

May 8, 2024

The Rock Port Board of Aldermen met for a special meeting and town hall on Wednesday, May 8, 2024, at 6:00 p.m. with Mayor Amy Thomas presiding. Board members present were Jeff Geib, Michael Graves, and Kelley Herron. Also present were City Clerk Emily Schulte and Utility Office Manager Terri McGuire. Visitors were Raechel Schoonover, Tierra Stoner, Amy Skillen, Tami Lansdown, Alexa VanSickle, Jody VanSickle, Jennifer Roup, Kim Daugherty, Jordan Jakub, Debbie Makings, Maggie Lair, Ashley Amthor, Jim Clodfelter, Donna Wedel, J.R. Chaney, Lisa Farmer, Shauna Farmer, W.C. Farmer, Jen Geib, Mandy Herron, Hallie Pyett, Ashtyn Beatty, Jon Barth, Sheena Roup, Breeanna VanSickle, Justin Pankau, and Jax Lutz.

Mayor Amy Thomas called the meeting and town hall to order concurrently.

Approval of Meeting Agenda

Geib moved to approve the meeting agenda. Graves seconded. All votes aye.

Tourism Board / Summer Palooza

The status of Summer Palooza was discussed given the recent resignation of multiple Tourism Board members. Visitors expressed a willingness to volunteer and requested the Board of Aldermen allow the event to go on as scheduled. Additional ideas were discussed to make the event run smoothly. The Board of Aldermen stated that dozens of volunteers were necessary to operate the event in accordance with the city's MIRMA coverage and presented a sign-up sheet. If those present were willing to assist and find additional volunteers, board members had no concerns moving forward.

Summer Palooza will continue on May 23rd as scheduled and a sign-up sheet will be put online to fill all remaining volunteer positions.

Herron moved to adjourn at 6:16 p.m. Geib seconded. All votes aye.