

Minutes of Gem Lake City Council meeting, February 18, 2014

Mayor Uzpen called the meeting to order at 7:00PM

Present: Mayor Uzpen, Council members Lindner, Artig-Swomley, Kuny, and Bosak. Also present were Paul Emeott, Taylor Delong, and Todd Delong.

February agenda

Mayor Uzpen asked for additions to the February agenda. Upon hearing no new additions, motion by Bosak seconded by Artig-Swomley to approve agenda, the council voted 5-0 to approve tonight's agenda.

January City Council minutes

Upon motion by Artig-Swomley and seconded by Bosak the council voted to approve the January, 2014 with minor punctuation corrections 4-0 with one abstention.

Old business

City newsletter for March-April, 2014. Potential topics included upcoming Vadnais Lake Area Water Management Organization (VLAWMO) rain garden and shoreland restoration workshops, 2013 budget/financial recap, and information from the forthcoming March City Council workshop.

New business

Upon a motion by Artig-Swomley and second by Kuny, the February claims were approved 5-0.

The monthly financial statements for December, 2013 and January, 2014 were available.

Presentations from the public

None

Presentations from the council

Council member Artig-Swomley asked about a letter the council received from the Adkins Law Group to which Mayor Uzpen replied that city attorneys Kelly and Lemmons were handling the matter. She also asked about the need to review the city's septic ordinance, which Patrick Kelly is also addressing.

Council member Bosak informed the council that the city's website will be undergoing an update using newer software.

Marc Putnam will be at the March city council workshop to discuss progress on his work for the city.

Adjourn

There being no further business upon motion by Artig-Swomley and seconded by Kuny, Mayor Uzpen adjourned the meeting at 7:20PM.