

**City of Lowell, Oregon  
Minutes of the City Council Meeting  
May 19, 2015**

The meeting was called to order at 7:22 PM by Mayor Bennett

**Members Present:** Mayor Bennett, Maggie Osgood, Steve Paulson, Judith Rennert, Jim Burford

**City Attorney Present:** Milo Mecham

**Consent Agenda:** Councilor Burford moved to adopt Consent Agenda and withhold voucher directory, seconded by Councilor Paulson. PASS 5:0 Councilor Paulson moved to approve voucher directory, seconded by Councilor Rennert. Discussion followed with Mr. Mecham. PASS 5:0

**Public Comments General:** Idella Stinson 26 E 3<sup>rd</sup> St., commented on CA resignation.

**Council Comments:** None

**City Administrators Report:** CA Lee presented draft financial report, Volunteer Appreciation Picnic on June 6 and CIS 2014-15 Report.

**Public Works Staff Report:** Max Baker Public Works Superintendent, presented written report and reviewed items with council. Councilor Paulson moved to approve not to exceed \$5,500 for the purchase of an effluent composite sampler, seconded by Councilor Rennert. Discussion followed. PASS 5:0

**Old Business: 8:06 PM**

- **Ordinance 289 – An Ordinance Establishing the Regulation of Animal Control; Establishing a Procedure for Setting Fees; Providing for Remedies; Establishing a Complaints Process; and Changing LRC 5.200 thru 5.208.** Councilor Burford moved to have second reading of Ordinance 289 by title only, second by Councilor Paulson. PASS 5:0 Mayor Bennett read Ordinance 289 by title only. Councilor Paulson moved to adopt Ordinance 289, seconded by Councilor Burford. Discussion followed. PASS 5:0

- **City Administrator Recruitment** – Mayor Bennett stated Mr. Kelley was unable to be here.

**New Business: 8:12 PM**

- **Flashing Crosswalk Lights (West side of North Shore & Moss) and Painted Crosswalk at Rolling Rock Park (North Shore & Pioneer)** – Councilor Osgood presented topic. Discussion followed. Council requested CA to contact the county about items.
- **City of Oakridge Agreement for Law Enforcement Services Contract** – Discussion on current contract followed.


**Other Business: 8:22 PM**

Councilor Rennert inquired on how the security cameras, dimly lit streets projects are coming and code enforcement letters? Discussion followed.

**Mayor Comments:** Mayor noted Ken Larsen is doing well after his knee surgery. He feels that the council is headed in the right direction.

**Public Comments:** Idella Stinson 26 E 3<sup>rd</sup> St., stated that the a park light would be very nice and the island on Pioneer Street needs maintaining.

**Adjourn: 8:30 PM**

Approved:   
Don Bennett, Mayor

June 4, 2015  
Date