## SPRINGVILLE NEWS

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Due to Christmas garbage/recycling will NOT be picked up on Wednesday, December 27. Instead it will be picked up on Thursday, December 28.

Thank you Springville for casting your vote during our 2017 city elections. Your Mayor for the next four years is Roger Shebetka and we have two new council members, Lyle Andersen and Jeff Grimley. Lyle was sworn in during the November 20 council meeting to fill the vacancy. Jeff will be sworn in in January.





## \* Happy Holidays Open House

The Springville City Council would like to invite you to their last meeting of the year. Their will be a very short meeting, followed by a meet and greet. Their will be snacks available and feel free to bring your favorite snack to share (this is not a requirement). The open house will be held on Monday, December 18 at 6:00pm. We hope you can help us celebrate the end of one year and the start of the new year.



#### City of Springville

#### <u>Mayor</u>

Roger Shebetka~854-7771

#### **City Council**

Mareta Ralston..... 854-6438 Dennis Thies.... 854-6121 Patrick Hoyt Sr..... 854-6269 Brad Merritt...... 854-6996 Lyle Andersen......

#### 854-7435 City Hall - 854-6428

City Clerk - Mark Bloom Dep. Clerk- Dee Wagaman Assistant City Clerk-Michele Weinschenk

#### Maintenance Department

Todd Wyman....521-2591 Brandon French.....521-2590

## Council Meetings 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays

6 pm at City Hall

#### **Library Board of Trustees**

Deb Vaughn- President Tina Allsup- Secretary Treva Davis, James Porter, Daryl McCall, Marla Carnahan, Angel Chizek

<u>SANSI</u> Janet Lentz –Coordinator 854-6100

#### Parks Board

Robin Ballantyne, Chairperson David Gloeckner, Teresa Pilipovic, Jodie King, Mike Hanshaw

#### **Board of Adjustment**

Mike Hanshaw, Kurt Gillette, Iris Trampe, Robin Ballantyne, Nick Besler

#### **Planning & Zoning** Commission

Nick Besler, Michelle Stone, Lena Gilbert, Edward Ware & Dan Weber

#### Fire Department

Chief PJ Hoyt.....854-7554 Asst. Chief Kevin Hulett

<u>Cemetery Committee</u> Dixie Brady, Lyle Andersen, James Koppenhaver

#### **Historical Society**

James Crow - President Wes Bender–V. President Jeanie Schmidt-Secretary/Treasurer Karen Taylor-Historian

#### **Township Trustees**

Kevin Hulett - Chairman Tom Donaldson, Steve Lam

## DO YOU REMEMBER WHEN...

## Two Cherry families near Springville in 1860s, 1880s

The talent-deprived Cherry Sisters lived near Marion during their career, but four of them spent part of their childhood not far from Springville. Thomas and Laura Rawson Cherry were born in Rhode Island and Vermont. They and their first child, Ellen (Ella) moved to Franklin Township, Linn County, Iowa, before the 1856 census.

In March 1862, Thomas Cherry bought land about 5 miles south of Springville from Robert and Rhoda Boxwell. The 9-acre parcel was south of Dee Lane in Section 16 of Linn Township. The parents moved there from Mount Vernon with Ella, 7; Lizzie, 5; and Addie, 3.

Nathan, Inez, Effie, and possibly Anna Cherry were born in Linn Township. The family moved to rural Cedar Rapids before the 1870 census, and later to rural Marion. Jessie was born about 1872. Neither Inez nor Anna lived to adulthood. The mother died in 1875, the father in 1888. As a teenager, Nathan left – permanently.

On Jan. 23, 1893, Addie, Effie, and Jessie made their stage debut at Daniels Opera House in Marion. They became touring entertainers described as "so bad they were good." Lizzie performed for a short time; Ella stayed home. None of the five married.

A Springville physician, Dr. Clarence Darrow, cared for Lizzie Cherry during her final illness. About 79, she died at St. Luke's Hospital May 11, 1936. Springville's Methodist minister, the Rev. Lamont C. Smith, conducted her funeral at Yocom Funeral Chapel in Marion. The last sister, Effie, died Aug. 5, 1944.

ANOTHER CHERRY COUPLE, probably unrelated, lived near Springville in the early 1880s. Samuel S. Cherry was born in Blair County, Pa., in 1850. A farmer, he came to Iowa and married Susanah Catharine (Cassie) Brown March 9, 1882, in Linn County.

Their daughter Mary was



The names of Samuel Cherry, his wife Susanah, and their daughter Mary are engraved on one stone in the Springville Cemetery.

Photo by Wes Bender, SAHS



**Above**: From left, Effie, Jessie, and Addie Cherry were the three main performers of the five Cherry Sisters. **Below**: From left, Addie, Jessie, and Effie Cherry.

Photos courtesy of Marion Heritage Center



son County census listed Samuel, age 44; his second wife, Mary A., 41; son Thomas, 9; and daughter Opal, 1. Samuel died Feb. 23, 1895, two days after a tree fell on him. Then there were three Cherry graves at Springville.

Thomas grew up and married Blanche Mcgowan from Fairview Oct. 24, 1906. Their first child lived one day; the marker in Springville Cemetery reads only "Baby Cherry." Three daughters, Lucille, Opal, and Dorothy, arrived later. The family lived in Marion.

Thomas Cherry died Oct. 10, 1967, and his wife two years later. They are interred at Cedar Memorial in Cedar Rapids. Three of the Cherry Sisters (including Jessie, who died in 1903 at Hot Springs, Ark.) are interred at Murdoch-Linwood Cemetery, Cedar Rapids. The burial place of Ella, Lizzie, and their parents is Oak Shade Cemetery, Marion. Inez and Anna's grave sites are unknown.

### Historical Society will meet Dec. 12 for holiday social

born in March 1883 at Springville. The family

moved before the 1885 census to Woodbine, in far western

Iowa. A son, Samuel Thomas

(called Thomas), was born Jan. 26, 1886. Nine days later, Cassie died at 34. She was buried in the Springville Cemetery. In April 1890, little Mary Cherry, 7, was interred at Springville. Cause of her death is unknown. The 1895 Harri-

Springville Area Historical Society (SAHS) will meet at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 12, in the SAHS building beside City Hall. A Christmas social time will follow a brief business meeting. Members and interested non-members are welcome.

At the Nov. 14 meeting, Bev Franks discussed plans for restoring the 132-year-old Nathan Brown monument in the town cemetery. Individuals and groups may make tax-deductible donations to the Nathan Brown Monument fund now open at the Exchange State Bank.

SAHS members voted to donate \$500 to the fund. Several historical grants will be sought. Cost of the project is nearly \$34,000. SAHS president James Crow is on the monument restoration committee.

Nathan Brown, a Revolutionary War veteran, was born in New York state. He came to Springville from Geneva, Ill., in May 1839 with his second wife, Tamar, and children Harriet, Amanda, and Horace. Nathan, 80, died in November 1842.

SAHS historian Karen Taylor reported on John Chapman Brown, son of Nathan and his first wife. John was born in 1787; lived in Onondaga County, N. Y.; died in 1847; and is buried in Syracuse, N. Y.

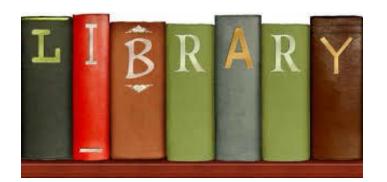
Wes Bender, vice president, showed a certificate from the Sullivan Brothers Iowa Veterans Museum, Waterloo. It memorializes Robert L. Newman of Springville, who died in the Korean War. Sandra Soper Anderson of Cedar Rapids, Newman's next of kin, will receive it.

A 1958 calendar with a photo of the Springville Co-Op Elevator was brought to SAHS by Jean Schmidt, secretary-treasurer, on behalf of the donor, Pat Rose. A long-time Springville resident, Pat now lives in Marion.

SAHS welcomed guest Dave Deutsch, who recently moved to Springville. Others attending Nov. 14 were Rick Heeren; Dave and Eleanor Kelley; and Phil and Karen Randall.

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**ONE PERSON INTERRED** in the Nathan Brown family lot at the Springville Cemetery was not a family member. He was Patrick Killen (1830-1914), born in County Galway, Ireland. An old family retainer, he worked for Horace and Julia Brown, and Julia's relatives, for almost 50 years. Killen was a Civil War veteran of the Sixth Iowa Cavalry.



#### Lunch and a Movie

On Wednesday, December 27th, the Friends are hosting "Lunch and a Movie". This event starts at 11 AM and will end around 2 PM. This event features walking tacos made to order, and a movie (Movie To Be Determined), and cookie decoration. We may even fit a few other crafts into the day. Parents should be aware that allergens may be present. For children preschool through 6th grade, adults

must be accompanied by a child. Please RSVP for the event so we can ensure we have enough food and supplies for all. Contact the library to RSVP or visit the Friends of the Library Facebook page. See you on the 27th!



#### **Calendar of Events**

Sunday, December 3– Sunday Crafternoon @ 1pm Monday, December 4– Palette Pals @ 1pm Tuesday, December 5– Book Group @ 6:30pm Wednesday, December 6– Early Out Wednesday @ 2:00pm

**Thurs, December 7–** Story Time @ 10:30am, Knitters @ 1:00pm, Adult Coloring @ 5:30pm

Monday, December 11- Palette Pals @ 1pm

Wednesday, December 13-Early Out Wednesday @ 2:00pm

Library Board Meeting @ 6:30pm

Thurs, December 14-Story Time @ 10:30

Knitters @ 1:00

Monday, December 18- Palette Pals @ 1 Wednesday, December 20-Early Out Wednesday @

2:00 **Thurs, December 21-**Story Time @ 10:30

Knitters @ 1:00

Saturday, December 23-LIBRARY CLOSED

Monday, December 25-LIBRARY CLOSED
Tuesday, December 26- Tree Walk Ends
Wednesday, December 27- Kids Movie and Lunch,
sponsored by the Friends of the Library

Thurs, December 28-Story Time @ 10:30

Knitters @ 1:00

Saturday, December 30- LIBRARY CLOSED

#### **Christmas Tree Walk**

It's that time of year again. It is our fifth annual Christmas Tree Walk. Lift your holiday spirit by taking a tour of Christmas trees. All through the month of December we will feature trees, wreaths, and twinkly lights, and don't miss the tree walk scavenger hunt. It's such a cheerful time, and it brightens up the library. Don't miss it!

#### time of year again. It is our fifth End Game by D

End Game by David Baldacci

Every Breath You Take by Mary Higgins Clark

I Am Pilgrim by Terry Hayes

Manhunt by James Patterson

The People Vs Alex Cross by James Patterson

To Be Where You Are by Jan Karon

White Bodies by Jane Robins

#### **New Juvenile Fiction**

**New Adult Fiction** 

<u>Dog Man 4</u> by Dav Pilkey <u>Keeper of the Lost Cities</u> by Shannon Messenger <u>Tales from a Not So Secret Crush</u> <u>Catastrophe</u> by Rachel Renee Russell

#### **New Non-Fiction**

Blood Brothers: The Story of the Strange Friendship Between Sitting Bull and Buffalo Bill by Deanne Stillman

<u>Petty: The Biography</u> by Warren Zanes

#### New DVDs

Logan Sing Trolls

abc

### Weather Closings

Winter is here, and unfortunately, with it comes bad weather. On days when weather conditions will make it hazardous for our patrons and staff to come to the library, we may close the building early, open the building late, or not have the library open at all. This will be done on a case by case basis, dependent on forecasts. All closings and delays will be posted on our Facebook page. Days we choose not to open at all will be announced on KCRG as well. Keep an eye out for these announcements when snow starts falling.



Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

#### At a glance calendars

We have beautiful calendars available here at the library. They are full page 2018 calendars complete with a fun "Library Challenge" with goals

like "Read a book with a one word title" or Read a book you own but haven't read", along with many more. It will keep you reading all through the year. Come get yours today.

#### Just In Time For the Holidays Movies

It's A Wonderful Life

How The Grinch Stole Christmas (Live Action)

Christmas Classics Collection Featuring: Frosty the Snowman, Frosty Returns, Rudolph the Red Nosed Reindeer, The Little Drummer Boy, Santa Claus Is Coming To Town, Mr. Magoo's Christmas Carol, and The Cricket on the Hearth.

#### Coffee Club

A reminder to our patrons that we have a coffee club at the library Stop in for a cup of coffee and ask about joining today



#### **Art Piece Naming**

Thanks to even more volunteer hours, Jack Gilbert and Alan Safely have put together a beautiful and unique art piece for display here at the library. They would like to reach out to our patrons for ideas for the name of the piece. We will have forms available to fill out so you can submit your name for the artwork. Stop at the desk and ask for a form.



## Dollars for Students October 1st-December 31st



Help participating high schools earn Dollars for Students to provide additional cash for programs and needs at their school. Vote for your favorite school by placing your receipts from purchases at Lindale Mall stores and outside mall businesses in the Redemption Boxes in Center Court at the mall. Points are earned for every receipt. The higher the dollar amount of the receipt, the more points a school receives.

#### Outside mall businesses participating are:

Arby's, Five Guys, Burgers and Fries, Jared the Galleria of Jewelry, Red Lobster, Chick-fil-A, Panda Express, Hy-Vee on Collins Rd, JoAnn Fabrics.

#### Participating high schools are:

Alburnett High School, Anamosa High School, Cedar Valley, Christian School, Center Point-Urbana High School, Central City High School, East Buchanan High School, Edgewood-Colesburg High School, North Cedar High School, North Linn High School, Marion High School and Springville High School

## IT WOULD BE GREAT TO WIN NUMBER 8!

Get your stocking stuffers for the holidays! We

have Popsockets for phones available @ the school for \$5. See Barb in the Central Office to purchase one. The funds will go towards the purchase of our new Oriole Mascot costume.



#### SPRINGVILLE ARCHERY CLUB PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Springville American Legion Sunday, December 17th 7am-11am \*\*\*\*\$5.00/person\*\*\*\*

Gift Wrapping 7am-2pm
\*\*\*\*Free will donation\*\*\*\*



All Proceeds go to the Springville Archery Club

SKATE FOR YOUR SCHOOL: From now until April 30, 2018 the Cedar Rapids Ice Arena invites all Elementary, Middle School and High School students to skate every Friday from 1:30 pm - 5:00 pm or 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm. The cost is \$5.00 per skater. The Cedar Rapids Ice Arena will donate back \$1.00 to your school when you present your school ID (MS/HS students). The school that raises the most money by April 30th will receive an ice skating party for the entire school!!



Springville Serenade to perform in Cedar Rapids

You can check out our Serenade choir group at this year's Fire and Ice Festival downtown Cedar Rapids.
The event will take place on Saturday December 2nd.

#### **Band/Choir Concerts**

The middle school and high school concert will take place at the Springville Auditorium on Thursday, December 14 at 6:00pm.

You can also come and enjoy the Elementary Winter Concert on Monday, December 6 at 6:00pm in the Springville Auditorium.

#### **High School Basketball Schedule**

Friday, Dec 1, 2017 JV/V G/B 4:30PM Away vs. Alburnett

Tuesday, Dec 5, 2017 JV/V G/B 4:30PM Home vs. North Linn

Friday, Dec 8, 2017 JV/V G/B 4:30PM Away vs. East Buchanan

Saturday, Dec 9, 2017 JV/V Boys 4:00PM Home vs. English Valleys

Monday, Dec 11, 2017 JV/V Boys 6:15PM Away vs. West Central

Tuesday, Dec 12, 2017 JV/V G/B 5:00PM Away vs. Prince of Peace

Friday, Dec 15, 2017 JV/V G/B 4:30PM Home vs. Edgewood-Colesburg (Black out cancer night)

Saturday, Dec 16, 2017 JV/V Girls 1:15PM TBA Loras College

Tuesday, Dec 19, 2017 JV Girls/V G/B 4:30PM Home vs. Cedar Valley Christian

Friday, Dec 22, 2017 JV/V G/B 4:30PM Away vs. Marquette Catholic High School

Tuesday, Jan 2, 2018 JV/V G/B 4:30PM Home vs Central City

Friday, Jan 5, 2018 JV/V G/B 4:30PM Home vs. Midland High School

Tuesday, Jan 9, 2018 JV/V G/B 4:30PM Away vs. Lisbon High School

Thursday, Jan 11, 2018 JV/V G/B 4:30PM Away vs. Calamus Wheatland High School

Friday, Jan 12, 2018 JV/V G/B 4:30PM Home vs. Easton Valley

Tuesday, Jan 16, 2018 JV/V G/B 4:30PM Away vs. Maquoketa Valley

Friday, Jan 19, 2018 JV/V G/B 4:30PM Home vs. Alburnett

Tuesday, Jan 23, 2018 JV/V G/B 4:30PM Away vs. North Linn North Linn High

Friday, Jan 26, 2018 JV/V G/B 4:30PM Home vs. East Buchanan

Friday, Feb 2, 2018 JV/V G/B 4:00PM Away vs. Edgewood-Colesburg

Tuesday, Feb 6, 2018 JV/V Boys 6:00PM Away vs. Central City



# Merry Christmas SANSI Christmas Benefit

For children and families in the Springville area who need assistance during the Christmas holidays. The benefit will be held at the Springville American Legion on December 9th, 2017 from 6:00pm until 10:00 pm. Christmas music from 7:00pm to 10:00pm. Live and silent auctions throughout the night, and as always, monetary donations are welcome.

- SANSI Christmas Project—"Wish gifts for children"
  - 2. Pantry-non-perishable items only please
    - ŚANSI monetary donation box

Directions for gifts: The donor will either be sent a tag or one can be obtained at the Legion beginning Nov. 9th. After receiving or selecting a tag, please purchase one gift from selection list or an age appropriate item and wrap the gift. After wrapping, attach only the blank numbered tag; and write on it what is in the package. This allows the parent or parents to know what the gift is without having to rewrap the gift so that duplications will be avoided. Please also include a gift receipt whenever possible. Pre-

sents may be dropped off on or before Dec. 8th.

Anyone wanting to bring a snack item to share would be appreciated. SANSI director Janet Lentz will handle the gift distribution.

Happy Holidays and thank you for helping SANS

This event is hosted by: Kandi Knopse & Brian Gehl, Marci Boeding, Bonnie Shannon Shawn & Missy Stewart, April Richards and Deb Baker.











## **SPRINGVILLE**

## NIGHT WITH THE ROUGHRIDERS SATURDAY, DECEMBER 30TH @7:05 PM

vs. Dubuque Fighting Saints

Any Springville employee, student or resident is eligible to buy discounted tickets for

themselves, family and friends.

Call 319-261-GOAL(4625) and mention "Springville" to purchase your specially priced tickets!

The 2016-2017 Springville Girls State Champion Basketball team will be honored as well as the Springville High School Music Class will be singing the National Anthem and Studio Dee will be performing during the 1st intermission!

Call 319-730-2858 or email jshaner@roughridershockey with questions or to request group seating so your business or group can sit together!



Zone	Regular Price	Springville Deal
Red	\$20.75	\$16.75
Blue	\$18.75	\$14.75
Gray	\$16.75	\$12.75
Green	\$14.75	\$10.75



We are looking for vendors or crafters who would like to be part of "Santa at the Fire Station" on December 16th. The vendor fair will be from 12pm to 3pm at the Fire Station. Please contact Sarah Walker for details on how to get signed up. She can be reached at 319-210-9199.

#### **Griswold Christmas Lights Contest**

Get your best Christmas lights and outside decorations up. SEDC is holding its 2nd Annual Griswold light contest. They will be doing the judging on December 18th. Make sure to get your house lit up!!



#### Springville Blood Drive

Sponsored by C.A.S.T. Thursday, December 21st Springville High School Cafeteria 2:30-6:00pm Sign up

at www.bloodcenterimpact.org or by calling Tiel Howard at 319-329-8204

All presenting donors will receive a free gift from Mississippi Valley Regional Blood Center as a "thanks" for helping local patients in need during the holidays!



#### **SANSI SENIOR MEALS & BINGO**

2nd & 4th Wednesdays at Sansi Serving from 11:30AM to 12:00PM



Activities from 12:00PM to 2:00PM \$3.50 charge for Meal & Beverage Bring a Friend!

Bring a Friend!

#### **SALLY'S SENIOR MEALS**

1st & 3rd Wednesdays at Sally's Serving from 11:30AM to 12:30 PM \$3.50 Charge for Meal & Beverage





The City of Springville is looking for a volunteer to serve on our cemetery board. The individual would serve on a committee to

help to make sure that the cemetery is always looking its best and the rules are kept up to date. If this interests you, please contact City Hall at 319-854-6428.

Please check out the City website. New infor-

mation is added daily to help keep you informed. There is a link to pay your water bill online. There are also links for forms for permits that can be downloaded and printed. Check it out for all the latest City news.



The City has a conference table that they are looking to get rid of. This table is a brown, wood, 8'x4' conference table. We are accepting bids through December 15th at noon. You can submit your bid to Dee Wagaman at 319-854-6428 or by email at deewagaman@ci.springville.ia.us.



# Be good to people for **no reason**

STATE OF IOWA 2017 FINANCIAL REPORT FISCAL YEAR ENDED 16205701600000 City Clerk 304 Broadway Springville, IA 52336

JUNE 30, 2017				
CITY OF SPRINGVILLE, IOWA	ALL FUNDS			
	Governmental	Proprietary	Total actual	Budget
Item description	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)
evenues and Other Financing Sources				
Taxes levied on property	496,304		496,304	482,2
Less: Uncollected property taxes-levy year	0		0 496,304	482,2
Net current property taxes	496,304			
Delinquent property taxes	0		0	
TIF revenues	0		0	
Other city taxes	160,379	0	160,379	156,
Licenses and permits	33,163	0	33,163	42,0
Use of money and property	205,816	30,457	236,273	9,6
Intergovernmental	152,352	0	152,352	195,2
Charges for fees and service	5,589	367,393	372,982	503,
Special assessments	1,931	0	1,931	1,0
Miscellaneous	46,171	4,163	50,334	49,
Other financing sources	59,372	155,477	214,849	
Total revenues and other sources	1,161,077	557,490	1,718,567	1,439,
Expenditures and Other Financing Uses				
Public safety	113,729	0	113,729	136,
Public works	521,541	0	521,541	335,
Health and social services	0	0	0	
Culture and recreation	171,970	0	171,970	196,
Community and economic development	14,551	0	14,551	24,
General government	114,198	0	114,198	124,
Debt service	1,100	0	1,100	231,
Capital projects	0	0	0	
Total governmental activities expenditures	937,089	0	937,089	1,050,
Business type activities	0	480,638	480,638	492,
Total ALL expenditures	937,089	480,638	1,417,727	1,542,
Other financing uses, including transfers out	214,448	0	214,448	500,
Total ALL expenditures/And other financing uses	1,151,537	480,638	1,632,175	2,042,
Excess revenues and other sources over (under)				
Expenditures/And other financing uses	9,540	76,852	86,392	-602
Beginning fund balance July 1, 2016	789,743		956,239	1,464,
Ending fund balance June 30, 2017	799,283	243,348	1,042,631	861,
Note - These balances do not include \$0	held in non-budgeted in	nternal service funds;	\$0	
held in Pension Trust Funds; \$0	held in Private Purpose	_	\$0	
held in agency funds which were not budgeted a		_		
	Indebtedness at June 30, 2017			
General obligation debt	\$205,536	Other long-term debt		
	\$415,692	Short-term debt		
Revenue debt TIF Revenue debt	\$415,692		Limit	

General Obligation Debt Limit \$2,984,225



The City of Springville will hold a Public Hearing December 18, 2017 at 6:00 pm in the Springville City Hall. The purpose of the Public Hearing is to inform citizens of the City's intent to vacate the alley on the SE end of First Street S adjacent to Emmons Park. All citizens interested in the disposition of this alley are encouraged to attend. Written comments may be directed to City Hall or by calling Mark Bloom at 319-854-6428.

#### City Elections: November 7, 2017 Linn County, State of Iowa **Precinct Results**

#### **Springville City** Springville Mayor Vote for one

Turnout:	33.46%
17	6.59%
68	26.36%
125	48.45%
43	16.67%
5	1.94%
	17 68 125 43

**Total Votes: 258** 

#### **Springville Council Member** Vote for two

Registered Voter 771	Turnout:	60.05%
Lyle Andersen	186	40.17%
Jeffrey Grimley	173	37.37%
Patrick J. Hoyt Sr.	98	21.17%
WRITE-IN	6	1.30%

**Total Votes: 463** 

#### SPRINGVILLE CITY COUNCIL **Regular Meeting Minutes** November 13, 2017

Mayor Shebetka called the regular meeting of the Springville City Council to order at 6:00 pm at City Hall. Present on roll call: Councilpersons: Dennis Thies, Brad Merritt, Pat Hoyt, and Mareta Ralston. Also in attendance were Lyle Andersen, Treva Davis, and Dan Weber.

M/B Thies to approve the consent agenda, 2/B Merritt, all ayes, M/C.

Lyle Andersen observed that the modifications to

the intersection at 6<sup>th</sup> and 1<sup>st</sup> are working well.

M/B Hoyt to approve RESOLUTION NO. 25-2017 RESOLUTION TO PROVIDE IN KIND DONATION FROM THE CITY OF SPRINGVILLE FOR THE RESTORATION AND REPAIR OF THE NATHAN BROWN MONUMENT IN THE SPRINGVILLE CEMETERY, 2/B Ralston, Ayes: Thies, Merritt, Hoyt, and Ralston, Nays: none, M/C

M/B Merritt to set Public Hearing for Dec 18<sup>th</sup> 2017 regarding the vacation of the alley on the SE end of 1<sup>st</sup> Street South adjacent to Emmons Park, 2/B Thies, all ayes, M/C

M/B Hoyt to keep D.A. Davidson as Bond Financial Advisor, 2/B Thies, all ayes, M/C.

M/B Merritt to adjourn meeting at 6:50 PM, 2/B Hoyt, all complete Penny Sindelar's term. ayes, M/C

RESOLUTION NO. 26-2017 RESOLUTION AUTHOR-IZING MAYOR TO ENTER INTO A FINANCIAL SER-VICES AGREEMENT WITH SPEER FINANCIAL, INC failed due to lack of motion. The current Bond Advisor D.A. Davidson & Co. will continue.

M/B Merritt to approve RESOLUTION NO. 28-2017 RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING TREASURER TO EN-GAGE THE SERVICES OF DORSEY AND WHITNEY, LLP. AS BOND ATTORNEY, 2/B Hoyt, Ayes: Thies, Merritt, Hoyt, and Ralston, Nays: none, M/C.

M/B Thies to approve RESOLUTION NO. 27-2017 AL-LOWING THE PARKS BOARD, CEMETERY COMMITTEE, AND FIRE DEPARTMENT TO CARRY THE FISCAL YEAR 2016-17 ENDING BUDGETS BALANCE FOR-WARD TO FISCAL YEAR 2017-18, 2/B Hoyt, Ayes: Thies, Merritt, Hoyt, and Ralston, Nays: none, M/C.

M/B Merritt to approve Daniel Weber's application to join the Planning and Zoning Commission, 2/B Ralston, all

M/B Hoyt that the City of Springville wishes to make clear that plots in the Springville Cemetery are owned by the City in perpetuity and only the right to use the Cemetery Plots in perpetuity is sold, therefore all currently held and future 'Cemetery Deed' documents shall now be known as 'Certificates of Interment', 2/B Thies, all ayes, M/

M/B Merritt to approve RESOLUTION NO. 29-2017 A CORPORATE AUTHORIZATION RESOLUTION FOR SE-CURITY STATE BANK, 2/B Thies, Ayes: Thies, Merritt,

Hoyt, and Ralston, Nays: none, M/C.

M/B Thies to approve RESOLUTION NO. 30-2017 A CORPORATE AUTHORIZATION RESOLUTION FOR EX-CHANGE STATE BANK, 2/B Ralston, Ayes: Thies, Merritt, Hoyt, and Ralston, Nays: none, M/C.

Next regular meeting well be held on Monday, November 20th

Mayor Shebetka adjourned the meeting at 6:52 PM.

#### SPRINGVILLE CITY COUNCIL **Regular Meeting Minutes** November 20, 2017

Mayor Shebetka called the regular meeting of the Springville City Council to order at 6:00 pm at City Hall. Present on roll call: Councilpersons: Dennis Thies, Brad Merritt, Pat Hoyt, and Mareta Ralston. Also in attendance were: Lyle Andersen, Treva Davis, Bob Tobin, Jean Menster, Tyson Jacobi, Jean Schmidt, Gordon Trampe, and Steve Knopse.

M/B Thies to approve the consent agenda, 2/B Merritt, all ayes, M/C. Note that no claims were presented or approved.

Lyle Andersen was sworn in as Council Person to

A discussion was held on potential of Dollar General opening a store on Old Dubuque Road near Wendling Quarry. Bob Tobin presented a preliminary plan for bring city water to the location. The council took no action as it was deemed too early in the process to take action at this time

A presentation by Bob Tobin and discussion was held on the status of easements for the 5<sup>th</sup> Street Project. It is estimated there will be about two more weeks before legal descriptions are available.

A discussion was held on Fireworks within the city limits but no action was taken at this time.

A special meeting will be scheduled with Brown Township on our mutual 28E Fire Agreement tentatively on January 8<sup>th</sup>, 2018.

Treva Davis reported that research on banner pricing continues

Action on old utility account debt was postponed until the December 4<sup>th</sup> 2018 meeting.

M/B Ralston to approve RESOLUTION NO. 32-2017 RESOLUTION SETTING THE WAGES FOR APPOINTED OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE CITY OF SPRINGVILLE AFTER 90 DAY REVIEW, 2/B Thies, all ayes, M/C

M/B Ralston, to adjourn meeting at 7:17 PM, 2/B Thies, all ayes, M/C

Next regular meeting well be held on Monday, December 4<sup>th</sup>, 2017.

Mayor Shebetka adjourned the meeting at 7:20 PM.



## December 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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3 Crafternoon 1:00PM @ Library	A Palette Pals 1:00PM @ Library  City Council Mtg 6PM @ CH	5	Senior Dining @ Sally's 11:30-12:30	7 Story Time 10:30 AM @ Library Knitters 1 PM @ Library American Legion Auxiliary Mtg 6:00PM @ Legion	8	9
10	11 Palette Pals 1:00PM @ Library	12 SAHS Mtg 6:30 PM	13 Senior Dining @ SANSI 11:30-12:30 Library Board Mtg @ 6:30	14 Story Time 10:30 AM @ Library Knitters 1 PM @ Library  Legion Dinner/Mtg 6:30PM @ Legion	15 Water Pymts Due	16 Santa @ fire station 1pm-3pm Vendor fair 12pm-3pm
17	18 Palette Pals 1:00PM @ Library  City Council Mtg 6PM @ CH	19	20 Senior Dining @ Sally's 11:30-12:30	21 Story Time 10:30 AM @ Library Knitters 1 PM @ Library	22	23 Library Closed
24 Library closed  CHRISTMAS EVE	25 CHRISTMAS	26 City office closed	27 Senior Dining @ SANSI 11:30-12:30	28 Story Time 10:30 AM @ Library Knitters 1 PM @ Library	29 City offices closed @ noon	30 Library closed
31 NEW YEAR'S EVE						

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