

**City of Benton  
Agenda  
May 20, 2019**

- 1. Call to Order**
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance**
- 3. Approve Minutes**  
April 15, 2019
- 4. Public Comment**
- 5. New Business**
- 6. Other Business**
- 7. Department Reports**
- 8. Approve Bills**
- 9. Adjourn**

**City of Benton  
City Council Meeting**

**May 20, 2019**

The governing body of the City of Benton, Kansas met in regular session at the usual meeting place in the city at 7:00 p.m. Mayor Brennan Dennison presided. Members of the council were present as follows: Ross Schoneboom, , Mike Wyant, Curt Ghormley and Janet Roths. Travis Swift was absent.

**Pledge of Allegiance**

**Approve Minutes**

Janet moved to approve the minutes from the April 15, 2019 regular meeting. Curt seconded. Motion carried 4-0.

**Public Comment**

Nick Engels, property owner at 210 W. Henrie, and Lacy Gould appeared before the council to discuss the possibility of purchasing property in the city to build a Day Care Facility. Currently Lacy operates a Day Care at 210 W. Henrie. They were interested in purchasing land the city owns at 245 N. Main.

Scott Zadorozny, 660 Cedar, reported flooding on his property again due to heavy rains.

Council discussed drainage in all of the City.

**Department Reports**

**Maintenance** – Randy requested authorization to purchase a crack seal machine for \$1500.00. This will cut costs of hiring someone for this type of work. With council approval the cost would be paid from the Special Equipment fund.

Curt moved to purchase the crack seal machine for \$1500.00 from the Special Equipment Fund. Ross seconded. Motion carried 4-0.

Administrative – Charles presented information for a City Financial Policy he’s working on. Requested authorization to purchase new accounting software. Meetings have been scheduled with two vendors.

Ross moved to spend up to \$15,000 on Fund Based Software for the City. Half to be spent from the Water Reserve Fund and half from Capital Improvements. Janet seconded. Motion carried 4-0.

**Police** - Update on calls to service. Working on Code Enforcement.

**Approve Bills**

Curt moved to approve the bills as presented. Ross seconded. Motion carried 4-0.

**Adjourn**

Janet moved to adjourn the meeting at 8:55 p.m. Curt seconded. Motion carried 4-0.