

**VALLEY FALLS CITY COUNCIL  
AGENDA**

**DATE:** January 20<sup>th</sup>, 2021

The City of Valley Falls will hold a City Council meeting on Wednesday, January 20<sup>th</sup>, 2020 beginning at 6:30 pm. Due to the concerns of spread of COVID-19, the City Council meeting will be held at City Hall, but some City Councilmembers and staff may participate remotely. To meet the spirit and intent of the Kansas Open Meetings Act (KOMA), anyone can listen to the meeting live via a conference call. This access can be gained as follows: Dial-in number (US): 1 312 626 6799 Access code: 725 636 7849; or watch via Facebook Live ( <https://www.facebook.com/cityofvalleyfalls> ) Please email questions to [cityofvalleyfalls@gmail.com](mailto:cityofvalleyfalls@gmail.com) prior to the meeting. Members of the City Council, presenters, or staff will identify themselves when speaking so that everyone will know who is speaking at the time.

**OPEN REGULARLY SCHEDULED COUNCIL MEETING: 6:30 PM or**

**Roll Call:**

**Approval of Minutes:** January 6th, 2020

**Petitions, Proclamations, Requests, Complaints, Visitors, Etc.:**

**Public Comments:**

**Committee Reports:**   **City Administrator/Mayor Report:** Joe   **Water/Sewer:** Salih/Gary  
                                  **Streets/Alleys:** Gary/Mike                           **Parks/Pool:** Connie/Jennifer  
                                  **Fire Board:** Mike   **Police/Court:** Connie/Mike  
                                  **Public Relations:** Jennifer/Salih                       **VFEDC:** Joe

**COMPLAINTS:**

1. Water pressure complaint – Carol Wilken: *“Council Members, Lucy, Gary, Mike, Salih, and others. This is a video of my water pressure at 501 17th St. I have replaced all my water lines inside the house with PEX hoping it would help with my water pressure. It has not helped any at all. I know Ms. Robertson has complained about her pressure also. I understand that is because we live on the hill and water has to be pushed up the hill. But, something needs to be done to fix this issue. I have put up with it since 2012 and completed work to try to fix it on my end to no avail. Yes, I know this is an expensive fix, but I spent a lot trying to fix it on my end. How long would you put up with it if this was all the pressure you had? Please add this to the to do list/agenda. I know I am not the only one disappointed.”*

**OLD BUSINESS:**

1. Fireworks amendment
2. Update on CDBG Community Facilities Application
3. Discussion on Sewer PER

**NEW BUSINESS:**

1. Appointments of non-elected officers:
  - City Administrator – Joseph Hackney
  - City Clerk – April Herbster
  - Chief of Police – Marcus Koch
  - Public Works Director- Chad Jepson
  - City Attorney – Leonard Buddenbohm
  - Traffic Prosecutor – Interim Leonard Buddenbohm – Rick Johnson
  - Municipal Judge – Dennis Reiling
  - Bank – Kendall Bank
  - Newspaper – The Vindicator
2. Review of Animal Control Ordinances – Repeal of Chapter 2, Article 3 – PIT BULL DOGS
3. Alteration/Review Holiday Pay Personnel Policy

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**Executive session:**

1. Matters relating to non-elected personnel- Evaluation of non-elected personnel.

*"Madam Mayor, under the authority of KSA 75-4319, under the matters relating to non-elected personnel exception, I move that we go into executive session to discuss potential legal action, and that we return to open session in this room no later than \_\_\_\_\_, to include the Mayor, City Council, City Administrator, and City Attorney."*

**ADDITIONS TO THE AGENDA:**

**VOUCHERS:** January 20<sup>th</sup>, 2020

**PENDING ITEMS:**

Clean-up dumpster discussion