

**Unapproved Minutes of  
REDFIELD CITY COUNCIL**

March 21, 2011

7:00 PM

The City Council met in regular session at City Hall on Monday, March 21, 2011 at 7:00 PM.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Mayor Duane Sanger, Norm Sihrer, Eileen Kearney, Lue Anne Keating, Darrell Ronnfeldt, Kenneth Avery, Larry Eldeen, David Moeller, and City Attorney James Hare

MEMBERS ABSENT: Frank Schwartz

STAFF PRESENT: Adam L. Hansen

VISITORS: Kevin Schurch

CALL TO ORDER: Mayor Sanger called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM.

ADOPT AGENDA: Motion by Sihrer, seconded by Kearney to adopt the agenda as presented. Motion carried.

MINUTES: Motion by Sihrer, seconded by Moeller to approve the March 7, 2011 minutes. Motion carried.

REPORTS:

SHERIFF'S OFFICE REPORT: The Sheriff's Office February 2011 Expense and Budget Report was read by Mayor Sanger. Motion by Sihrer, seconded by Avery to accept and place the report on file. Motion carried.

PARK & RECREATION REPORT: Motion by Sihrer, seconded by Kearney to approve the Park & Recreation Minutes dated March 9, 2011. Motion carried.

BUILDING PERMITS: The February 2011 Building Permits were distributed, accepted as presented, and placed on file.

SENIOR CITIZENS' REPORT: Motion by Eldeen, seconded by Sihrer to accept the Senior Citizen's minutes dated March 1, 2011, that were distributed and place on file as presented. Motion carried.

VISITORS:

**Law Enforcement** – Spink County Sheriff Kevin Schurch appeared before the Council to give an update on February activities.

Exit: Schurch @ 7:27 pm

PUBLIC HEARINGS:

**Variance Application** - Mayor Sanger opened the public hearing on a variance application for the property located at 205 13<sup>th</sup> Avenue West in the City of Redfield at 7:29 pm. There being no one

present to testify at the hearing and no written comments received, the hearing was declared closed at 7:30 pm. Motion by Sihrer, seconded by Kearney to approve the variance with the stipulation that if the current structure is removed, nothing else may be built on said premises. Motion carried with Ronnfeldt dissenting.

OLD BUSINESS:

**Notice of Abatements Served** – City Attorney Hare discussed various properties.

**Agreement for Locum Tenes Services** – No action taken.

NEW BUSINESS:

**Hire Summer/Seasonal Employees** - Motion by Sihrer, seconded by Avery to approve the following 2011 seasonal help including: Eric Baird, pool manager @ \$9.70/hour; Maxwell Schaffer, assistant pool manager @ \$8.50/hour, Kristin Suchor, assistant pool manager @ \$8.60/hour; Randall Waldner, recreation assistant, \$8.60/hour; Sierra Binger, recreation assistant \$8.60/hour; Sawyer Hansen, ball diamond caretaker @ \$8.50/hour; Garrett Swanson, ball diamond caretaker, \$8.60/hour; Taylor Jens, park caretaker @ \$8.10/hour; Angela Robinson, park caretaker @ \$8.00/hour; Stephanie Binger, lifeguard @ \$8.30/hour; Emma Jankord, lifeguard @ \$8.40/hour; Megan Brace, lifeguard @ \$8.20/hour; Ashley Binger, lifeguard @ \$8.10/hour; Cassie Clement, lifeguard @ \$8.10/hour; Jared Noyes, lifeguard @ \$8.00/hour; Austin Whitley, lifeguard @ \$8.10/hour; Drew Dickhaut, lifeguard \$8.00/hour; Paige Binger, substitute lifeguard, @ \$8.00/hour; Katie Klapperich, substitute lifeguard @ \$8.00/hour; Parker Yost, substitute lifeguard @ \$8.00/hour; Kyle Owens, substitute lifeguard @ \$8.00/hour; Savannah Suchor, substitute lifeguard @ \$8.00/hour; Kelsey Appel, substitute lifeguard @ \$8.00/hour; Molly Koester, substitute lifeguard @ \$8.00/hour; Kristen Binger, substitute lifeguard @ \$8.00/hour; Logan George, substitute lifeguard @ \$8.00/hour; Josie Whitley, substitute lifeguard @ \$8.00/hour; Lydia Blume, substitute lifeguard @ \$8.00/hour; Trent Baldwin, substitute lifeguard @ \$8.00/hour; Oliver Farmen, substitute lifeguard @ \$8.00/hour; Richard Boub, flower caretaker @ \$8.30/hour; Trent Jungwirth, Street Dept. maintenance worker @ \$8.40/hour, Erick Marlow, Street Dept. maintenance worker @ \$8.00/hour; Water Safety Instructors @ \$533 per session: Eric Baird, Kristin Suchor, Stephanie Binger, Megan Brace. Motion carried.

**Summer Landfill Hours/Free Spring Dumping** – Motion by Sihrer, seconded by Moeller to set summer landfill hours and free spring dumping hours for Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm with free dumping running from April 2 through May 28, 2011. Motion carried.

**2011 SD Association of Code Enforcement Officer's Conference** – Motion by Ronnfeldt, seconded by Sihrer to approve sending the Code Enforcement Officer to training in Pierre, SD on May 5-6, 2011 at a cost of \$50.00 plus lodging. Motion carried.

**Advertise for 2011-12 Stump Removal Quotes** – Motion by Sihrer, seconded by Avery to approve advertising for 2011-12 stump removal quotes to be opened and considered at the April 18, 2011 Council meeting. Motion carried.

**2011 Street Maintenance Assn. Conference** – Motion by Sihrer, seconded by Ronnfeldt to approve sending Public Works Supt. Haider to the 2011 Street Maintenance Conference in Oacoma, SD on April 13-14, 2011 at a cost of \$40.00 plus lodging. Motion carried.

**Uncollectible Debt** – Hansen presented a list of uncollectible accounts. Motion by Sihrer, seconded by Eldeen to write off the accounts and place on file including the reasons why the bills are uncollectible. Motion carried.

**2011 SDML District 6 Meeting @ Leola** – Sanger informed the Council members about the 2011 SDML District 6 meeting in Leola on April 7, 2011.

INFORMATION AND DISCUSSION ITEMS:

Mayor Sanger circulated a thank you from Shane Croeni of Knockout Events regarding the recent Pheasant City Fight Night.

COUNCIL MEMBER REPORTS:

Moeller informed the Council that the lift stations are keeping up with all the extra water from the flooding.

Ronfeldt commented that the CMH Board had a walk-through with the contractor at the hospital regarding the hospital expansion project. The Council will receive a pay request soon.

Keating commented that the library walls are being repaired and look very nice.

PAY CLAIMS:

City Prepaid	\$6,197.61
City Unpaid	\$61,621.86
Hospital & Clinic Prepaid	\$67,308.46
Hospital & Clinic Unpaid	\$99,212.35
Additional Claims:	

Motion by Sihrer, seconded by Keating to pay the above claims with the additions of: SD Association of Code Enforcement, registration fee, \$50.00, and Terry Taylor Construction, library wall resurfacing balance, \$2,200.00. Motion carried on a roll call vote with all members voting "Yes."

There being no further business, meeting was adjourned at 7:59 PM.

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Duane Sanger  
Mayor

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Adam L. Hansen  
Finance Officer

Recorder: Adam L. Hansen