Special meeting of the City Council met July 24, 2018 at 12:00pm with Mayor Hansen presiding. Council Members present: Ebert, Schmillen (appeared by phone), Enneking, Klassen, and Dreckman (appeared by phone). Absent: none. Also present: Elaine Rassel, Ila O’Brien, Alyssa Herbold, Doug Dreckman, Brian Flikeid, and Matt Dreckman.

Pledge of Allegiance.

Motioned by Klassen, seconded by Enneking to approve Resolution #18-12 “A Resolution recognizing the 50th Anniversary of Municipal Home Rule in Iowa and proudly support its continued authority.” Motion carried with five ayes.

The Council discussed the need for a new pickup.

Motioned by Dreckman, seconded by Schmillen to purchase a new pickup for $24,433.00. Roll call vote: Ebert, Schmillen, Enneking, Klassen, and Dreckman. All ayes. Nayes: none. Carried.

The Council discussed fireworks. The current ordinance needs more restrictions on the time frame. The nuisance committee will be working towards a new fireworks ordinance and will be discussing at an upcoming meeting.

Council Member Ebert introduced Ordinance #327 “An Ordinance Modifying Water and Sewer Rates.” Seconded by Enneking to approve when published as provided by law. Roll call vote: Ebert, Schmillen, Enneking, Klassen, and Dreckman. All ayes. Nayes: none. Carried.

Council Member Dreckman introduced Ordinance #328 “An Ordinance Establishing a Code Official and Procedures for Property Maintenance Inspection.” Seconded by Schmillen. Roll call vote: Ebert, Schmillen, Enneking, Klassen, and Dreckman. All ayes. Nayes: none. Carried.

Motioned by Dreckman, seconded by Ebert to waive second and third readings of Ordinance #328 “An Ordinance Establishing a Code Official and Procedures for Property Maintenance Inspection” and to approve when published as provided by law. Roll call vote: Ebert, Schmillen, Enneking, Klassen, and Dreckman. All ayes. Nayes: none. Carried.

Motioned by Ebert, seconded by Enneking to approve Dan Christiansen as “Code Official.” Motion carried with five ayes.

Motioned by Ebert, seconded by Enneking to approve a one year contract with Absolute Inspection Services, LLC. Motion carried with five ayes.

“Adoption of the 2012 International Property Maintenance Code” was discussed. Council Members will be receiving copy of this code and will be discussing further at next Council Meeting.

Motioned by Ebert, seconded by Enneking to approve Dan Erickson as the Alternate Marcus Representative for the County Emergency Management Commission. Motion carried with five ayes.

Motioned by Enneking, seconded by Klassen to adjourn. Time: 12:34pm.

ATTEST:

 Mayor-Hansen

Kaitlin Letsche-City Clerk