

Colton City Council Meeting
April 11, 2016

The Colton City Council met in regular session on Monday, April 11, 2016 at Colton City Hall. Mayor Ryan Fods called the meeting to order at 7:30 with the following members present for roll call: Lehman, Jeff Pedersen, Price, Swartwout, Jensen, and Koopman. Both Madison and Jerrit Pedersen were present for city personnel.

Madison presented a letter received from Rick and Pam VanHeerde requesting the council considers changing the speed limit on Main Ave from 30mph to 25mph. According to Chapter 7, Section 7.0402, Part D, of the city's ordinance book, the speed limit shall be 25 mph, unless otherwise noted. Jerrit Pedersen will order new signs for Main Ave.

Madison also presented the council a tentative Jubilee Days schedule. The date for the 2016 Jubilee Days will be July 29th-31st. This year's theme will be "Hillbilly" Days. There still may be some changes, once the committee has finalized the schedule it will be posted in several places throughout town.

A motion was made by Swartwout and seconded by Lehman to approve the minutes for the regular meeting held on March 14, 2016. All members present voted aye.

Department Reports:

Fire Department – NA

Park and Recreation – Jerrit Pedersen reported to the council that he has start preparing the park for the upcoming season. Tri-Valley High School Baseball has started and they will be playing all of their home games as well as be holding all of their practice in Colton.

Sheriff – 61.34 hours were logged in the city for the month of March.

Public Works – Jerrit Pedersen reported to the council that the rubble site is now open. They hours for the 2016 season will be 4pm-7pm on Wednesdays, and Saturdays from 10am-4pm. The rubble site can only accept grass clippings, tree branches, and untreated lumber.

City Administrator/Municipal Finance Officer – The city finances were discussed.

Madison requested permission to be out of the office April 15th and April 22nd. Permission was granted.

A motion was made by Price to approve all claims in the amount of \$29,955.33. The motion was seconded by Jensen and carried with all members voting aye. The claims list is as follows: 941 DEPOSIT \$1,652.11 March federal deposit; A & B BUSINESS INC \$81.50 monthly maintenance; ANDERSON PUBLICATIONS \$639.92 March publications; BADGER METER \$54 service call; BANNER \$6,980 engineering fees; BOEN & ASSOCIATES \$1,200.21 insurance; COTLON LIBRARY COMMITTEE \$128.42 unities; DAYBREAK \$97.90 gas; EGGER, SHIRLEY \$130 election worker; FIRST NATIONAL BANK \$7,210.26 2nd qtr loan pymnt; FOSTER CHAS \$50 planning & zoning; GOLDEN WEST \$272.42 phone/fax; JOHNSON DICK \$50 planning & zoning; HEATHER MADISON \$99.65 supplies/postage; MEIERHENRY \$156 attorney

fees; MID AMERICAN ENERGY COMPANY \$314.68 gas; MINNEHAHA COMMUNITY WATER \$2,038.70 rural water; MOEN, ARLYS \$130 election worker; PEDERSEN, JERRIT \$3,335.33 chemicals/park supplies, PRICE, BERN \$130 election worker; REVOLUTIONALR DESIGN \$100 hosting fee; RURAL DEVELOPMENT \$1437 loan payment; SD DEPARTMENT OF LABOR \$1,437 loan payment; SD ONE CALL \$1.05 locates; SDML WORKERS COMPENSATION FUND \$107 workers compensation insurance; SDRS \$625.98 retirement; SIOUX VALLY ENERGY \$2,712.34 electric; SWARTWOUT, MATTHEW \$50 planning & zoning; VERIZON \$33.92 cell phone; PAYROLL \$6,950.28.

Representatives from Midcontinent Communications were present to answer any questions that the council may have before the second reading of Ordinance 2016-1. Koopman made a motion to accept the ordinance, it was seconded by Lehman. A roll call vote was taken, the motion passed with all members voting aye.

Swartwout made a motion to approve the 2016-2017 On/Off Retail Malt Beverage license for Daybreak. The motion was seconded by Price; motion passed all members voting aye.

Weston Blasius with Banner Engineering presented the council the first draft of the Water/Wastewater/Strom Water facility plans. He explained to the council that the city will want to apply to be placed on the State Water Plan. This will give the city the opportunity to apply for funding from the state. Lehman made a motion to apply to be placed on the state water plan. The motion was seconded by Swartwout, and carried with all members voting aye.

The City of Colton along with the Sioux Falls Regional Sanitary Landfill will be offering free passes to the Sioux Falls Landfill. They will be good from May 1st – July 31st, and are now ready for distribution to the public. Only one pass will be given for each residence, and can be picked up at City Hall during business hours or by calling City Hall at 446-3811. The City encourages all residence to take advantage of these free passes to discard anything the rubble site cannot accept.

Colton city council will be canvassing the vote from the April 12, 2016 election on Monday, April 18, 2016 @ 6:15pm.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:26 pm on a motion from Jeff Pedersen and a second from Price.

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