

**MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL MEETING  
OF THE CITY OF PAOLA, KANSAS  
6:00 O’CLOCK P.M.**

**February 8, 2011**

**HELD AT THE PAOLA JUSTICE CENTER  
805 North Pearl Street in Paola**

The Governing Body of the City of Paola, Kansas, met with Mayor Stuteville presiding.

Councilmembers present: Mayor Stuteville and Council Members Pritchard, Wilhoite, Rowlett, and Minden.

Council Members absent: None.

Also present: City Manager Wieland, City Clerk Droste, City Planner Gotfredson, Public Works Director Browning, Police Chief Smail, Leigh House, Rosy King, and Jesse Kratz from the Miami County Republic.

**Agenda Item 1 - CALL TO ORDER:** The regular council meeting was called to order by Mayor Stuteville.

**Agenda Item 2 - ROLL CALL:** Mayor Stuteville and Council Members Pritchard, Wilhoite, Rowlett, and Minden were all present. No one was absent.

**Agenda Item 3 - PETITIONS, REMONSTRANCES, AND COMMUNICATIONS**

Mayor Stuteville asked the audience if anyone desired to address the Council about any issue that is not an agenda item.

No one addressed the Council.

**Agenda Item 4 - CONSENT AGENDA**

- a. Approval of minutes of the meeting of January 25, 2011.
- b. Approval of Salary Ordinance 11-02.
- c. Approval of Appropriation Ordinance No 695.
- d. Approval of the Journal Entries Report for January, 2011.
- e. Approval of the Pledged Securities Report for January, 2011.

Councilmember Minden made a motion to approve the Consent Agenda as presented and authorize the Mayor to sign. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Wilhoite and all voted aye. The motion passed 4 to 0.

**Agenda Item 5 - REPORTS OF OFFICERS, BOARDS AND COMMITTEES**

**Agenda Item 5a - Consider approval of bids for 2 front deck mowers for Public Works.**

Public Works Director Browning reported that bids were solicited for two new mowers for the Public Works Department. Two qualifying bids were received and the low bid was submitted from Blue Valley Tractor & Supply for 2 Grasshopper 725DT61R front deck mowers \$11,950.00 each.

After a brief discussion, Councilmember Pritchard made a motion to approve the bid from Blue Valley Tractor & Supply for 2 Grasshopper 725DT61R front deck mowers in the total amount of 23,900.00. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Rolette and all voted aye. The motion passed 4 to 0.

**Agenda Item 6 – NEW BUSINESS**

Clerk Droste reminded those in attendance that the annual Legislative Breakfast was scheduled for Saturday, February 12<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 am at Holy Trinity School Cafeteria.

Planner Gotfredson reported that the Take Charge Challenge Committee will be at the Paola High School basketball games on Tuesday February 15<sup>th</sup> beginning at 4:30 pm. The group will be handing out information and the KCP&L mascot “Thermy” will also be there to promote the program.

City Manager Wieland thanked the Public Works Department for the tremendous job that the crews did on snow removal last week. Police Chief Smail agreed and also complimented Public Works on the great job that was done.

The entire Governing Body also complimented the Public Works Department on the snow removal process. Councilmembers Wilhoite and Pritchard reported that they had received many positive comments on snow removal.

**Agenda Item 7 – ADJOURNMENT.**

With no additional business to come before the Council, Councilmember Rowlett made a motion to adjourn. Councilmember Pritchard seconded the motion and all voted aye. The motion passed 4 to 0.

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Artie Stuteville, Mayor

ATTEST: (seal)

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Daniel G. Droste, City Clerk