

City of Selden
City Council meeting minutes
December 13, 2021

The Governing Body of the City of Selden met in regular session on Monday, December 13th, 2021 at the Selden City Office. The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm by Mayor Koerperich. Present were: Bernie Koerperich, Mayor; Steve Rogers, Jacque Boultinghouse, Danielle Schiltz, Dusty Spresser, and Tammie Stevenson, Council Persons; Leroy Spresser, City Superintendent; and Jacqueline A. Neff, City Clerk.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited at this time.

The council went over the minutes from the November 15th regular meeting. Steve motioned and Tammie seconded to approve the regular meeting minutes. The motion carried.

Leroy stated he has not received the sewer alarm bid. Jim Zodrow has stated to Leroy that he will look into sewer line alarms and hopefully get us a bid.

Jim Zodrow was installing the generator at the community building. He is looking for a three phase for the city office.

Bernie is hoping to start at the trash truck building this week. He will talk to Dan to see when he plans to start at the park. Leroy asked Bernie to talk to Dan about installing a gutter over the new generator.

Since the ground is still not froze the tree stumps will remain in place.

Bernie did have his linoleum bid but there was not one from Pauls' so the subject will be tabled until next month.

The camper has not been hauled off yet.

Leroy stated that the light at the Community Building has been fixed.

It was decided to have the Christmas party on January 9th at 6:30 pm at El Dos in Colby. Bernie will let everyone know.

No one was sure if Hugh has looked at the furnace at the old city building. Bernie will call him to find out.

Bernie has talked to Jan Ackerman and asked her to put off any more code enforcement until the city contacts her.

Leroy has spoken to Derrick and he will talk to his drivers about driving on city property.

Everyone needs to drive around town and make a list of missing street signs for the next meeting.

Danielle stated that Michael is looking for a different safe to replace our current one, that he would like. He will contact the city, for approval, before ordering the new one.

The council went over the monthly voucher list. Dusty motioned and Tammie seconded to approve the vouchers and warrants be drawn on the Treasury for the same. The motion carried.

Jackie presented Cereal Malt Beverage applications from Shannon Hunziker. Jacque motioned and Dusty seconded to approve. The motion carried.

Leroy discussed the monitoring report he received from Milco Engineering for the old landfill. There were some high numbers in the water sample but he did not think it was something we would need to worry about.

There was discussion about the Sheridan County Community Foundation and an endowment for the City of Selden. We would have to add an additional \$5000.00 to get it to the needed amount to start the fund. Danielle called Karl Pratt so he could answer questions. Tammie motioned and Dusty seconded to send \$5000.00 to the Sheridan County Community Foundation from the tornado funds account. The motion carried.

Boyd Wilson entered the meeting at 7:30 pm to discuss the memorial bench at the park that is broken from the tornado. He was told that the city insurance did not cover the replacement of the bench. He would like to move it to the walking trail once the family decides how to fix it. Leroy and Boyd will look into getting moved out of the park for now.

Dusty and Jacque have not had the time to look into the grant for the tornado siren. They do still plan to try to get it done.

Danielle motioned and Dusty seconded to enter executive session for 20 minutes at 8:20. The motioned carried and Leroy and Jackie left at this time.

The meeting reconvened at 8:30 pm with the Mayor, council and Jackie back in session.

Danielle motioned and Dusty seconded to approve the following bonuses, Leroy, \$500.00; Jackie, \$250.00; Dana, Greg, Domingo, Tammie and Helen, \$100.00; and the following pay raises effective January 1st, Jackie, \$25.00 per month; Dana, \$5.00 per month; Greg, \$5.00 per trash run; Domingo, \$10.00 per trash run; Tammie, \$5.00 per month; Helen, \$1.00 per hour. The motion carried.

There being no further business, Dusty motioned to adjourn the meeting at 8:35 p.m. Steve seconded, the motion carried and the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
Jacqueline A. Neff, City Clerk