

Tentative Agenda

Board of Alderman Special Open Budget Meeting and Vote to Closed Meeting

March 9, 2020

At 10:00 am at 303 East Station Drive Sturgeon Mo 65284

Roll Call:

Mayor Steve Crosswhite –

Alderman Ron Sage-

Alderman Janice Butler -

Alderman Zane Arends –

Alderman Stan Robinson-

Mayor Steve Crosswhite called the meeting to order:

Mayor Updates:

David Ritchie is building a new home questions on the new water and sewer service.

Alderman Updates:

Discussion on the budget:

Burn Ordinance:

Change the Ordinance to reflect the price of digging an URN:

CBDG update:

Accepting Todd Johnson letter of resignation:

Discussion on when to shut people off for not paying the bill?

Mayor Steve Crosswhite called for a motion for the first reading of Bill Number 03092020.

Alderman _____ moved that Bill Number 03092020 be given its first reading by title only seconded by Alderman ____ with ____ in favor.

Mayor Steve Crosswhite reads Bill number 03092020 for the first time by title only.

**AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE BURNING OF OBJECTIONABLE
MATERIALS IN THE CITY OF STURGEON**

Mayor Steve Crosswhite called for a motion for the seconded reading of Bill Number 03092020 by title only.

Alderman ___ moved that Bill Number 03092020 be given its seconded reading by title only seconded by Alderman ___ in favor.

Mayor Steve Crosswhite reads Bill Number 03092020 for the second time by title only

AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE BURNING OF OBJECTIONABLE MATERIALS IN THE CITY OF STURGEON

City Clerk Donna Tracy moved that Bill Number 03092020 be passed and adopted by roll call vote.

Alderman Ron Sage: Alderman Stan Robinson:
Alderman Janice Butler: Alderman Zane Arends:

Bill Number 03092020 shall now be Ordinance Number 919

AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE BURNING OF OBJECTIONABLE MATERIALS IN THE CITY OF STURGEON

The fundamental purpose of this Ordinance is to promote the health, safety and general welfare of the residents and property owners of the City of Sturgeon; to limit and restrict the outdoor open burning of garbage, refuse and rubbish which may cause foul odors within the boundaries of the City; to prohibit all open burning upon public rights-of- way, and public property; to regulate and restrict open burning so as to avoid conditions that may be hazardous to life and property and to prevent ill effects upon adjoining residents and property owners caused by smoke, odors, ash and other by-product of the uncontrolled burning of garbage, refuse, rubbish wet yard waste and other materials and debris.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMAN OF THE CITY OF STURGEON AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1 DEFINITION

For the purpose of this Ordinance the following terms shall have the following meanings:

- (a) PERSON is any person, firm, partnership, association, corporation, company or Organization of any kind.
- (b) GARBAGE is food waste including animal, fruit and vegetable wastes of materials used in cooking, serving or storing of food.
- (c) REFUSE is all solid waste including garbage and rubbish.
- (d) RUBBISH is solid wastes consisting of both combustible and non-combustible wastes such as metal, plastics, glass, bedding, building materials, tires, synthetics and other similar materials

Section 2 PROHIBITED OPEN BURNING

No person shall permit or cause the open burning of any substance which releases toxic emissions including, by way of example and not as a limitation, the burning of tires, paint and paint products, motor oil, plastics, carpet or foam. Except as otherwise specifically permitted herein, no person shall permit or cause the burning of garbage, animal carcasses, refuse, trash, rubbish or other like material that emits foul odors at any time. Any type of waste prohibit by state statues.

Section 3 PAPER AND WOOD PRODUCTS

Paper, cardboard and wood products may be burned within a burning container:

- (a) All burning paper, cardboard and untreated wood products shall be free of garbage, rubbish or refuse materials.
- (b) The burning container shall be located at a safe distance from any structure, not less than 15 feet from a neighboring house or structure, and not less than 5 feet from any boundary line.
- (c) The burning shall at all times be attended and supervised to ensure that the fire is controlled;
- (d) Determination by Fire Official. The fire official may prohibit any or all container fires when atmospheric conditions or local circumstances make such fires hazardous or whenever such fires are (or could be) offensive or objectionable due to smoke or odor emissions. The fire officials shall order the extinguishment, by the land holder or the fire department, of any container fire which creates a nuisance or which either creates or adds to a hazardous or objectionable situation.

Section 4 PROHIBITED BURNING

- (a) Garbage
- (b) Building Materials – except untreated lumber
- (c) Construction Debris
- (d) Furniture
- (e) Fabrics
- (f) Tires, Tubes etc.
- (g) Hazardous waste and other kinds of waste prohibited by state and federal agencies
- (h) Wet yard waste- yard waste with enough moisture content to cause to smolder in lieu of burning with a flame, as to cause a noxious odor and/or create a health hazard to the community.

Section 5 BURNING MUST BE ATTENDED

The burning shall be at all times be attended and supervised to ensure that the fire is Controlled.

Section 6 PUBLIC SAFTEY

The mayor or the Fire District Authority can invoke a temporary burning ban due to public safety and/or climate conditions.

Section 7 EFFECTIVE DATE This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and After its passage and approval.

Mayor Steve Crosswhite called for a motion for the first reading of Bill Number 03092020-1.

Alderman ____ moved that Bill Number 03092020-1 be given its first reading by title only seconded by Alderman ____ with ____ in favor.

Mayor Steve Crosswhite reads Bill number 03092020-1 for the first time by title only.

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING USER FEES FOR USE OF CITY OWNED CEMETERIES

Mayor Steve Crosswhite called for a motion for the second reading of Bill Number 03092020-1.

Alderman ____ moved that Bill Number 03092020-1 be given its first reading by title only seconded by Alderman ____ with ____ in favor.

Mayor Steve Crosswhite reads Bill number 03092020-1 for the second time by title only.

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING USER FEES FOR USE OF CITY OWNED CEMETERIES

City Clerk Donna Tracy moved that Bill Number 03092020-1 be passed and adopted by roll call vote.

Alderman Ron Sage:

Alderman Stan Robinson:

Alderman Janice Butler:

Alderman Zane Arends:

Bill Number 03092020-1 shall now be Ordinance Number 920

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING USER FEES FOR USE OF CITY OWNED CEMETERIES

WHEREAS, the City of Sturgeon cemetery department is operating at a deficit, and

WHEREAS, the City desires to attempt to increase the income to a point where the cemetery department incurs no operating loss,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMAN

OF THE CITY OF STURGEON, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Section 140.110(A) shall be amended as follows:

A. Cemetery User Fees. The following fees shall be charged for the Cemetery Department:

- a.** A burial lot: \$400.00. (There is no discount for purchase of multiple lots.)
- b.** Excavation of a grave: \$850.00
- c.** Excavation for a cremation urn: \$425.00
- d.** Inspection for placement of a permanent headstone or marker: \$50.00.

Section 2. **Effective Date:** These fees shall be charge March 9, 2020 after the passage of ordinance by the City's Board of Alderman.

Section 3. **Hancock Amendment:** These fees are not charges in the nature of a tax, and the City believes voter approval of this Ordinance is NOT required.

Alderman _____ made a motion that the Board of Alderman of the City of Sturgeon, Missouri hold a closed meeting and closed vote now, and the specific reason for closing the meeting and having a closed vote in subsection 610.021 (1) Legal Action, causes of action or litigation involving a public governmental body or its representatives and its attorneys. Also subsection 610.021 (3) RSMo, the hiring, firing, disciplining or promoting particular employees by the City of Sturgeon where personal information about the employee will be discussed or recorded. The Revised Statutes of Missouri. The motion was seconded by Alderman _____.

Roll Call Vote:

Alderman Janice Butler –

Alderman Stan Robinson-

Alderman Zane Arends –

Alderman Ron Sage-

Alderman _____ made a motion to go out of closed session. The motion was second by Alderman _____.

Roll Call Vote:

Alderman Janice Butler- Alderman Stan Robinson-

Alderman Zane Arends- Alderman Ron Sage-

Motion to adjourn regular meeting made by Alderman _____ seconded by

Alderman _____ all _____ in favor.

Meeting Ended: _____pm

Minutes Approved on:

ATTEST:

City Clerk Donna Tracy

Mayor Steve Crosswhite

The news media may obtain copies of this notice by contacting:

Donna Tracy, City Clerk 303 E Station Dr. Sturgeon Missouri 65284

