/Gallahan). MCU(4).

Motion to post ad and begin process to hire seasonal staff at rate of \$15.00/hr with applications to be submitted by mid-April. (Gallahan/Anderson). MCU(4).

Motion to approve tax exemption application for 406 Upstill Circle. (Jerkins/Rydl). MCU(4).

Administrative Assistant was directed to look into garbage service for city.

Next council meeting will be April 5, 2021 at 6:00 pm via Zoom.

Motion to adjourn. (Gallahan/Anderson). MCU(4).

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Jonathan C. Popp, Mayor

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Sonia Arellano Sundberg, City Clerk/Treasurer