

Mayor Charles "Skip" Lee called a meeting of the Sterling City Council to order at 6:30 pm on Tuesday, January 3, 2012. Roll call. Present: Aldermen Barry Cox, Retha Elston, Linda Marley, Joe Martin, Lou Sotelo, and Amy Viering.

Also present were City Attorney Ron Coplan, City Manager Scott Shumard, City Management Intern Hadley Skeffington-Vos, Code Enforcement Officer Amanda Schmidt, Interim Fire Chief Gary Cook, Police Chief Ron Potthoff, and City Clerk Marie Rombouts.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

There was no communication from Visitors.

Alderman Cox made a motion to approve the items on the Consent Agenda, as follows:

- A) City Council Minutes of December 19, 2011
- B) Bills and Payroll totaling \$1,138,457.84

The motion was seconded by Alderman Elston. Voting: Ayes – All. Nays – None. Motion carried.

Attorney Coplan announced that Council members are mandated to complete on-line training for the Open Meetings Act by the end of 2012; any new members would have 30 days to complete training.

Mayor Lee wished everyone a Happy New Year and looking forward to the good things to come.

With no further business to discuss, Alderman Viering made a motion to adjourn the meeting; seconded by Alderman Martin. Voting: Ayes – All. Nays – None. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 6:33 pm.

Marie Rombouts  
City Clerk