

City of Newdale

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May 1, 2025

City Council Meeting 8:00 pm

Present: Chad Stevens, Raymonda Furness, Shayne Hansen, Kevin VanWagner, Bret Leavitt, Susan Lott, Dal Schwendiman, Mike Clements, Justin Miller

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

Mike Clements presented the Fremont County All-Hazard Mitigation Plan. He spoke about possible projects (80/20 split), disaster funding (short-notice funding). Keith Richey will send a document for the City to adopt the Fremont County Mitigation Plan.

Justin Miller came to speak with the Council about working as the Building Inspector for the city. His rate would be \$150 per month and when a building permit is issued, he would receive seventy percent (70%), and the city would keep thirty percent (30%).

Raymonda Furness made a motion to accept the minutes for April 3, 2025, Council meeting. Kevin VanWagner seconded. All voted affirmative.

Shayne Hansen made a motion to pay the bills submitted for April 2025, Brett Leavitt seconded, all voted affirmative.

Mayor Stevens discussed the request from Antonio Prato to make a partial payment and have his water reconnected. (not sewer) The Mayor polled the Council to see who would be in favor of accepting \$2,000 to reconnect the water. No one agreed to the proposal.

Dal Schwendiman gave the Public Works report. We have the pivot running on the land app site. We have a valve actuator on the canal water that is not working properly, the Council approved ordering a new one. Dal has spoken with Kelly Wasden to get parts to repair the chain link fence at the water tanks.

Shayne Hansen brought information about a grain bin gazebo for the small park. The quote was for a twenty-one-foot (21') gazebo for \$7,800.

Raymonda Furness discussed the City Picnic/Fireworks Fundraiser to be held on June 9th at 6:00 pm. Carol and Ronnie Hymas would like to donate a park bench to the city. The Fireworks will be held on July 11th. Raymonda Furness mentioned the issue of dust on the truck route and speeding, and what we might do to remedy it.

Kevin VanWagner spoke about solicitors in town. The Council discussed the Green River Ordinance, or what we might use successfully.

The Council discussed putting in an Ordinance for Speed Limits and an Ordinance for No Loaded Trucks on all streets.

Susan Lott gave an update about where things stand right now with the post office lease.

Chad Stevens gave an update about the AIC meeting that he had attended.

Shayne Hansen made a motion to adjourn, Brett Leavitt seconded. All voted affirmative. The meeting adjourned at 10:52 pm.

Mayor – Chad Stevens

City Clerk – Susan Lott