City of Newdale

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January 6, 2022
8:00 p.m.

**City Council Meeting**

Present: Dal Schwendiman, Joe Powell, Shayne Hansen, Chad Stevens, Raymonda Furness, Susan Lott, Robert Renna, Dick Dyer

The Pledge of Allegiance was repeated, and a prayer given by Raymonda Furness.

Joe Powell made a motion to accept the minutes for December 2, and December 19, 2021. Raymonda Furness seconded. All voted affirmative.

Joe Powell made a motion to pay the bills submitted to pay in January 2022, Chad Stevens seconded, all voted affirmative.

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Robert Renna reported on the annual audit. Everything in the City looks good.

Dick Dyer reported that we had replaced the sensor at the lift station, and it is sending no more alarms. The Highway 33 well is now operational, but to remember that it is high in fluoride so to be used only in an emergency. He reported that Dal and Kolby Kazair were able to get the well at the city building running again.

Mr. Dyer will help to get the Annual Report for the Land App site completed by the end of January. Mr. Dyer is the “Operator of Record” for the city now that John Briggs has left.

Mr. Dyer discussed helping with a rate analysis. Shayne Hansen made a motion that we update our current connection fee to charge for capacity plus the actual costs incurred and to proceed with the rate analysis, Chad Stevens seconded. All voted affirmative.

Joe Powell gave the Fremont County Sheriff report. We had a slide off, a traffic complaint, and a welfare check.

Chad Stevens discussed applying for a DEQ Grant to do a study of what we need to update and repair. Chad will work on getting it written.

There has been a request to allow people to X-Country ski around the land application site. The Council agreed that it would be fine.

Shayne Hansen discussed snow removal and how the snow from the church parking lot is being piled on the city right-of-way. Shayne will talk with the Bishop to get it cleaned up.

Joe Powell made a motion to accept the Notice of Americans With Disabilities Act and publish it in the newspaper. Shayne Hansen seconded. All voted affirmative. Susan will get it published.

Dal Schwendiman presented his letter of resignation as Mayor and take the position as Public Works for the City. Shayne Hansen made a motion to accept the resignation, Joe Powell seconded. All voted affirmative.

Joe Powell made a motion to table the appointment of a new Mayor for a time. Shayne Hansen seconded. All voted affirmative.

Joe Powell made a motion to adjourn, Shayne Hansen seconded. All voted affirmative. Meeting adjourned at 9:36 pm.

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Mayor – Dal Schwendiman City Clerk – Susan Lott