# THE CITY OF MOMENCE

Momence, IL 60954

CHARLES E. STEELE, JR., Mayor CHRISTY RITTER, Clerk JENENE HENSON, Treasurer

#### <u>ALDERMEN</u>

Jake Salomone Carolyn Navratil Nova Metz Leo (Todd) Clark John Rehmer David Cook Tom Temple Rebecca Cope

MOMENCE CITY COUNCIL Monday July 17, 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 Chuck Steele called the meeting to order.

ROLL CALL

Roll was called by the Clerk with Aldermen Salomone, Navratil, Clark, Rehmer, Cook, Cope present. Also present was Mayor Steele. Alderman Metz and Temple were absent.

### APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MEETING MINUTES

Alderman Cook made a motion to approve the minutes of the July 03, 2017, Council Meeting as presented. Alderman Salomone seconded the motion with Alderman Salomone, Navratil, Clark, Rehmer, Cook, and Cope voting yes.

#### APPROVAL OF THE BILLS

The bills were discussed at tonight's Budget and Finance Committee Meeting. Alderman Salomone made a motion to approve the bills for payment. Alderman Navratil seconded the motion with Aldermen Salomone, Navratil, Clark, Rehmer, and Cope voting yes. Alderman Cook passed.

#### ALDERMANIC REPORTS

- 1. Jake Salomone: Discuss and vote on Appropriation. Ordinance 829 first reading was on July 3. Alderman Salomone made motion to approve which was not modified, Cook seconded the motion to approve. Alderman Cope, Cook, Rehmer, Clark, Navratil and Salomone all voting yes.
- 2. John Rehmer: Discuss and possible vote on uniform stipend for Police. Chief is proposing each quarter of the year each officer would receive part of their stipend (\$175.00), questioning if this would be a taxable income for the officers. Attorney Donald stating this would affect child support. If the officers are issued a reimbursement check, it would be on the officers for what they would spend this money on. Speak to the Chief about how the officers feel about this issue. Phil Reams has offered to buy popsicles for distribution during Glad Festival. A new officers probationary period can be extended past the 12-month mark. 4 new officers are ready to graduate and will begin their field training. Looking for 5 new part time officer positions. Centrue Bank new sign permit. Police committee meeting set for Monday, August 7, 2017.

## DEPARTMENT HEAD REPORTS

Scott Behrends had a meeting on Mechanic Street.

Treasurer report – Jenene will be on vacation next meeting. Will be meeting with Midland Bank for possible move.

### MAYORAL REPORT

1. Appoint Plan Commission/Zoning Board of Appeals appointed to Jack Metz. Alderman Navratil made motion to approve, Alderman Cook seconded. Alderman Salomone, Navratil, Clark, Rehmer, Cook and Cope all voting yes.

Alderman Navratil made a motion to adjourn, Alderman Cook seconded the motion. Alderman Salomone, Navratil, Clark, Rehmer, Cook and Cope all voting yes.

Meeting adjourned at 7:46 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Christy Ritter, City Clerk