

APPROVED
CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS
10/04/2021

The Onida City Council met on Monday, October 4th, 2021 at 7:30 p.m. in the City Office with Mayor LaJena Gruis presiding. Present at Roll Call: Brooke Jacquot, Marla Mosiman, Jessica Olivier, Jane Pitlick and Caleb Shepherd. Also present: Tim Jost, Casey Hight, Sheila Ring, and Charles Trumble.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Mayor Gruis opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance.

MINUTES: Motion by Pitlick seconded by Jacquot to approve the minutes from the September 7th and 27th, 2021 City Council meetings. All ayes. Motion carried.

REPORTS: Jost reported that MC & R Pools will be here October 7th to winterize the splash park, the street light problem on the west side of the city has been diagnosed with the part being ordered which is two weeks out. Jost also stated that he and Jeff had gone to Chamberlain for training. The cleanup process around the city shop is going well, Matt Horman plans on being here to clean up the landfill after harvest is complete. Jost has also been in contact with Dakota Pump regarding the lift station. He informed council that we could sign up for a yearly inspection with Dakota Pump at a price of \$450 per year. Council advised Jost to get signed up for this. Jost also advised Council on a side dump that he would like to purchase to use on the garbage truck which would aid them in snow removal. The price for said trailer is \$1000 a foot. Motion by Shepherd seconded by Jacquot to approve the purchase. Roll Call: All ayes. Motion carried. Absent: Mennenger. A proposal of \$9602.06 for a shop door in the new shop was received from Overhead Door. Motion by Shepherd seconded by Olivier to approve this purchase. Roll Call: All ayes. Motion carried. Absent: Mennenger.

SHERIFFS REPORT: Deputy Hight stated that law enforcement had been called out to a domestic disturbance and a shooting incident in which no one was hurt but charges have been filed. He also stated that they have been busy with traffic control especially for those that feel the need to make black marks on the new streets.

AIRPORT: Charles Trumble was present to discuss the rental spot he has in the new revenue producing hangar. He explained to the Council that he had not been in the hangar the first three months and did feel he should have to pay for a whole year's rental on said hangar being that it was newly built. The contract that he needs to sign states that there will be no pro-rating on the contract price but Council did advise Mr. Trumble that they would take exception with this since it is special circumstances and pro-rate his rate for three quarters of a year. Motion by Pitlick seconded by Shepherd. All ayes. Motion carried.

LEGALS: The second reading to ordinance 2021-1005 was completed with motion by Pitlick seconded by Olivier to approve the ordinance. Roll Call: All ayes. Motion carried. Absent: Mennenger. The first reading of ordinance 2021-1004 was completed with advice from Sovell to strike one statement. Motion by Shepherd seconded by Mosiman to approve the deletion. All ayes. Motion carried.

BUILDING PERMITS: The following building permits were presented for approval:

- Brian Hall – 200 South 10th Street – new siding
- Steve and Mary Jo Stier – 107 South 9th Street – shed
- Sully County Rentals – 109 South 6th Street – new siding
- Wickersham Construction – bin site – 24,000-bushel grain bin
- Edna Brunmeier – 900 Dogwood Avenue – leak repairs
- Chris and Nicki Heath – 102 South 10th Street – new siding

Motion by Jacquot seconded by Mosiman to approve the permits. All ayes. Motion carried.

FIREWORKS: A request was received to once again have fireworks during Twas the Night Before Christmas: Motion by Jacquot seconded by Shepherd to approve request. All ayes. Motion carried.

SPECIAL ALCOHOL REQUEST: A request from the Onida Fire Department was received to allow them to serve alcohol during the Annual roast Beef Supper and Fun night on October 16th. Motion

by Pitlick seconded by Jacquot to approve the request. Roll Call: All ayes. Motion carried. Absent: Mennenger.

BANKWEST: A request was received from BankWest that they be allowed, in the event of an emergency, to use the Phoenix Center as a place of business. Council advised Hiller that they have no problems with this and advised Hiller to make sure that BankWest understands that they will be charged the normal rental fee for use of the center.

BILLS: The following bills were presented for payment: SALARIES: Finance 1874.80, Streets 4958.34, Parks 822.88, Water 2352.67, Electric 1475.39, Sewer 1649.74, Garbage 2426.43, Pool 589.39, Council 950.00. OTHER: Petty Cash postage 29.68, Emily Sovell retainer 1075.00, Sully County law enforcement 5413.22, SD Retirement contributions 1698.56, EFTPS taxes 2445.12, Lamb's Discount supplies 407.31, SD Treasurer taxes 3935.43, Mid Dakota Rural Water supplier 10464.05, Post Office postage 213.20, Venture Communications 341.14, Wellmark B/C B/S health insurance 3654.12, Oahe Electric supplier 62369.39, Oahe Electric repairs/fees 4101.30, Stewart and Daughters fuel 495.10, BankWest fee 50.00, City of Onida deposit refund 200.00, Pierre Solid Waste landfill 294.75, Badger Meters supplies 408.65, Don's Food Center supplies 145.19, Helm's and Asso airport 11174.02, SPN water/sewer project 43211.88, Marco supplies 139.40, Public Health Lab testing 30.00, Onida Fire Department allocation 20000.00, JP Cooke supplies 70.80, Wesco Supplies 86.90, Lamb Chevy repairs 294.45, AFLAC insurance 455.31, Morris Inc. supplies 459.32, Northern Plains water/sewer project, 257714.90, One Call locating 72.45, Nye Lumber supplies 41.98 Lamb Motors repairs 159.21, River Bottom Garbage collections 8326.00, Rural Health care testing 149.00, USA Blue Book supplies 269.95, Barber Chemicals supplies 125.00, SD Unemployment contributions 54.81, Northwest Pipe supplies 1123.90, Riteway supplies 396.14, Titan Machinery repairs 34.65, Miranda Panzer refund 49.28, Oahe Concrete shop floor 18851.89 . Motion was made by Mosiman seconded by Pitlick to pay all bills. Roll Call: All ayes. Motion carried. Absent: Mennenger.

MEETING ADJOURNED: Motion to adjourn by Shepherd seconded by Pitlick at 8:21 p.m. The next regular City Council meeting will be on Monday, November 1st, 2021 at 7:30 p.m.

LaJena Gruis, Mayor

Rondha Hiller, Finance Officer

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