

Pursuant to due call and notice thereof, the city of Lake Wilson council met January 20, 2016 at 7pm. Present are Diane Scotting, Justin Berreau, Don Nielsen, Clerk Melanie Vander Schaaf and Eric Carlson of EC Electric. Absent were Mike Chapman and Zach McFarland.

Mayor Nielsen called the meeting to order with the reading of the minutes of the January 6, 2016 meeting. Motion made by Diane and seconded by Justin to approve the minutes as read. All members present voted 'aye'. Motion carried.

The fire contracts were presented and signed. They will now be sent out to the townships for signatures.

Mayor's appointments:

Acting Mayor – Diane Scotting  
Parks – Mike Chapman, Diane Scotting, Justin Berreau  
Streets – Zach McFarland, Justin Burreau, Mike Chapman  
Sewer/Water – Don Neilson, Mike Chapman, Diane Scotting  
Newspaper – Wheel Herald  
Auditor – Gerber & Haugen  
Assessor – Lee York  
Attorney – Merlyn Anderson  
Bank – Minnwest Bank – Lake Wilson

Dog licenses were discussed. It was found that there were around 30 dogs in town that do not have a license. The clerk will send out a letter reminding people that they need to get a license for their dogs.

There have also been some complaints about barking dogs and dogs that are not on leashes and are going on other people's property and pooping and tearing up their yards. The clerk will also include the ordinance that addresses this situation in the letters.

Passing of Ordinance #83 and discussing employee performance and raises was postponed until the next meeting when more council members were present.

EC Electric was present to discuss the light bid he was submitting for possible new lights in the government building and the shop.

Hadley Steel found a blade for the backhoe on an auction and it will be delivered to the city sometime in the next week.

Next meeting will be Thursday, February 4, 2016 at 7:00pm with an EDA meeting starting at 6:30pm.

There being no other known business before the council, Diane made the motion to adjourn. Justin seconded the motion. All members present voted 'aye'. Motion carried.

Donald Nielsen Mayor Melanie Vander Schaaf Clerk