

## **BREESE CITY COUNCIL MEETING \* MAY 2, 2023**

### **REORGANIZATION MEETING**

Minutes of the proceeding of the 1<sup>st</sup> and Reorganization Meeting of the Breese City Council held in City Hall on the above date.

The first order of business was the swearing-in of the newly elected Officials:

Ward 1	Jason Davinroy
Ward 2	Carl Ratermann
Ward 3	Tim Schleper
Ward 4	Gary Usselmann

Mayor Kevin Timmermann called the meeting to order at 7:43 PM.

Aldermen in attendance: Robert Berndsen, Jason Davinroy, Bryan Eversgerd, Bill Fischer, Carl Ratermann, Tim Schleper, Gary Usselmann.

City Officials: Utility Plant Operations Mgr. Dale Detmer, Public Works Mgr. Don Voss, City Business Administrator Corey Richter, Police Chief Mark Berndsen, City Treasurer Bob Venhaus, City Attorney Joanne Stevenson, Zoning Administrator John Becker, EMS Manager Allen Pollmann, Street Supt. Tom Tebbe.

Press: Bryan Hunt, Breese Journal  
Rebecca Sponsler, Carlyle Union Banner

Visitors: Sophie Timmermann, Victoria Timmermann, Chloe Deien, Jillian Mueller.

### **GENERAL BUSINESS:**

Mayor Timmermann presented the committee assignments for the period May 2023 - April 2025. The first name is chairman of the committee:

#### **Finance:**

Eversgerd, Schleper, Davinroy, Berndsen, Usselmann, Ratermann, Fischer

#### **Public Works-Utilities:**

Berndsen, Schleper, Ratermann, Davinroy

#### **Public Works-Streets:**

Ratermann, Eversgerd, Berndsen

**Public Safety:**

Schleper, Usselmann, Davinroy, Fischer

**Recreation:**

Davinroy, Eversgerd, Usselmann

**Public Buildings & Grounds:**

Usselmann, Fischer, Schleper, Eversgerd

**Zoning/Building Inspection:**

Fischer, Davinroy, Berndsen, Ratermann

**Health & Welfare:**

Ratermann, Usselmann, Eversgerd

Mayor Timmermann stated that some committees only have three aldermen. Due to the passing of Terry Fields, the city will appoint a new alderman for Ward 3. At that time, the new alderman will be added to those committees.

Motion by Usselmann second by Davinroy to approve the appointments. On roll call voting "aye": Bill Fischer, Carl Ratermann, Tim Schleper, Gary Usselmann, Robert Berndsen, Jason Davinroy, Bryan Eversgerd. Motion carried.

Mayor Timmermann appointed Tom Tebbe as Street and Drainage Supervisor for the period of May 1, 2023 – May 1, 2025.

Motion by Eversgerd, second by Davinroy to approve the appointment. On roll call voting "aye": Carl Ratermann, Tim Schleper, Gary Usselmann, Robert Berndsen, Jason Davinroy, Bryan Eversgerd, Bill Fischer. Motion carried.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

Motion by Schleper second by Berndsen to adjourn after no further business was brought before the council. Motion carried by unanimous voice vote.

The meeting adjourned at 7:48 PM.

Non-verbatim minutes taken by:

  
Sandy Hermann, City Clerk