



City of MACKSBURG, IOWA  
 106 W. North St. ~ P.O. Box 144 ~ Macksburg, IA 50155

**Mayor:** Ruth Eivins  
**Council:** Mike Carlson, Jessica Jones, Jesse Shady,  
 Jolene Bates, Dee Peckham  
**City Clerk/Treasure:** Tricia Gardner

**MEETING MINUTES**  
 Macksburg City Council Regular Meeting  
 October 5, 2015 – 7:00 P.M. – City Hall Macksburg, Iowa

The Macksburg City Council met on October 5, 2015 at 7:00 p.m. at the city hall located in Macksburg, Iowa.

Mayor Ruth Eivins called the meeting to order. Roll call was taken. City Council members present- Bates, Jones, and Peckham. Council Member Shady, and Carlson. Citizens attending - Rick Bruett, Robert McKinney.

Bates made a motion to approve the agenda; Jones seconded and all carried with ayes.

Peckham made a motion to approve the consent agenda which included minutes from September 7, 2015, September 7, 2015 regular meetings, September’s City Treasure Report, and October 2015 bills to be paid; Jones seconded and all carried with ayes.

**September 2015 Treasure Report:**

Disbursements: \$2,529.56	Checking : \$112.01	Savings: \$71,292.62
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**INCOME:**

RUT: \$912.26	Madison County: \$78.55	Sales Tax \$0
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Account Name	Open Balance	Amount Out	Amount In	Closing Balance
General Fund	\$70,724.70	\$1,966.69	\$78.55	\$68,836.56
RUT	\$2,218.68	\$562.87	\$912.26	\$2,568.07
CD	\$24,529.79	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$24,529.79
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$98,922.23</b>	<b>\$3,554.69</b>	<b>\$2,105.63</b>	<b>\$95,934.42</b>

**August 2015 Bills:**

Alliant Energy:	\$492.24	SIRWA:	\$46.24	Ralph Breakenridge: 4 Mows & Clean City Hall	\$250.00
				<b>TOTAL BILLS:</b>	<b>\$788.48</b>
<b>Total General Fund: \$788.48</b>			<b>Total RUT Fund: \$0</b>		

**Public Forum:**

Citizen advised that Siren did not go off on the first Saturday of the Month.

Bates made a motion to contact Anchored Walls to come out and check foundation and anchors located at Webb property to see if tree is causing damage to the foundation; Peckham seconded and all carried with ayes.

**Old Business:**

Bob McKinney – Clerk advised that she tried to contact Ray Parker and left a message.

Shelter House project still being worked on. Put back on agenda for November.

City to contact Huff and Sons about getting an estimate to work on ditches around town that have water standing in them. Ditches include Breakenridge rental property (Carlson to talk to tenants about paying for damaged culvert), Ditch on south west corner of Brown Property, ditch on the south west side of Lopez property. Huff and Son’s advised they would get an estimate. It would be about 30-45 days before they could start.

Two swings have been purchased for the swing set at the Macksburg City Park and will be installed.

City Clerk still working out recycling bins returning to lot south of CEM building

The City Clerk is working with SICOG to see about a Grant for the Merry Go Round. Tabled for November’s council meeting.

**New Business:**

Bates made a motion to have Macksburg City Wide Clean up October 14<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup>, 2015, a Wiegert Disposal dumpster will be located on the North west side of the City Square for City wide clean up, and also to contact Russell Thompson who will taking all appliances and anything else with metal attached to it; Jones seconded, and all carried with ayes.

**Please do not drop off any paint, batteries, or tires. Any appliances or anything with metal attached to it will go next to the dumpster and NOT inside the dumpster.**

Jones made a motion to have Halloween/Beggar's Night on Saturday October 31, 2015 from 5 pm until 8 pm; Bates seconded and all carried with ayes.

The City Clerk advised that the issue with the four way stop and the county is still being worked on and will be tabled until November.

Jones made a motion to approve **RESOLUTION 05102015**, which states that the City of Macksburg will renew CD 40721, 40722, 40732, 40724, 40725 for another 6 months.

Bates made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:35 pm; Jones seconded and all carried out with ayes. Next City Council Meeting will be held November 2, 2015 at 7 pm.

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Tricia Gardner                      City Clerk/Treasure

**City Council Members:**

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