COUNCIL MEETING Monday March 12, 2007 City Hall Council Chambers

The Council of the City of Oregon met Monday March 12, 2007, 7:00 P.M. City Hall Council Chambers.

Present: Mayor Thomas R. Stone, Sr.

Commissioner Thomas Izer Commissioner Tom Miller Commissioner Bob Rees Commissioner Jim Tegtmeyer City Clerk Charlene Ruthe

Chief Darin DeHaan City Attorney Wendy Howarter

Chief Darin DeHaan started the pledge of allegiance.

Commissioner Thomas Izer moved to approve the February 26, 2007 minutes, Seconded by Commissioner Bob Rees.

Roll Call: Izer, Miller, Rees, Tegtmeyer, Stone. No Nays.

Commissioner Thomas Izer moved to approve the payroll in the amount of

\$30,775.01 and claims as listed:

Accurint, \$30.00

ARC Design, \$1,992.30

Arshem Data Service, \$115.00

Assurant Employee Benefits, \$148.00

AT&T, \$222.23

Basler's, \$273.86

Bonnell Industries, \$2,209.21

Casper Manheim, \$436.19

CMS, \$17,417.00

Charlene Ruthe, \$72.00

Chicago International Trucks, \$440.19

CMT, \$19,872.50

ComEd, \$2,163.38

Comfort Inn, \$195.00

Commercial Parts & Service, Inc., \$33.97

Country Inn & Suites, \$154.08

Eagle Lawn & Garden, \$2,800.00

Ear hugger Safety Equipment, \$800.00

Ecolab, \$98.50

Ehmen, \$191.90

Emmalyn Spickler, \$280.00

Fischer's, \$110.15

Gall's, Inc., \$190.55

Illinois Department of Transportation, \$4,808.00

Insight, \$148.57

International Code Council, Inc., \$100.00

Jon Mandrell, \$160.00

Jon Mandrell, \$120.00

Lorman Education Services, \$329.00

M&M Supermarket, \$94.19

Mobile Electronic, \$100.75

Morton Salt, \$3,239.95

Motion Industries, Inc., \$21.40

Municipal Code Corp., \$814.60

NAPA, \$239.52

Ogle County Life, \$43.50

Oregon Snyder, \$12.99

Pitney Bowes, \$48.98

Polo Cooperative Assoc., \$3,762.32

Public Agency Training Council, \$250.00

Quill, \$267.61

Approved minutes

Payroll/Claims

Roland Machinery Co., \$53.10 Sauk Valley Newspaper, \$32.50 SBM, \$44.48 Shawn Melville, \$90.00 Steve Benesh & Sons, \$10,830.00 Stillman Bancorp, \$2,405.34 Verizon, \$898.24 Verizon Wireless, \$90.01 Willett Hofmann & Assoc., \$3,952.00 Williams & McCarthy, \$514.33 Seconded by Commissioner Bob Rees.

Roll Call: Izer, Miller, Rees, Tegtmeyer, Stone. No Nays.

Chief Darin DeHaan received three quotes from local banks on financing the K-9 Dog vehicle. The council discussed the different vehicles that are available through the state bids. Commissioner Bob Rees moved to purchase a vehicle through the state program not to exceed \$27,000.00 dollars, Seconded by Commissioner Tom Miller.

Roll Call: Izer, Miller, Rees, Tegtmeyer, Stone. No Nays.

Commissioner Jim Tegtmeyer announced that a pre construction meeting on resurfacing Route 2 from Jefferson to Fair Street will be this Thursday March 15, 2007 in Dixon at the IDOT office. The state also sent two checks totaling \$105, 00.00 to reimburse the city for replacement parking for the stalls lost in the Route 2 resurfacing project and a check for \$15,000.00 for the federal share from the December 1, 2006 snow emergency.

Commissioner Bob Rees and Karl Merbach met with Jim Fox a representative from ComEd to discuss the new power rates. They will be attending a Mayors meeting this Thursday in Cortland where a speaker will talk about the possibilities of getting power from other providers.

Commissioner Bob Rees moved to adjourn the meeting, Seconded by Commissioner Thomas Izer.

Roll Call: Izer, Miller, Rees, Tegtmeyer, Stone. No Nays

Adjourn: 7:25 P.M.

Charlene Ruthe, City Clerk

ATTEST:

Thomas R. Stone, Sr., Mayor

Claims

K-9 Dog Vehicle

Commissioner report

ComEd rates being looked at

Adjourn