

**CITY OF SHOSHONE  
PUBLIC HEARING ON 2017-18 ANNUAL BUDGET  
AND REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING  
CITY HALL – 207 S RAIL ST. WEST  
SHOSHONE, ID 83352  
AUGUST 1, 2017 at 7:00 P.M.**

Mayor Dan Pierson and the following members of the City Council were present: Dale Sluder, Payson Reese and Tammy Swaner whom appeared by phone.

Others present were as follows: Dena Mabbutt, Clerk/Treasurer; Emily Higley, Maintenance Crewmember; Cliff Katona, Police Chief; and Melissa Kippes, City Attorney.

Members of the public who were present were as follows: Joseph Hampton, Agustis Lowe, Jessica Hendricks, Shane Hendricks, Terry Hampton, Janet Hampton, Kyle Booth and Dave Zortman.

**7:00 P.M. 2017-18 FISCAL BUDGET PUBLIC HEARING:** Mayor Pierson opened the Public Hearing at 7:01 p.m.

The members of the public who were present reviewed the proposed budget. There were no questions by either the public or the council members.

Mayor Pierson closed the meeting at 7:07 p.m.

**REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING CALLED TO ORDER:** Mayor Pierson declared a quorum present and opened the Regular City Council meeting at 7:07 p.m.

Mayor Pierson led the Council and audience in the Pledge of Allegiance.

**CORRECTIONS TO AGENDA:** Councilman Reese made a motion add the Flood Damage Prevention Ordinance review from the Planning and Zoning Commission and to also set a city council Public Hearing date for the ordinance. The motion was seconded by councilman Sluder. All in favor, no opposition. Motion passed.

**PUBLIC COMMENT TIME:** The members of the public who were present wanted to talk about the “City Fire Department” and were advised the fire department is its own district and the city council has no say as to what happens with them. The citizens were very concerned about the fire that burned north of town and destroyed the Sticks and Stones lumber yard. They would like to see some sort of community involvement organization that would implement fire prevention measures. Mayor Pierson asked to have a fire prevention discussion added to the next agenda.

**MINUTES:** Mayor Pierson asked for corrections or additions to the minutes of July 18, 2017. There were none. Motion made by Councilwoman Swaner to accept the minutes as presented. Councilman Sluder seconded the motion, all in favor, no opposition. Motion passed unanimously.

**REPORTS:** The financial reports for July 2017 were reviewed by the Council in an e-mail they received earlier this week from Dena.

The **Library report** for July. Clay advised the council that the computer with the information for the library report is not working, so there was no report.

The **Police Report** for July was presented by Officer Larry Green as follows:

**City of Shoshone Idaho  
SHOSHONE POLICE DEPARTMENT  
MONTHLY REPORT for July 2017**

To: Mayor Dan Pierson  
 Thru: Shoshone City Council  
 From: Chief Cliff Katona  
 Date: August 1, 2017

DEPARTMENT ACTIVITY RECAP

Calls for Service: 199  
 Business Checks (Day Time): 127  
 Business Checks (After Hour): 2,126  
 After Hours Open Doors: 9  
 All Actions: 2,461

Reports Generated: 9 Reports

Traffic Stops / Contacts: 168  
 Rail Road Citations: 3  
 Other Citations: 29  
 Total Citations: 31  
 Verbal Warnings: 137

Physical Arrests: 4  
By Category  
 Felony: 0  
 Felony Warrant: 0  
 Misdemeanor: 15  
 Misdemeanor Warrant: 1

Criminal Investigations: 12  
By Category  
 Felony: 5  
 Misdemeanor: 14

Agency Assists  
 SPD assisting allied Agency: 39  
 Allied agency assisting: See Breakdown ↓

Dog Issues 13  
 Dog-Owner Claim: 0  
 Dog-taken by Rescue Group: 2

**Department Initiatives:**

**Data Driven Approach to Crime and Traffic Safety (DDACTS):** Based on the last reporting period’s crime data map, enhanced enforcement was directed into the northwest quadrant of the city. The identifiable “HOT SPOT” for this reporting period is the northwest and Southeast quadrants . Officers are being directed to focus their patrol time in this quadrant.

**School Safety and Security Detail:** ; SPD participated in the Idaho Transportation Department, Office of Highway Safety 100 Deadliest Days enforcement from July 21<sup>st</sup>, 2017 through August 4<sup>th</sup>, 2017. We increased traffic stops from 102 last month to 168 this month. Some of these included 9 speeding citations, 2 stop signs, 9 fail to provide proof of insurance and 4 fail to purchase drivers licenses. Several complaints were reported for speeders on N. Grape and W. Huyser. Extra patrol was done in those areas and will continue. One stop Officer Green made resulted in an arrest for Open Container driver, and Possession of Marijuana approximately 2.5 oz. Also, several speeders were given citations do to the extra patrol in the N. Grape and Huyser area. Officer Thompson was dispatched to a DUI from the Iron Horse Saloon leaving town and made an arrest from the traffic stop. Officer Fischer had a warrant arrest and Officer Thongsana made a driving without privileges arrest.

**SPD Agency Assist Breakdown**

LCSD assist SPD- 19  
 SPD assist LCSD- 20

EMS assist SPD- 0  
 SPD assist EMS- 10

LC Probation assist SPD - 0  
 SPD assist LC Probation - 2

Fire assist SPD- 0  
 SPD assist Fire- 2

GCSO assist SPD - 1  
 SPD assist GCSO – 1

SPD assist BLSO-2  
 SPD assist Twin Falls P&P-1

SPD assist additional agencies-5

**SPD Assists – 39**  
**Assists SPD – 22**

Emily Higley reviewed the **City Maintenance Report** for July as follows:

**Water Dept.**

Disconnected old water service to Ann’s Auto and put in a meter and hooked up new service. Installed a meter pit at Mary Kay’s house. Handed out several red tags again and had some water shut offs, also had several locates. Dug up and replaced a six inch valve and fire hydrant at the corner of North Apple and North Rail Streets. Fixed water line under city hall. Had all three pumps kicking on and off so we had a guy come out and reset when the pumps kick on.

**Parks Dept.**

Replaced seven sprinklers in the big park and extended some lines and put in some new sprinklers. Did some priming on the pavilion and painted over some graphite. Serviced lawn mower put new blades on it and mowed the chamber park.

**Streets Dept.**

Raymond went out and helped the county for a couple of days hauling asphalt then the county helped us haul in chips. Did some big patches on South Apple, Grape, and Seventh Streets and lots of small patches all around town. Changed brushes on the broom tractor and installed a new battery. Swept streets a couple times with the street sweeper. Pulled more trees from the river by Grape Street. Put up a speed limit sign on Seventh Street and flagged the speed limit signs on Grape Street. Took two banners down and put one up.

**Sewer Dept.**

Put both RAS pumps back into service they run fine. Pulled small lift station pump out and took it over to be repaired. We extended three sidewalks out between four and five feet at the Treatment Plant to make it easier to pull pumps. Parry went to a wastewater class on wastewater treatment.

**Sanitation Dept.**

Nothing new just picking up stinky garbage it smells pretty bad in this heat.

**Projects for August**

Start prepping for seal coating and hopefully get some street painting done.

**Other Reports:** none

Motion made by Councilman Sluder to accept all of the reports. Motion seconded by Councilman Reese. All in favor, no opposition. Motion passed.

**VOUCHERS FOR PAYMENT:** Councilman Sluder made a motion to accept the vouchers as presented. Motion was seconded by Councilman Reese. All in favor, no opposition. Motion passed.

**BUSINESS:**

**ORDINANCE #554 TO ADOPT 2017-18 FISCAL BUDGET:** Councilman Reese made a motion to dispense with the rule requiring ordinances to be read on three separate days and once in full, and that the ordinance be read once by title. The motion was seconded by Councilman Sluder. Mayor Pierson took a roll call vote as follows: Sluder, aye; Reese, aye; Swaner, aye. All in favor, no opposition. Motion passed.

Councilwoman Swaner made a motion to accept Ordinance #554. The motion was seconded by Councilman Sluder. Mayor Pierson took a roll call vote as follows: Sluder, aye; Reese, aye; Swaner, aye. All in favor, no opposition. Motion passed. The Ordinance will take effect on October 1, 2017.

**NUSIANCE LETTER UPDATE:** Chief Katona discussed nuisance letters, and that we are sending out five letters at a time so as to not overload our City Attorneys. The focus will be on cleaning up residences and bare lots that could be potential fire hazards.

**PUBLIC HEARING DATE FOR FLOOD DAMAGE PREVENTION ORDINANCE:** The Planning and Zoning Commission elected to not pass the ordinance and urged the Council to not pass the ordinance, stating that they do not want to be responsible for enforcing the ordinance and that the City cannot afford to see that all the requirements of the ordinance can be completed. Councilman Sluder made a motion to set the public hearing date

for the ordinance on August 15, 2017 at 7:00 at City Hall. The motion was seconded by Councilman Reese. All in favor, no opposition. Motion passed.

**CORRESPONDENCE/MISCELLANEOUS:** none

**EXECUTIVE SESSION IF NEEDED:** Mayor Pierson called for an executive session per I.C. 74-206 (1)(b) for personnel discussion. Councilman Sluder so motioned. Motion was seconded by Councilman Reese. Mayor Pierson took a roll call vote as follows: Sluder, aye; Reese, aye; Swaner, aye. All in favor, no opposition. Into executive session at 8:10 p.m. Out of executive session at 8:31 p.m.

**ADJOURN:** Councilman Reese moved to adjourn. Councilman Sluder seconded the motion. All in favor, no opposition. Motion passed. Meeting adjourned at 8:35 p.m.

Approved:

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Dan Pierson, Mayor

Attested to:

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Dena Mabbutt, City Clerk