

Dakota City City Council Meeting Minutes

The Dakota City City Council met in regular session on Thursday, July 3rd, 2008, in the Dakota City City Council Chambers. Notice of the meeting was given by posting of the notice at three separate locations. Notice of the meeting was given to the Mayor and Council. Availability of the agenda was communicated in the advanced notice and in the notice to the Mayor and Council.

Mayor Cantrell called the meeting to order at 5:30 P.M. with the following members present: Cahill, Carson, Larson, and Schovanec. Following the pledge of allegiance, the Mayor shared the availability of the open meeting law.

Moved by Carson, seconded by Larson, that the consent agenda of July 3, 2008, be approved. Said agenda included approval of the minutes of June 5, 2008; reports for code enforcement, animal control, and law enforcement; and approval of bills posted as follows. Roll call vote. Ayes Carson, Larson, Schovanec, and Cahill. Nays-None. Motion approved.

General Fund: A&M Laundry 36.78, Absolute Screen Art 12.50, Ameritas 807.22, Central Valley Ag 2,317.51, City of South Sioux City 50.00, Colonial Research 92.83, Dakota County Star 118.20, Dakota County Treasurer 5,708.00, DC food & fuel 626.44, Five Star Awards 227.95, Fibercomm 163.39, Frank Abramo 450.00, Guarantee Oil 189.45, Higman 4,580.75, IA-NE State Bank 3,580.52, Joe's 8.55, knife river 569.70, Lincoln National 407.40, Mastercard 62.34, Menards 84.24, MidAmerican 155.76, Midwest Service 1,178.20, NCIP 55.00, NPPD 815.82, Postmaster 54.00, Robert Peters 133.32, Robertson Implement 702.17, Safeguard 76.31, Service Master 235.00, Shelter Deposit Refund 15.00, Siouxland Hydraulic 36.57, Staples 49.04, Titan Machinery 30.48, TruGreen 330.00, UAP 80.50, United Healthcare 687.15, Verizon 101.11, Wal Mart 80.24, Williams & Co 1050.00, Wilmes 150.33.

Combined Utility Fund: Ameritas 1,472.88, Beelman 2,312.43, Tiffany Bligh 393.06, Capmark 41,503.00, Central Transp. 2,178.78, Colonial 72.13, DC State Bank 2,691.38, DC Food & Fuel 310.26, Fibercomm 64.16, Gill Hauling 6,888.00, Great Plains One-Call 32.14, Hawkins 511.85, Hough 100.15, Lowes 140.99, Mississippi Lime 2,446.08, Municipal Supply 1,327.71, NE Dept of Rev 769.22, NE Public Health 27.00, NPPD 3,145.02, Railroad Management 650.00, Roger's Electric 431.76, Tool Depot 41.80, TruGreen 200.00, USA Bluebook 61.40, United Healthcare 2,011.80, Utility Equip. Co 72.28, Verizon 33.70, Wal Mart 42.79, Williams & Co 1,050.00.

Library Fund: A & M Laundry 30.00, Barnes & Noble 32.73, Computer SOS 131.25, DEMCO 178.28, Fibercomm 31.18, Gale 28.76, IA-NE State Bank 276.17, Ruth Jensen 10.30, Menards 15.99, Micro Marketing 65.05, Mid American 188.67, NPPD 35.26, Virginia Piper 25.75, Barb Willoughby 16.79.

Capital Improvement Fund: FEH 360.00.

The City Engineer discussed with the Council the status of the testing being do by Geotech, Inc. to attempt to prove failures that resulted in deterioration of the armor coated streets.

The Council reviewed tax implications for owners if property south of the City were annexed and asked for her information regarding the costs associated with water if the area was to be annexed.

Moved by Cahill, seconded by Schovanec, that the requested street closure for various streets at various times to accommodate 150th events, be approved. Roll call vote. Ayes- Larson, Schovanec, Cahill, and Carson. Nays – None. Motion approved.

Moved by Larson, seconded by Schovanec that the special designated liquor license for the Dakota City Fire Department for the Firemen's Dance Saturday evening, August 2nd, 2008., be approved. Roll call vote. Ayes-Schovanec, Cahill, Carson, and Larson. Nays-None. Motion approved.

Moved by Schovanec, seconded by Carson, that the city contract with SIMPCO for an update of the City Municipal Code, at a cost of \$4,000. Roll call vote. Ayes-Cahill, Carson, Larson, and Schovanec. Nays-None. Motion passed.

Moved by Larson, seconded by Carson, that SIMPCO proceed with a grant application for a rehab of property owned by low income property owners. Roll call vote. Ayes-Carson, Larson, Schovanec and Cahill. Nays-None. Motion passed.

Action on Ordinance #864 was deferred for further clarification.

The Council discussed the legislative requirement that, effective July 2010, water must be treated with fluoride, unless a major portion of voters express their opposition.

Moved by Schovanec, seconded by Larson, that Resolution 2008-4, approving the lot split for John Swick be approved. Roll call vote. Ayes-Schovanec, Cahill, Carson, and Larson. Nays-None. Motion passed.

The Council concurred to have a special meeting on Thursday, July 17, to discuss a number of different issues.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.