

**City of Dearborn
Board of Alderman Special Meeting
March 27, 2024**

The Board of Alderman of Dearborn, Missouri met in special session on March 27, 2024 at 7pm in the Robert S. "Bob" Bryan Community Center, Dearborn, Missouri.

The following officers and city personnel being present: Mayor Gaume, Alderman Pat Downing, Cole Reed, Don Kerns and Stacey Carter. Public Works Alex Ball and City Clerk Cindy Atkison.

Citizens and visitors present: Sherri Kerns.

Water Tower Design Contest - Board reviewed the entries for the water tower design contest and choose a winner in each category a drawing was received. Pre-K to 2nd Grade winner Lucina Ball. 3rd Grade to 5th Grade winner Hannah Lawson. 10th Grade and Above winner Jerry Godby. Overall winner Jerry Godby. It was decided that a \$25 gift certificate and a paper certificate will be awarded to the winners.

Review 2023 Audit - A new meeting date is needed to review the audit, it was decided to meet on April 4th at 7pm.

Applicant Review Process - Alex will review applications first if interested then bring to board. The Board reviewed application for the open public works position. It was decided to decline and keep looking. Discussion on other places to advertise for help such as Hilliard Tech Center in Platte City. Possibility of Tim Otto contracting to mow only. Alderman Downing made motion to contract with Tim Otto at \$1,000 per month to mow a full round each week, second motion made by Alderman Kerns. Vote was 4 aye, 0 nay. Motion carried.

Motion to go into executive session for personnel RSMo 610.021 (3) was made by Alderman Downing. Mayor Gaume asked for a roll call vote. Ayes were Downing, Reed, Kerns and Carter. Nays were none.

Alderman Kerns made motion to adjourn, second by Downing. Vote was 4 aye, 0 nay. Motion carried.

Cindy Atkison, City Clerk

Paul Gaume, Mayor