

**CITY OF TOLEDO  
CITY COUNCIL MEETING  
MARCH 4, 2019**

**MAYOR STEVE DOBOSH CALLED THE MEETING TO ORDER. THE FLAG SALUTE WAS LED BY MAYOR STEVE DOBOSH.**

**COUNCIL MEMBERS PRESENT:** Emily Morgan, Glenda Forga, Carol Hill via phone, and Guy Spratt. Greg Morosoff was excused.

**EMPLOYEES PRESENT:** Michelle Whitten, City Clerk; John Brockmueller, Police Chief; and Jon Cravens, Public Works Director.

**GUESTS:** Ron and Sue Smith, Eric Duerst, Marlea Hanson and Katie Hayes.

**CONSENT AGENDA APPROVING CITY COUNCIL MINUTES OF FEBRUARY 19, 2019 AND PAYROLL AND CLAIMS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$76,479.35.** Guy motioned to approve the consent agenda; Emily seconded. Motion carried unanimously.

**DEPARTMENT REPORTS:**

**Steve Dobosh – Mayor:** None.

**Jon Cravens – Public Works:** Jon Cravens reported they are working on manhole inspections and have an idea where the water is getting into the system.

**John Brockmueller – Police Department:** Normal activity and gave monthly stats.

**Michelle Whitten– City Clerk:** Michelle reminded Council of upcoming training; the information is in the packets. Greg Morosoff will be turning in a resignation letter as he has moved from the City limits due to no available rentals. He hopes to come back. This does put Toledo in a unique situation now with every position up for election this fall. Normally we would have two that would not need to run for election, but since both these positions will be appointed instead of elected positions, they will need to run in the next election.

Toledo is not eligible currently for grants through Community Development Block Grant due to errors in the last income census. The census did a sampling and reported that Toledo (along with Vader, PeEll and others) do not qualify as the community does not fall into 51% low to moderate income levels. A community salary survey will need to be done by an outside agency. Michelle is checking a quote for the work from Evergreen Rural Water.

The City has acquired the “Well City Award” again this year from our insurance company Association of Washington Cities. This gives us a 2% reduction in medical costs.

The City has applied for a “Loss Control Grant” through AWC in the amount of \$1,250 and received it. We have an opportunity to apply for projects up to \$5,000.

**COMMITTEE REPORTS:** None

**PUBLIC COMMENT ON AGENDA ITEMS:** Eric Duerst asked about the open position on City Council and advised Council that he had put a letter in previously. He questioned whether that letter would suffice. No, he will need to have a new letter of interest.

**NEW BUSINESS: None.**

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS. None.**

**OTHER BUSINESS: None.**

**PUBLIC.** Eric Duerst read a poem and added footnotes regarding the Battle of Santa Anna.

Commissioner Gary Stamper advised that he will be meeting with Dale Lewis (JHB representative) regarding highway exit signs for the freeway exits for routes to Mt. St Helens through Toledo.

**ADJOURNMENT:** Guy made a motion to adjourn, Emily seconded. Motion carried.

These minutes are not verbatim. If so desired, a recording of this meeting is on file and can be heard.

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**Steve Dobosh – Mayor**

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**Michelle Whitten – City Clerk**