

HARLOWTON CITY COUNCIL PUBLIC MEETING

August 26, 2014

Harlowton City Hall

A regular meeting of the Harlowton City Council held August 26, 2014 opened with the Pledge of Allegiance. Minutes of the August 12, 2014 meeting were approved as written.

Bill Milton from the Musselshell Water Coalition came to ask the council to contribute \$150 annually to help fund the seven gauging stations that help manage distribution of water and anticipate flooding. They are asking all cities and towns as well as counties and thus far, all the places that have been approached have agreed.

Kalitowski made a motion to pay The Musselshell Water Coalition \$150 per year. Anderson seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

John Anderson moved to amend his motion, made August 12, 2014, to increase council salaries. He moved to keep council salaries the same as they were before, a maximum of \$800 per year, based on meetings attended. Brouillette seconds. Motion passed; Jones, Teig, Anderson, Kalitowski, Brouillette in favor. Tomlinson abstained.

Jones made a motion to adopt Resolution No. 2014-13: RESOLUTION RELATING TO UP TO \$711,000 SEWER SYSTEM REVENUE BOND, AND A \$711,000 SEWER SYSTEM REVENUE BOND ANTICIPATION NOTE TO BE ISSUED IN ANTICIPATION THEREOF; AUTHORIZING THE ISSANCE AND FIXING THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS THEREOF AND THE SCURTIY THEREFOR. Teig seconded. Motion carried unanimously.

The City of Harlowton's Preliminary Budget was reviewed line by line. Jones made a motion to adopt the Preliminary Budget. Tomlinson seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

City Superintendent, Ian Reed reports that he and the crew have replaced the water line on B Avenue North East. The line had been repaired so many times, that there was nothing left to the line, so the crew replaced it and anticipates no further issues with the line. The sewer project is moving along and nearly done. Reed is working on getting paperwork and permits finished. There has been a 75% flow reduction into the lagoon since the project has begun.

Items for next meeting:

Adopt Final Budget

Tomlinson made a motion to pay the bills, checks # 19266-19286. Teig seconded the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

Meeting adjourned.

Next meeting September 9, 2014.

Council Present:

Bob Jones

Bryan Tomlinson

Ron Teig

Joe Brouillette

Jim Kalitowski

John Anderson

City Employees Present:

Ian Reed

Jeff Sell, Mayor

Jayme Colby, Clerk