

City of Mercer Minutes April 20, 2017

Mayor Kathy Schon called meeting to order with council members Randy Zinke, Bryan Brewer, Allan Laib, Amanda Presser and Cathy Hill, auditor. Also present was AJ Tuck, and Lyn Oberg.

First order of business was the Equalization meeting. A letter is going to be sent to Shannon Hollenbeck regarding his property line. He needs to survey his lot, especially where the section line road is adjacent to his property.

Also the board made a motion that states that residents need to have a permit to “remove property” for the purposes of assessments. It will not cost anything for the permit. Allan made the motion and Bryan seconded it. Motion carried.

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Randy made motion to approve minutes and seconded by Amanda. Motion carried.

Allan made motion to approve bills and Bryan seconded. Motion carried.

Amanda made a motion to approve the finances and Randy seconded. Motion carried.

Lyn talked about the ownership of some abandoned RR property. Maybe water could be pumped there. Kathy and Lyn to go talk with Dave Lindell in Washburn.

Kathy Schon was going to do some checking to see about getting some trees taken out by the MCC building.

Beautification week, we will be sending out letters. Motion made by Amanda and seconded by Randy. Motion carried.

Mercer will be having a City Wide Rummage sale on June 2 and 3rd, the City will advertise it. Motion made by Amanda and seconded by Bryan. Motion carried.

Kathy seen some unwelcome garbage in the landfill and will put up a notice for violators.

Erica Lorenz asked the City if we could pay for the water and sewer hookup when she gets ready to move in her tiny home. The Council members voted No. Allan made a motion and it was seconded by Bryan. Motion carried.

Kathy requested a new vacuum for City Hall. A motion was made by Randy and seconded by Amanda. Motion carried

An overhead door for the Water Bldg. was discussed and a bid was brought in by Randy, if any work is done it will influence grant money.

A potential new resident to Mercer has asked about having Pigeons in city limits. Council members voted to amend, a change has been made to the Ordinance # 11.01.02 and a first reading was done. Allan made a motion and Bryan seconded it. Motion carried. 2nd reading to take place at next meeting.

Bryan made a motion to adjourn meeting and seconded by Amanda. Motion carried.

Next meeting May 18, 2017, 7:00 P.M.

Cathy Hill, Auditor

Bills to be paid:

Bills paid May 18, 2017

Checking
5/17/2017

Date	Num	Payee	Memo	Category	Amount
5/11/2017	10383	Dakota Painting And Tree Service		/MCC	-1,885.00
5/17/2017	10384	ND Dept Of Health		Water Testing/Water	-16.00
5/17/2017	10385	Rust Hardware		city park/Park	-52.49
5/17/2017	10386	BHG Inc.		Print And Publish/general	-10.00
5/17/2017	10387	Waste Management		Waste Management/Garbage	-1,038.31
5/17/2017	10388	Rust Hardware	Floor supplies , propane cycl	MCC Maitenance/MCC	-43.41
5/17/2017	10389	McLean Electric		Well Electric/Water	-59.41
5/17/2017	10390	West River Telephone		Utilities (Business):Telephone (Busines...	-91.69
5/17/2017	10391	US Post Office	Mercer box rent	Office supplies/general	-70.00
5/17/2017	10392	Randy Zinke		SPLIT	-307.29
5/17/2017	10393	Cathy Hill		SPLIT	-122.10
5/17/2017	10394	Tom Rupp		SPLIT	-4,000.00
5/17/2017	10395	Bryan Brewer		Council Pay/general	-69.28
5/17/2017	10396	Cathy Hill		City Auditor/general	-461.75
5/17/2017	10397	Allan Laib		Council Pay/general	-138.52
5/17/2017	10398	Amanda Presser		Council Pay/general	-69.26
5/17/2017	10399	Kathern Schon		Mayor Pay/general	-277.04
5/17/2017	10400	Randy Zinke		Council Pay/general	-138.52