

City of Berthold
Council Proceedings
Pending Minutes
February 1st, 2021

The regular City Council meeting was called to order by Mayor Steve Ibach @ 7:30 p.m. Present were council members Cindy DeBilt, Travis Sorenson, Alechia Neubauer and Troy Enga Public Works Director: Gary Rademacher, Clerk of Court / Auditor: Christian Vorgitch, Police Chief Al Schmidt.

January minutes are reviewed by City Council.

Motion to approve January Minutes by Troy, 2nd by Travis. All in favor. Motion carried.

Utilities are discussed by Christian. Black Mountain receivables are now printed in a different format. Discussion over the format and if it will work going forward. It gives the accounts more readability.

Christian discusses the arrest reports. Arrest report statistics were reported to City Council.

Court reports were also discussed and payment plans were explained to City Council.

No planning and zoning discussed at this time.

Chief Al Schmidt discusses Police activities and updates on the Council on current Police cases.

Chief Schmidt states his step daughter will become a Berthold Reserve Officer. She will assist in female cases.

Gary Rademacher discusses the Quotes on the Lift Stations. There is discussion about the phone lines going to the Lift Stations and whether upgrades or replacements should happen because of incompatibility.

Motion to approve the Lift Station Quote conditionally based off of Gary's recommendation by Alechia, 2nd by Travis. All in favor. Motion carried.

The Bulk Water is back online and working after a satellite replacement. Discussion on whether to move the Bulk Water system to a different computer or move the satellites in a warmer month.

Fiber optics is now running into City Hall and everything is working at this time.

Gaming and Charity permits are discussed at this time.

Motion to approve Lebrun Benefit by Cindy, 2nd by Alechia. All in favor. Motion carried.

Motion to deny Western Wranglers permit by Alechia, 2nd by Cindy. All in favor. Motion carried.

Motion to approve Post Prom permit by Alechia, 2nd by Cindy. All in favor. Motion carried.

Motion to approve Junior Class gaming permit by Troy, 2nd by Travis. All in favor. Motion carried.

Amy Ones discusses the City bills for the month.

Discussion on whether to treat the Judge as an employee or independent contractor.

Sales Tax ordinance was discussed and it will not be going forward with the change in the sales tax.

Motion to pay the City Bills by Cindy, 2nd by Troy. All in favor. Motion carried.

Motion to get a 3rd Credit Card for the City Auditor by Troy, 2nd by Travis. All in favor. Motion carried.