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Minutes
Regular Council Meeting
Wednesday August 21, 2019 at 7 p.m.

Mayor Rigano called this meeting to order at 7:01 p.m.

Council Members present were Mayor Pro-Tem Lowell Clawson, Dana Clawson, Gust Hatanelas and Debra Morgan.

Others present Attorney Mike Roberts and Clerk Ashley Jones.

Employees present Maintenance Man Wallace Godwin and Water/Sewer Licensed Operator Tony Rigano.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Public Comment: There was none.

Approval of the minutes for July 17, 2019 as they were posted according to law. With no changes necessary, the minutes stand as written.

A motion was made by Gust Hatanelas and seconded by Debra Morgan to approve the agenda of August 21, 2019. Motion passed.

Monthly Reports:

Police: There was none.

Court: There was no court held on August 7, 2019, no citations were issued. The next scheduled court date is September 4, 2019.

Water/Sewer: Water is 60,000 gallons a day for daily usage, the chlorine is not working properly it's having a tough time because it's not getting enough water from the springs, having to put in chlorine pellets by hand every day. Sewer/lagoon needs some attention on the north end the cattails need to be cleaned out and a tree cut down.

Maintenance: To elaborate on what Tony had said about the water and chlorine the spring box is not producing enough water to push the chlorine up into the feeder to the tank so it has to be done by hand each day. Wallace has been running well 1 a lot lately, it keeps scaling up and he's had to clean it out about six to seven times. The depth indicator is off 8 - 8 1/2 feet, it needs to be looked at to see exactly what is wrong. The driveways at a couple of the Beebe lots will need some more gravel put down and there's a few more places at the Leech Field that the fencing needs to be repaired. Residents need to read the sign at the burn pit, people are putting items in there that don't belong. If you are caught on camera putting items that don't belong in there, pictures will be printed off and a letter will be sent to them.

Fire: Chief Martin attended a pipeline safety training in Rawlins on August 21, 2019 along with other area Chiefs, fire hydrant testing is done for the year and Firefighter 1 testing will be done around September 1, 2019 for the volunteers to get their certificates. They lost one volunteer due to lack of participation.

Mayor's Report: The water tank was cleaned and inspected on Tuesday August 20, 2019. The inspector said that everything looked good.

Sweetwater County Sherriff's office has been sending officers that are on duty in Wamsutter out to Bairoil to patrol. We appreciate the help! We have advertised in the Rocket Miner, Rawlins Times and in WAM for a police officer. No response as of today.

We have been having a lot of gas theft in town lately and residents are getting tired of it and have talked of taking care of it themselves and not waiting for the law to show up. So use your imagination on what's going to happen if you get caught.

The Mayor and Clerk have attended two 6th Penny tax meetings so far and will be attending another one on Tuesday August 27, 2019 in Rock Springs at the Event Complex. We would like to have everything ready to go so it could be on the ballot August of 2020. There will be a lot of meetings to get this working.


Old Business: Amplify will be bringing their wood into the burn pit within the next seven to ten days.


New Business: A motion was made by Debbra Morgan and seconded by Gust Hatanelas to approve Resolution #08-2019 to raise the business license fees from \$10.00 to \$100.00 for a contractor's business license and from \$10.00 to \$25.00 for all other business licenses. Motion passed.

A motion was made by Gust Hatanelas and seconded by Dana Clawson to go into executive session at 7:37 p.m. Motion passed. Council came back into regular session at 8:20 p.m. Mayor Rigano asked the council if there was any objection to what was discussed in executive session, no one objected.

Councilman Lowell Clawson made a motion and was seconded by Debbra Morgan to pay Check# 13800 through Check# 13851 including all EFT's and debit charges for the total amount of \$23,640.40. Motion passed.

With no further business this council meeting was adjourned at 8:21 p.m.


Mayor Sue Ann Rigano


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