

CITY OF INGLESIDE ON THE BAY
PUBLIC HEARING AND CITY COUNCIL MEETING
May 2, 2017

PUBLIC HEARING

- I. Call Public Hearing was called to order at 7:00 p.m.
- II. Roll Call: Present Mayor Ehmann, Alderman Tucker, Merrick, Hewitt, Robbins and Gillespie
- III. **Business:**
Item A: Receive input regarding Patrick Nye's variance request to allow him to place driveway pavers in the street right of way between the drive way and street at the residence located at 1018 Bayshore Drive.
Patrick Nye gave a presentation concerning the type of paving stones and where it would be placed. His focus was on drainage and environmental safety. He will place a letter on file to insure if the area needs to be removed for any repairs of street or other reasons he will remove and replace the stones at his expense. Discussion occurred concerning how many paving stones would be placed in the right of way and the fact that it will improve the drainage on the property without effecting neighbors or the city drainage. Chris Carleton stated the area gets very muddy and he had no problems with the variance request being approved.
- VI. Mayor Ehmann adjourned the public hearing at 7:12 p.m.

CITY COUNCIL MEETING

- I. City Council Meeting was called to order by Mayor Ehmann at 7:12 p.m.
- II. Mayor Ehmann gave the invocation.
- III. Mayor Ehmann led the Pledge of Allegiance.
- IV. Roll Call: Present were: Mayor Ehmann, Alderman Tucker, Merrick, Hewitt, Gillespie and Robbins
- V. Minutes of Previous City Council Meeting of April 18, 2017 were approved as written.
- VI. **Citizen Participation**
Patrick Nye gave a presentation concerning an incident in January that involved an odor coming from the Oxy Property. TCEQ was notified and a report was issued, no violations were indicated in the report. His concern covered what kind of protection is in place, Oxy's responsibilities and if there are monitoring devices in place with notification or alarm alerts. Who notifies residents and what is the community's legal recourse.
Idana Merrick stated her concerns with children in the community riding bicycles in an unsafe way.

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VII. Reports from Standing Committees

Item A: Planning & Zoning had no report.

Item B: Parks & Recreation reported work continues on the multi-use court, the court material has been ordered. The covering structure and the concrete are being looked at.

Item C: VFD reported an open house breakfast will be held on May 20th. Volunteers are needed.

VIII. Old Business: Discussion and Possible Action

Item A: Approve/Disapprove Resolution 17-287 Accepting the 2015-2016 Audit
Council reviewed the audit. Alderman Hewitt made the motion to approve Resolution 17-287 Accepting the 2015-2016 Audit. Alderman Merrick seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

IX. New Business: Discussion and Possible Action


Item A: Approve/Disapprove Patrick Nye's variance request to allow him to place driveway pavers in the street right of way between the drive way and street at the residence located at 1018 Bayshore Drive.

Howard Gillespie stated he had no problems with approving the request. Alderman Tucker stated he felt it would be an improvement and had no problems with the request. Alderman Gillespie made the motion to approve Patrick Nye's variance request to allow him to place driveway pavers in the street right of way between the drive way and street at the residence located at 1018 Bayshore Drive. Alderman Hewitt seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.


X. Mayor Ehmann adjourned the meeting at 7:28 p.m.

Respectfully submitted & attested:

Approved:



Diane Hosea
City Secretary



Jo Ann Ehmann
Mayor