THE CITY OF MOMENCE

Momence, IL 60954

MICK PORTER, Mayor JENENE HENSON, Clerk

MARGARET PETERSON, Treasurer

<u>ALDERMEN</u>

Diann Denton
Carolyn Navratil
Nova Metz
Charles Steele Jr.

John Rehmer
David Cook
Mark Lesyna
John Metz Sr.

MOMENCE CITY COUNCIL Monday, March 6, 2017 Council Meeting

Time: 7:30 P.M.

The City Council Meeting of the City of Momence was held in the Council Chambers at 29 N. Dixie Highway, Momence. Mayor Mick Porter called the meeting to order.

ROLL CALL

Roll was called by the Clerk with Aldermen Navratil, Steele, Rehmer, Cook, Lesyna and John Metz present. Also present was Mayor Mick Porter. Alderman Denton and Nova Metz were absent.

APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MEETING MINUTES

Alderman Rehmer made a motion to approve the Regular Session minutes of the February 20, 2017, Council Meeting as presented. Alderman Lesyna seconded the motion with Alderman Navratil, Steele, Rehmer, Lesyna and John Metz voting yes. Alderman Cook passed.

APPROVAL OF THE BILLS

The bills were discussed at tonight's Budget and Finance Committee Meeting. Alderman Lesyna made a motion to approve the bills for payment with the addition of a late bill: Brian Hiatt, Adjudication Officer, to be paid out of General Fund Account #10477705 of \$800 for monthly fee. Alderman Cook seconded the motion with Aldermen Navratil, Steele, Rehmer, Cook, Lesyna and John Metz voting yes.

CITIZEN FORUM

Noelle Bradley from the Child Abuse Prevention Committee stated that she would like to offer a pinwheel for prevention garden to be displayed for the month of April, which is child abuse prevention month. They would supply 100 blue pinwheels to display at the corner of West River Street and Dixie Highway. Alderman John Metz made a motion to support Child Abuse Prevention Month by allowing this pinwheel garden. Alderman Lesyna seconded the motion with Alderman Navratil, Steele, Rehmer, Cook, Lesyna and John Metz voting yes.

OLD BUSINESS - none

ALDERMANIC REPORTS

Alderman Lesyna: Called Budget and Finance Meeting for March 20, at 7:15P.M.

First reading on Overweight Truck Ordinance. Highlighted change: Spotter semi-tractors permitted route: Railroad Avenue between Third and Sixth Street.

First reading on Historical House Board Ordinance. Name change from The Cultural Center Board to the Historical House Board. Term limits have been totally removed.

First reading of Mediacom Franchise Ordinance. Modifying cable service area footprint to include the city of Momence. Mediacom is authorized to offer its service, pursuant to its state issued authorization. Franchise agreement expires in June. To keep in place City needs to pass this ordinance. Local unit government creates ordinance so that the City is fulfilling its obligation.

Alderman John Metz requested information on the name of the Grant Park officers that assisted Momence last week. Chief will provide information to Mr. Metz.

DEPARTMENT HEAD REPORTS

Scott Behrends: City has been receiving calls on brush and leaves and they will possibly be able to take care of them at the end of this week, depending on the weather.

Chief Cavender: Reminder, this Wednesday form 4-6PM is Cone with a Cop at DQ.

TREASURER REPORT – Treasurer Becky Peterson-none

MAYORAL REPORT - none

EXECUTIVE SESSION –none

Alderman Cook made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Alderman Navratil seconded the motion with Aldermen Navratil, Steele, Rehmer, Cook, Lesyna and John Metz voting yes. Meeting adjourned at 7:45P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Jenene Henson, City Clerk