

Colton City Council Meeting
September 12, 2016

The Colton City Council met in regular session on Monday, September 12, 2016 at Colton City Hall. Mayor Fods called the meeting to order at 7:30 pm with the following members present for roll call: Swartwout, Price, Lehman, Jeff Pedersen, Koopman and Jensen. Madison and Jerrit Pedersen were also present for city personnel.

Members for the Colton Lyons Club asked the council to consider allowing them to do a few upgrades to the parks picnic shelter. They will report back to the council once they have a final plan.

A motion was made by Swartwout and seconded by Lehman to approve the minutes for the meeting held on August 8, 2016. All members present voted aye.

Department Reports:

Fire Department – Koopman gave a full run-down of the Fire/EMT calls for the months of July/August.

Park and Recreation – Swartwout spoke to the council regarding the state of the pool, and also about information that was received from Combine Pool & Spa. Life of a pool is approximately 20-25 years. The city pool was built in 1968 making it nearly 48 years old. With the age and the list of major repairs that need to be done, it is time to begin looking at our options on how to take care of our aging pool. The city will begin to look into cost affectless to replace or repair the current pool.

Sheriff – 64.84 hours were logged in the city for the month of August.

Public Works – The Colton Rubble Site will be close for the next 2-3 weeks. Burk Township will be making improvements to the road; the city understands that this will inconvenience our citizens; however our hands are tied in this matter.

The repairs to the water tower will begin the week of September 12th. The tower has been drained and will stay empty for the next 3 weeks in order to give them paint time to cure. In this time some homes may experience loss of water pressure.

City Administrator/Municipal Finance Officer – The city finances were discussed. Madison will be out of the office on September 26th.

SD DENR has approved Colton for the Small Community Planning Grant for both clean water and waste water. At this time the city can begin being reimbursed for our engineering cost to cove these studies.

A motion was made by Lehman to approve all claims in the amount of \$48,044.62. The motion was seconded by Price and carried with all members voting aye. The claims list is as follows: A&B BUSINESS INC \$81.50 monthly maintenance; ANDERSON PUBLICATIONS \$282.84 publications; BANNER \$8070 engineering services; CAMPBELL SUPPLY \$306.89 supplies; CITY OF COLTON \$100 water deposit refund; CNA SURETY \$50 renew notary; COLTON PLUMBING & HEATING \$1114.13 curb stop/water leak repairs; COLTON REDIMIX \$200.73 gravel; DAYBREAK \$298.24; GOLDEN WEST \$316.84 phone; HAWKINS \$28.50 chemicals; HD SUPPLY \$209.30 supplies; HIGHWAY IMPROVEMENT \$14,006.96 asphalt repairs; INTERSTATE POWER SYSTEMS \$48.47 generator services; HEATHER MADISON \$298.10 pool supplies/ulty bill mailing; MID AMERICAN ENERGY COMPANY \$41.97 natural gas; MINNEHAHA COMMUNITY WATER \$3529.80 rural water purchase; PEDERSEN, JERRIT \$12.94 supplies; REVOLUTIONAR DESIGN \$100 web hosting; RITEWAY \$352.25 forms; RURAL DEVELOPMENT \$1437 loan payment; SCHOENFISH & CO \$10,000 2016 audit; SD ASSOC OF RURAL WATER \$380 dues; SD ONE CALL \$9.45 locates; SD STATE TREASURER \$255.34 sales tax; SDRS \$1168.96 retirement; SIOUX VALLEY ENERGY \$2,915.03 electric; VERIZON \$33.93 cell phone.

Ordinance #2016-1 was presented to the council for its first reading. The second reading will be 9/22/16 at 7pm.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 pm on a motion from Jeff Pedersen and a second from Price.

Heather Madison
City Administrator

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