

Dakota City City Council Meeting Minutes

The Dakota City City Council met in regular session on Thursday, December 19, 2019. Notice of the meeting had been posted at three separate locations and sent out to various media outlets, as well as, was shared with the Mayor and the City Council. Notices included information that an agenda was available from the Office of the City Clerk.

Mayor Yacevich called the meeting to order at 6:01 p.m.

The following members were present: Backman, Rasmussen, Schovanec, and Haase.

Following the Pledge of Allegiance, Mayor Yacevich announced the availability of the Open Meetings Act.

Public Comment Period: None.

Moved by Haase, seconded by Rasmussen, to approve the consent agenda for December 19, 2019. Said motion includes approval of minutes from December 5, 2019, acknowledgement of reception of the Financial Statements, and approval of Bills to Date as written including corrections. Roll call vote: Voting Aye: Haase, Rasmussen, Backman, and Schovanec. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Aflac/Remittance/Proc Services 72.90; Ameritas (Dental/Vision) 223.88, 111.92; Ameritas Life Ins.- Corp-RP Division 459.78, 417.41; Analytical & Consulting Services 651.78; Blue Cross Blue Shield of NE 3,163.67, 1,690.10; Bomgaars 211.74, 168.97; Canon Financial Services 62.32; Crary Huff Law Firm 2,948, 694.50; Center Point Large Print 44.34; Cummins Central Power 545; Dakota Food & Fuel 37.90, 29.66; Dakota City Fire Department 100; Dakota City Sales Tax Fund 13,294.46; Dakota County Public Safety Services Agency 13,294.46; Gale/Cengage Learning 109.47; Graymont 4,813.79; I State Truck Center 94.14; John Deere Financial 2,172.89; Kevin O'Dell Electric 82; MidAmerican Energy 129.54; Midwest Alarm Company 63; Murphy Tractor & Equipment Co. 5,362; Midwest Laboratories, Inc. 74.62; Midwest Wheel Companies 5.32; Myriam Ortiz 500; NE Public Health Environmental Lab 49; Nebraska Public Power District 66.43, 3,018.65, 180.73, 2,323.35, 3,814.07; O'Reilly Automotive 15.99; Petrol Choice Lubrication Solutions 66.01; Quick Med Claims 633.86; Siouxland Trailer Sales 39.56; Signs by Tomorrow 39; Sioux City Journal Communications 875; Sooland Bobcat 235.79; Speedy Rooter 400; Torco 650.95; Williams & Company 1,932, 1,288; Regular Payroll 15,103.12; Overtime 634.38; Total Bills = \$82,991.45.

Moved by Rasmussen, seconded by Backman, to proceed with a seven-year loan term financing plan and public notice of the City's intent to purchase Block 225, Lots 1-3 Roll call vote: Voting Aye: Rasmussen, Backman, Schovanec, and Haase. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Moved by Rasmussen, seconded by Haase, to adopt Resolution 2019-55. Said Resolution sets the public hearing to review street paving assessments for Street Improvement Districts 2017-1, 2017-2, 2017-3, and 2018-1. The public hearing will be held on February 6, 2020 at 6:00 p.m. in the City Council Chambers. Roll call vote: Voting Aye: Backman, Schovanec, Haase, and Rasmussen. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Moved by Rasmussen, seconded by Backman, to adopt Resolution 2019-56. Said Resolution approves payment to JEO Consulting Group, Inc. for services provided for the 2019 Dakota City Road Program in the amount of \$3,000. Roll call vote: Voting Aye: Schovanec, Haase, Rasmussen, and Backman. Nays: None. Motion carried.

The Mayor and Council discussed options for developing a rental inspection program for Dakota City. No further action was taken.

Moved by Schovanec, seconded by Haase, to approve a Special Designated Liquor License for an NCIP Cornhole Tournament to be held at the Dakota City Fire Hall on Saturday, February 8, 2020. Roll call vote: Voting Aye: Haase, Rasmussen, Backman, and Schovanec. Nays: None. Motion carried.

City Staff provided comments concerning City Departments, Current Projects, Ordinances, and Statutes.

Mayor and Council Members provided comments concerning City Departments, Current Projects, Ordinances, and Statutes.

Moved by Haase, seconded by Backman, at 6:50 p.m. to enter closed session to discuss a personnel matter in the general department. Roll call vote: Voting Aye: Rasmussen, Backman, Schovanec, and Haase. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Schovanec left the meeting at 6:55 p.m.

Moved by Backman, seconded by Rasmussen, at 7:23 p.m. to leave closed session and resume regular business. Roll call vote: Voting Aye: Backman, Rasmussen, and Haase. Nays: None. Motion carried.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned by Mayor Yacevich at 7:23 p.m.

/s/ Alyssa Silhacek
City Administrator/Clerk/Treasurer