

**CITY OF PLAINFIELD
CITY COUNCIL MEETING
October 14, 2008**

Invocation for the Plainfield City Council meeting was given by Pastor Shawn Geer and Pledge of Allegiance was led by Levi Williamson and Levi Winters of Boy Scout Pack 57.

The Plainfield City Council met in regular monthly session October 14, 2008 at the Plainfield Public Library at 7:00 p.m. with Mayor Tim Neil presiding and council members Kyle Adams, Clyde Balvanz, Tom Geise, Larry Poppe and Kathy Remley present.

The following department heads were in attendance: City Clerk Brittney Lentz, Fire Chief Tom Poppe, Librarian Kim Bigelow and Maintenance Supervisor Steve Janssen.

Motion Geise, Adams to approve the agenda. Ayes: Adams, Balvanz, Geise, Poppe and Remley. Nays: None. Carried.

Motion Poppe, Balvanz to approve the consent agenda; which included the minutes of September 9, 2008, bills for the month of October 2008 except the bill to the IA DOT until further clarification and the Clerk's Reports. Ayes: Adams, Balvanz, Geise, Poppe and Remley. Nays: None. Carried.

Thomas Rooney from the Waterloo Courier was present to get the council's opinion on putting posts, with newspaper tubes attached, at all homes that receive the Courier in town. The council decided that tubes may be put on existing mail boxes only.

Mayor Tim Neil opened the public hearing at 7:30 p.m. concerning the ATV and Golf Cart ordinance.

Several questions and comments were received, and a letter opposing the ordinance from Sheriff Hildebrandt was read.

Mayor Tim Neil closed the public hearing at 7:42 p.m.

Motion Poppe, Balvanz to approve the first reading of Ordinance No. 18: AN ORDINANCE REGULATING ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLES AND GOLF CARTS IN THE CITY LIMITS OF PLAINFIELD, IOWA. Roll Call Vote. Ayes: Adams, Balvanz and Poppe. Nays: Geise and Remley. Carried.

Motion Poppe, Adams to waive the second and third readings of Ordinance 18. Roll Call. Ayes: Adams, Balvanz and Poppe. Nays: Geise and Remley. Motion failed due to lack of $\frac{3}{4}$ of the council voting in favor.

The City Clerk's Office will be CLOSED until Monday, November 17. The Clerk is on maternity leave. You may still call the office number at 276-3449 if you need to speak with the Clerk.

Motion Balvanz, Remley to accept the monthly department reports. Ayes: Adams, Balvanz, Geise, Poppe and Remley. Nays: None. Carried.

Motion Balvanz, Geise to comply with the Red Flag Identity Theft Policy from the Iowa Rural Water Association. Ayes: Adams, Balvanz, Geise, Poppe and Remley. Nays: None. Carried.

Mayor Tim Neil set Halloween Trick-or-Treating for Friday, October 31 from 6-8pm.

Maifield Landscaping is working on a couple of ideas for the City's welcome sign.

Motion Geise, Adams to adjourn the meeting at 8:37 p.m. Ayes: Adams, Balvanz, Geise, Poppe and Remley. Nays: None. Carried.

Attest: Brittney A. Lentz
City Clerk/ Treasurer

Tim Neil
Mayor

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