

**CITY OF LYNDON  
MINUTES OF CITY COUNCIL MEETING  
MONDAY, DECEMBER 21, 2009**

The Council Meeting was called to order by Mayor Susan Barto at 6:00. Those present: Jim Baker, Terry Brooke, Betsy Kramer, Becky Ricketts, Tom Solley, Phillip Worsley and City Attorney John Singler. Mary Watson was absent.

Motion made by Terry Brooke, seconded by Betsy Kramer to approve the minutes of the November 23, 2009 Council Meeting. Motion carried unanimously.

The Treasurer's Report was given and will be filed for audit.

Motion made by Betsy Kramer, seconded by Jim Baker to approve Municipal Order #11.11. Motion carried unanimously.

At the request of Council member Baker, the Mayor introduced representatives of Lyndon Masonic Lodge #960. The Lodge Master, Mel Borich, then presented an award of recognition to Mayor Barto. Following thanks and photos, the agenda items resumed.

**REQUEST FROM LABA TO ALLOW LYNDON ELKS TO AGAIN HOST A BEER GARDEN AT THE LYNDON AREA FAIR:**

It was noted that for the past two years, the City Council has allowed Lyndon Elks Club to host a beer garden at the annual Lyndon Area Fair. LABA has again made this request. A motion was made by Becky Ricketts, seconded by Jim Baker to allow the beer garden once again. Following discussion regarding the fact that no problems have occurred, motion carried unanimously.

**NO PARKING SIGNS ON ROOSEVELT AVENUE:**

The Mayor reminded Council of the email she had forwarded from Steve Tyra, Principal of Bowen Elementary outlining the problem they are having with parents parking on Roosevelt and creating a hazardous situation. Motion was made by Tom Solley, seconded by Terry Brooke to place "No Parking Signs" on the east side of Roosevelt from LaGrange Road to Westmoorland. Motion carried unanimously.

**PURCHASE OF SALT SPREADER:**

The Mayor stated that Steve with Lawnco has a large salt spreader he wants to sell. Our snow removal contractor would like to have this piece of equipment, but is financially unable to pay at this time. After discussion, a motion was made by Betsy Kramer, seconded by Phil Worsley to have the City purchase the salt spreader with the intent of lending it now, then giving it to Gillock's after the entire purchase price is deducted from their billings. Motion carried unanimously.

**OTHER BUSINESS:**

The Mayor announced that the staff will be given the week off between Christmas and the new year. Jim Baker brought up several concerns he had heard from residents. The first was at 1820 Washington Blvd. and involved large trucks parking on the street and creating a hardship on travel. In the 500 block of Washburn, he reported cars parking in the yard. Both issues will be checked and dealt with accordingly.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

The next Caucus Meeting will be on January 18, 2010 and the Council Meeting is January 25, 2010, both at 6:00 p.m.

**FLOOR OPEN TO PUBLIC:**

No one was present to speak.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 6:16 p.m.

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Susan Barto, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Sonya Kaiser, Acting City Clerk