

**CITY OF RED BUD, ILLINOIS  
CITY COUNCIL  
MEETING MINUTES  
MONDAY, APRIL 5, 2021  
Red Bud City Hall  
City Council Chambers**

**The City Council of Red Bud, Randolph County, Illinois met on Monday, April 5, 2021 at 6:00 P.M. at Red Bud City Hall, City Council Chambers.**

**Members Present:** Mayor Tim Lowry, Clem Esker, Curt Guebert, Mike Rheinecker, Bill Hanebutt, Jeremy DeMond, Kyle Donjon, Susan Harbaugh

**Members Absent:** Rodney Nevois

**Others Present:** City Attorney Paul Ray, Code Administrator Jeff Mueller, Police Chief John Brittingham, City Clerk Joanne Cowell

**Others Absent:** City Superintendent Josh Eckart, Admin. Assist. Pam Poetker

I. Call to Order at 6:00 P.M. by Mayor Lowry

II. Pledge of Allegiance

III. Roll Call by City Clerk Joanne Cowell

IV. Approval of Financial Statements

**Motion made by Council Member Harbaugh, seconded by Council Member Rheinecker to approve the Financial Statements as presented and file for audit. The vote was as follows: Esker, aye; Guebert, aye; Rheinecker, aye; Hanebutt, aye; DeMond, aye; Donjon, aye; Harbaugh, aye. Motion carried.**

V. Line-Item Transfers  
*None*

VI. Approval of Estimated and Listed Bills

**Motion made by Council Member Harbaugh, seconded by Council Member Esker, to approve the estimated and listed bills. The vote was as follows: Guebert, aye; Rheinecker, aye; Hanebutt, aye; DeMond, aye; Donjon, aye; Harbaugh, aye; Esker, aye. Motion carried.**

VII. Consideration of any Additional Bills  
*There were none.*

VIII. Correspondence and Public Guest Comments

*There were none.*

IX. Consent Agenda—Items Originated at Committee Level

Please note: Items with \*\* were removed from the consent agenda.

Consent Agenda – Items Originated at Committee Level as Indicated in ( )

A. City Council Meeting Minutes from March 1, 2021

*Approval of minutes from City Council Meeting March 1, 2021*

**Motion made by Council Member Hanebutt, seconded by Council Member Rheinecker, to approve under the omnibus designation, the consent agenda items A through M. The vote was as follows: Rheinecker, aye; Hanebutt, aye; DeMond, aye; Donjon, aye; Harbaugh, aye; Esker, aye; Guebert, aye. Motion carried.**

B. Request from Red Bud Lion's Club to Collect at Four-Way (Cultural)

*Authorization of approval of request from Red Bud Lion's Club to collect at the four-way on October 8, 2-6 P.M. and October 9, 2021, 8 A.M.-noon, subject to COVID restrictions*

**Motion made by Council Member Hanebutt, seconded by Council Member Rheinecker, to approve under the omnibus designation, the consent agenda items A through M. The vote was as follows: Rheinecker, aye; Hanebutt, aye; DeMond, aye; Donjon, aye; Harbaugh, aye; Esker, aye; Guebert, aye. Motion carried.**

C. Request from VFW Post 6632 to Collect at Four-Way (Cultural)

*Authorization of approval of request from VFW Post 6632 to collect at the four-way on May 28, 2021, 3-7 P.M., subject to COVID restrictions*

**Motion made by Council Member Hanebutt, seconded by Council Member Rheinecker, to approve under the omnibus designation, the consent agenda items A through M. The vote was as follows: Rheinecker, aye; Hanebutt, aye; DeMond, aye; Donjon, aye; Harbaugh, aye; Esker, aye; Guebert, aye. Motion carried.**

D. Request for Street Closure from Ryan Dannenberg (Cultural)

*Authorization of approval of request from Ryan Dannenberg (Vices) to park on both sides of Oak Street, the length of his property, for a celebration of life on March 20, 2021*

**Motion made by Council Member Hanebutt, seconded by Council Member Rheinecker, to approve under the omnibus designation, the consent agenda items A through M. The vote was as follows: Rheinecker, aye; Hanebutt, aye; DeMond, aye; Donjon, aye; Harbaugh, aye; Esker, aye; Guebert, aye. Motion carried.**

E. Hiring C. M. Fink (Public Works)

*Authorization of approval to hire C.M. Fink, with Blue Planet, and cost share with the others, to ask FERC to waive the penalties and reduce the forced majeure pricing*

**Motion made by Council Member Hanebutt, seconded by Council Member Rheinecker, to approve under the omnibus designation, the consent agenda items A through M. The**

**vote was as follows: Rheinecker, aye; Hanebutt, aye; DeMond, aye; Donjon, aye; Harbaugh, aye; Esker, aye; Guebert, aye. Motion carried.**

- F. Code of Ordinances 2021: Ordinance 1455  
*Authorization of approval of Ordinance No. 1455: "AN ORDINANCE  
ADOPTING THE CITY OF RED BUD CODE OF ORDINANCES 2021"*

**Motion made by Council Member Hanebutt, seconded by Council Member Rheinecker, to approve under the omnibus designation, the consent agenda items A through M. The vote was as follows: Rheinecker, aye; Hanebutt, aye; DeMond, aye; Donjon, aye; Harbaugh, aye; Esker, aye; Guebert, aye. Motion carried.**

- G. Unit #39 (2011 GMC Sierra) (Public Works)  
*Approval of authorization to accept the proposal from JCs Garage for repairs to Unit #39 (2011 GMC Sierra), NTE \$4,000*

**Motion made by Council Member Hanebutt, seconded by Council Member Rheinecker, to approve under the omnibus designation, the consent agenda items A through M. The vote was as follows: Rheinecker, aye; Hanebutt, aye; DeMond, aye; Donjon, aye; Harbaugh, aye; Esker, aye; Guebert, aye. Motion carried.**

- H. Unit #10 (2004 Case Backhoe) (Public Works)  
*Approval of authorization to accept the proposal from Shaw Heavy Equipment Repair, Inc. for repairs to Unit #10 (2004 Case Backhoe), NTE \$1,700*

**Motion made by Council Member Hanebutt, seconded by Council Member Rheinecker, to approve under the omnibus designation, the consent agenda items A through M. The vote was as follows: Rheinecker, aye; Hanebutt, aye; DeMond, aye; Donjon, aye; Harbaugh, aye; Esker, aye; Guebert, aye. Motion carried.**

- I. Proposal from Pump Shop (Public Works)  
*Approval of authorization to accept the proposal from Missouri Machinery & Engineering Co. for replacement of the Taylor Street Lift Station pump, NTE \$12,632*

**Motion made by Council Member Hanebutt, seconded by Council Member Rheinecker, to approve under the omnibus designation, the consent agenda items A through M. The vote was as follows: Rheinecker, aye; Hanebutt, aye; DeMond, aye; Donjon, aye; Harbaugh, aye; Esker, aye; Guebert, aye. Motion carried.**

- J. Jason Guebert as Part-Time Employee and Co-op Student Worker (Public Works)  
*Approval of authorization to hire Jason Colton Guebert as part-time/Co-op student worker at the normal rate of pay, pending physical and drug testing results*

**Motion made by Council Member Hanebutt, seconded by Council Member Rheinecker, to approve under the omnibus designation, the consent agenda items A through M. The vote was as follows: Rheinecker, aye; Hanebutt, aye; DeMond, aye; Donjon, aye; Harbaugh, aye; Esker, aye; Guebert, aye. Motion carried.**

- K. Security Cameras at Lincoln Park (Recreational Facilities)

*Authorization of approval of the proposal from the Muskets to install video equipment at the football facility in Lincoln Park*

**Motion made by Council Member Hanebutt, seconded by Council Member Rheinecker, to approve under the omnibus designation, the consent agenda items A through M. The vote was as follows: Rheinecker, aye; Hanebutt, aye; DeMond, aye; Donjon, aye; Harbaugh, aye; Esker, aye; Guebert, aye. Motion carried.**

- L. Security Cameras at Sport Complex (Recreational Facilities)  
*Authorization of approval of the request from the RBAA to install security cameras at the Sports Complex concession stand, at RBAA's expense*

**Motion made by Council Member Hanebutt, seconded by Council Member Rheinecker, to approve under the omnibus designation, the consent agenda items A through M. The vote was as follows: Rheinecker, aye; Hanebutt, aye; DeMond, aye; Donjon, aye; Harbaugh, aye; Esker, aye; Guebert, aye. Motion carried.**

- M. Release of Minutes (Executive Session Minutes Review)  
*Authorization of approval of the release of executive minutes from November 27, 2012, September 5, 2017, September 18, 2017, and September 21, 2020*

**Motion made by Council Member Hanebutt, seconded by Council Member Rheinecker, to approve under the omnibus designation, the consent agenda items A through M. The vote was as follows: Rheinecker, aye; Hanebutt, aye; DeMond, aye; Donjon, aye; Harbaugh, aye; Esker, aye; Guebert, aye. Motion carried.**

- X. Reports of Standing Committee, Departments and Other Committees, Boards & Commissions

- A. Finance Committee - Meeting March 15, 2021

1. Maturing CDs  
*None*

- B. Personnel Committee – Meeting March 15, 2021  
*Nothing to report*

- C. Public Health & Safety Committee - Meeting March 15, 2021  
*Nothing to report*

- D. Public Works Committee - Meeting March 15, 2021  
1. City Hall Roof Bid Results

**Motion made by Council Member Guebert, seconded by Council Member Donjon, to authorize approval of the city hall roof replacement membrane roof bids from D. E. Martin Roofing Co., Inc. in the amount of \$35,320 and bid from Five Star Roofing & Exteriors, LLC in the amount of \$12,800 for the shingles portion. The vote was as follows: Hanebutt, aye; DeMond, aye; Donjon, aye; Harbaugh, aye; Esker, aye; Guebert, aye; Rheinecker, aye. Motion carried.**

2. Lincoln Parish Annual Tax Declaration – Authorization for Signatures  
**Motion made by Council Member Esker, seconded by Council Member Guebert, to authorize approval of the Lincoln Parish, Louisiana 2021 Personal Property**

**Tax Declarations (for storage gas) and authorize signatures. The vote was as follows: DeMond, aye; Donjon, aye; Harbaugh, aye; Esker, aye; Guebert, aye; Rheinecker, aye; Hanebutt, aye. Motion carried.**

E. Zoning Committee - Meeting March 15, 2021  
*Nothing to report*

F. Cultural Committee - Meeting March 15, 2021

1. Request from Vice's Bar for Spring Fling on May 8, 2021 – Ryan Dannenberg

Ryan Dannenberg addressed the council with his request to close a portion of Oak Street on May 8<sup>th</sup> for his annual spring fling. Mayor Lowry said the council has no issues with Dannenberg's plans, but if the IDPH comes in and shuts it down because of COVID, IDPH overpower the city's approval

**Motion made by Council Member Esker, seconded by Council Member Guebert, to authorize approval of the request from Ryan Dannenberg (Vices) to close Oak Street from Route 3 to the length of his property, on May 8, 2021 for 24 hours for the spring fling event, subject to COVID restrictions. The vote was as follows: Donjon, aye; Harbaugh, aye; Esker, aye; Guebert, aye; Rheinecker, aye; Hanebutt, aye; DeMond, aye. Motion carried.**

G. Executive Session Minutes Review Committee – Meeting March 15, 2021  
*Nothing to report*

H. Planning Commission – March 16, 2021  
*Nothing to report*

I. Economic Development Commission – No Meeting  
*Nothing to report*

J. Recreational Facilities Committee – Meeting March 15, 2021

1. Swimming Pool Repairs

**Motion made by Council Member Donjon, seconded by Council Member Harbaugh, to authorize approval to accept the bid from Better Homes with Brad Horn, LLC, NTE \$11,280 for concrete work and the bid from Germann Brick Contractor, Inc. NTE \$10,800, to replace the sitting walls with a flat front wall, for a total project cost of \$22,080. The vote was as follows: Harbaugh, aye; Esker, aye; Guebert, aye; Rheinecker, aye; Hanebutt, aye; DeMond, aye; Donjon, aye. Motion carried.**

2. Approval of Swimming Pool Contract with YMCA  
There are still some issues to be resolved. Tabled until the special council meeting to be held after April committee meetings.

K. Parks and Recreation Committee – Meeting March 3, 2021  
*Nothing to report*

XI. Old Business

*None*

XII. New Business

A. Review of April Calendar

Council Member Harbaugh said once again that the Library Board meetings are always on the second Thursday of the month, Thursday, April 8, 2021 at 5:00 P.M.

B. Other Comments

Council Member DeMond reminded everyone that the parks workday is Saturday, April 10<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 A.M. – noon. All volunteers are appreciated.

C. Adjournment

**Motion made at 6:16 P.M. by Council Member Hanebutt, seconded by Council Member Guebert, to adjourn the meeting. The vote was as follows: all ayes. Motion carried.**

Respectfully submitted,

Joanne G. Cowell, City Clerk  
Red Bud, Illinois