

**Minutes
Partridge City Council Meeting
December 5, 2022**

Council members present: Rick Smith, Brett Lawson, Tyler Eash, Dale Conkling, Ray Davis.

City Employees present: Debbie Fountain, Bryan Knox.

Guest Present: Luis Rincon, Lynn Miller, Darrell Austin

Mayor Smith called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

Motion by Eash, seconded by Conkling to approve the minutes of the November 3, 2022. Motion passed.

Motion by Eash, seconded by Davis to approve the bills. Motion passed.

Maintenance Report

Knox reported he has the roof and doors done on the odorant station. There was a yard line installed by Eck Services.

Old Business

Rincon's Cows

Luis Rincon and Lynn Miller were here on behalf of Adrian Rincon. Mayor Smith informed them the reason the letter came about was the cows getting out so much. Luis Rincon said they have 10 cows right now with several that are pregnant and they will sell when they are weened.

New Business

Darrell Austin – skunks and Armadillos

He asked council if the city could help him with trapping. He got volunteers to help him out with the situation.

Open to the Public

Executive Session Non-Elected Personnel

Motion by Eash, seconded by Conkling to go into executive session for 10 minutes at 7:33pm. Motion passed

Council returned to regular session at 7:44pm.

Motion by Eash, seconded by Conkling to give each employee \$250.00 Christmas Bonus. Motion passed. Motion by Eash, seconded by Davis to raise Knox by \$1.00 to \$22.50. Motion passed

The gas ordinance states that the city or a license plumber can install a yard line. Mayor Smith would like to take out that the city would install a yard line due to liability issue. It was consensus to leave as is and inform Knox not to install yard lines.

Clerk Fountain received a quote to codify the city ordinances for \$7500.00. Motion by Eash, seconded by Davis to codify the ordinances and spread payment over two fiscal years. Motion passed.

Motion by Eash, seconded by Davis to adjourn at 8:19 pm. Motion passed.