

# CITY OF GENESEE

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**CITY COUNCIL  
REGULAR  
MEETING**

November 20, 2012

**MINUTES**

Location: 140 E. Walnut, Genesee, ID 83832

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**CALL TO ORDER** - The Genesee City Council met in regular session on November 20, 2012. Mayor Steve Odenborg called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

**ROLL CALL** – Present at the meeting were council members Ron Zenner, Cathleen Blevins, Ryan Banks, Linda James and City Clerk Karyn Wright.

**VISITORS:** Jim Sims and Cathleen Blevins

Jim Sims spoke to Council about the Walnut Street parking. He expressed his concern with the narrow travel aisle and the vehicles that stick out into the lane of traffic. Mr. Sims presented 2 pictures and a letter from a mail carrier. Councilman Banks spoke with Jim, explaining the parking on Walnut Street follows the City's code and assured Mr. Sims that Council does care about our town and the residents. Councilman Banks explained that we are going to leave the parking as it is and Mr. Sims was encouraged to call the Latah County Sheriff's Dept when he sees vehicles parked in the lane of traffic.

Cathleen Blevins informed Council that she as a Civic Assoc. member is stepping away from the Food Pantry idea. She is still interested in supporting a Clothing Exchange in town.

**CONSENT AGENDA** –Linda James made a motion, seconded by Cathleen Blevins to approve the consent agenda as presented. **ROLL CALL VOTE: Blevins, Banks, James, Zenner. Ayes; Motion carried.**

**CITY OFFICIAL, COUNCIL AND STAFF REPORTS-**

**Linda James- Fire, Police and Administrative**-No report

**Cathleen Blevins- Parks and Recreation**- No report

**Ryan Banks- Streets**-Would like to start working on the sidewalk ordinance. Council will have a Code Book Meeting at 6:00pm on Tuesday Dec. 4, 2012.

**Ron Zenner- Water and Sewer**- Asked about the posting of the Agenda.

**INTRODUCTION, READINGS AND ADOPTION OF ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS:**

**Resolution 2012-6 Surplus Items**- Linda James made a motion, seconded by Cathleen Blevins to adopt Resolution 2012-6. **ROLL CALL VOTE; James, Banks, Zenner, Blevins; Ayes; Motion carried.**

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS:**

**Latah County Solid Waste-**It was suggested that other cities be contacted and we will send a letter of intent to Latah Sanitation.

**Draft Ordinance- Business License-** Council will hold a Public Hearing on January 15, 2013.

**Draft Ordinance- Special Use Permit-** Council will hold a Public Hearing on January 15, 2013

**Vacate Request- Scharnhorst-** Steve will visit with Bruce.

**NEW BUSINESS-**

**Pasture Rent-** Karyn will send out a Newsletter and advertise the rental pasture.

**Walnut Street Parking-** Ryan handled this during the visitor section.

**PROJECTS IN PROGRESS:**

**Storm Water- GHS-**

**Demolition of Old Reservoir-**

**Clean Up Ordinance Book- Sidewalk Ordinance**

**CORRESPONDENCE- None**

**EXECUTIVE SESSION-** Cathleen Blevins made a motion, seconded by Ryan Banks to go into Executive Session at 8:55pm. **No Vote**

**REGULAR SESSION-**Linda James made a motion, seconded by Cathleen Blevins to end Executive Session at 9:45pm . **No Vote**

**ADJOURNMENT-** Cathleen Blevins made a motion, seconded by Ron Zenner to adjourn the City Council meeting. **No Vote**

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Steve Odenborg, Mayor

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Karyn Wright, Clerk/Treasurer