City of Westwood Hills City Council Meeting Minutes April 10, 2023 Meeting #883

The Westwood Hills City Council meeting was held on April 10, 2023, in the Community Room at Westwood City Hall.

A regular session of the city council was called to order in due form by Mayor Rosemary Podrebarac at 7:00 p.m.

Present: Mayor Podrebarac, Michael Anfang, Ed Gogol, Dave Schmitz, Karen Sexton, John Weedman, and Beth O'Bryan. City Attorney Jim Orr was present. No citizens were in attendance.

Motion by Gogol to approve the agenda. Second by Sexton. All aye. Motion approved.

Motion by Sexton to approve the Consent Agenda with a correction on the Police Report. There was not a runaway situation. Rather, the report should have indicated a resident check. Second by Gogol. All aye. Motion approved.

No Old Business

New Business:

Contain the Rain Agreement Revised Agreement

Johnson County sent an updated agreement, revising the amount to \$6,000.00, which total includes the \$3,000.00 previously approved for resident reimbursements and an additional \$3,000.00 for a City demonstration project. However, the agreement reads that a rain garden can be reimbursed up to \$1,000.00, rather than \$3,000.00 for the City demonstration garden. Anfang moved and Gogol seconded to approve the agreement in substantially the form presented. All aye. Motion passed.

Rain Garden Proposal from The Green Team

The Green Team decided to move forward with the proposal from Parsons' Gardens, in the amount of \$2,970.00. Our hope is to have the County reimburse half of that amount, making the amount for the rain garden installation approximately \$1,485.00. This amount does not include plant markers or any statues. Gogol moved and Schmitz seconded to encumber \$3,000.00 to hire Parsons' Gardens to install the rain garden. All aye. Motion passed. The funds will come from the project line item.

Mulch Encumbrance

Gogol requested an encumbrance of \$100.00 to purchase mulch for The Green. **Gogol moved and Sexton seconded to encumber \$100.00 to purchase mulch for the trees**

around The Green. All aye. Motion passed. Funds are to come from the beautification line item 8056.

Mom's Demand Action Proclamation

Mayor Podrebarac read the proclamation. Gogol moved and Sexton seconded to approve the Proclamation. All aye. Proclamation executed.

Informational items – no action to be taken

There were no items from Citizens in attendance.

Budget Workshop - May 13, 2023, at 9:30 am at the Higdon and Hale CPA offices - 6310 Lamar Avenue, Suite 112, Overland Park, KS 66202.

Antisemitism Education Program - Council wants to see other cities' resolutions and get more information before scheduling an education program.

Election Filing Deadline is noon on June 1, 2023.

Motion to adjourn by Anfang. Meeting adjourned at 8:09 p.m.