

MT. VERNON CITY COUNCIL

Council Minutes

March 12, 2018

The regular meeting of the Mt. Vernon City Council was called to order at 7:00 pm by Mayor T Koch with the following council members present: D. Renken, C. Deinert, D. Anderson, D. London and W. Frank. Also present: Fin. Officer L. Mayclin, Maint. G. Deinert and Brett Hohbach.

Pledge of Allegiance was recited to begin the meeting. All motions are unanimously approved unless otherwise stated.

Motion by Anderson, second by Renken to approve the agenda.

Motion by Deinert, second by Anderson to approve the February financial statement.

Motion by Deinert, second by London to approve the minutes of the February 12, 2018 meeting.

Motion by Anderson, second by London to approve the February General Fund Balances

Motion by Frank, second by Anderson to approve payment of the following bills:

February bills	General	Water	Garbage	City Tax	Sewer	Debt	Description
Tom Koch	170.85						Feb wages
Dan London	60.03						Feb wages
Darin Maltsberger	60.03						Feb wages
David Anderson	60.03						Feb wages
Dave Renken	60.03						Feb wages
Courtney Deinert	60.03						Feb wages
Weston Frank	60.03						Feb wages
Ardis Overweg	495.78						Feb wages
Gene Deinert	2,803.69	230.88					Feb wages
Laura Mayclin	992.84						Feb wages
MV School	75.00						rent
Davison Rural Water		4,970.40					water
SD Retirement	488.00						retire
Verizon	63.66						util
Santel	158.65	44.49					util
Northwestern Energy	1,035.61	363.63		610.13	176.71		util
Benders					351.00		Repair
Petrik			2,629.30				garb
Daily Republic	194.21						publ
Dept of Revenue			188.11				sales tax
CorTrust	1,452.52	38.25					941
Menards	55.39						supplies
SD Dept of Health		15.00					lab fees
MVG&O	682.25						gas
SD One Call	1.12						locates
Dav Cty Sheriff	1,800.00						fees
Good Houskeeping	29.97						books
The Library Store	273.21						books
Ardis Overweg	107.43						books
CarQuest	154.35						supplies
Westy's	25.00						gas
CorTrust	5.00						Rent
Brown & Saenger	34.45						supplies
CorInsurance	50.00						ins
SDATAT	280.50						dues

USTI		350.03	350.03	350.03	fees
Campbell Supply	15.71				Repair
Mustang Welding	73.98				Repair

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION – None

OLD BUSINESS

1. Council discussed the The Hall. Bri Deinert will be handling The Hall business. We are currently working on obtaining an email address, which will be part of the City’s domain. The City would like to thank Farmers Elevator of Mount Vernon for their generous donation for The Hall. We will need to add to the 2019 budget for repairs of concrete at the front.
2. There will be a meeting within the next 2 weeks re: Railroad Street.
3. Mt. Vernon Economic Development group has another house heading to town. Dave is working with attorney to correct issues with a property’s access.
4. Several letters are being drafted to address nuisance properties that the City has received complaints on.

NEW BUSINESS

1. G. Deinert reported that 2nd Street may have some flooding issues as snow melts, so he will be moving the snow. Geno would like to send a special thank you to Robert Hoffman and Ronnie Earl for helping with snow removal after the recent storm.
2. Motion to approve the first reading of amendment to ordinance Sale and Storage of Vehicles by Anderson, seconded by Renken. This amendment will remove an exclusion.
3. There will be no election in April for Council. The following turned in petitions and will serve: Ward I—Dave Renken, Ward II—Brett Hohbach, Ward III—Darin Maltsberger.
4. Various aged accounts that need to be written off or collected were discussed. Mayclin will be working on this and give a report at the April meeting.
5. Motion by Anderson, second by Renken to approve the 2017 Annual Report.
6. Resident notice of alley damage – Mike Kluth emailed to let the council know that an alley had been damaged by work done recently by The Hall. Geno looking into it.
7. Koch advised council of call from Verizon wanting to erect a tower in Mt. Vernon.
8. Motion by Renken, second by London to enter Executive Session for personnel SDCL 1-25-2.1.

Meeting adjourned at 8:40 p.m.

Tom Koch
Mayor

Laura Mayclin
Finance Officer

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