

## MINUTES OF COUNCIL MEETING

February 5, 2018

A regular council meeting was duly called to order at 4:30 p.m. by Mayor Pro-tem Kurt Olson on Monday, February 5, 2018 with members Matt Larson, Kurt Olson, Brad Ringnell and Jeff Ross present. Absent: Dorothy Behne. Also present City Admin/Police Chief Brad Hughes and Deputy Clerk Kym Christiansen.

In open public comment, Heather Klassen, DFL candidate for House District 23A, was present to introduce herself to the City Council.

Motion by Ringnell to approve the agenda, second by Larson, carried.

Motion by Ringnell to approve the minutes as written and sent to each council member for study, second by Olson, carried.

Consent agenda including payment of bills was declared approved.

Motion Ross to approve pull tab request for the Martin County West Post Prom party for \$500, second by Ringnell, carried.

City Admin/Police Chief Hughes presented a quotes for the replacement of the 2003 Public Works pick-up. The first quotes that were received were Hawkins but they were not state bid pricing. Another quote was received from Ranger Chevrolet out of Hibbing which is state bid. Ranger had a quote of \$26,112.80 for 2500 HD 4WD and a quote of \$24,432.43 for a 1500 4WD. Discussion on the quotes followed with Hughes being directed to obtain quotes for the Ford truck and Dodge truck. Issue was tabled until the next meeting.

### Administrator Report

- Informational letter about where tax dollars go was presented and it would be placed on the website and Facebook page with some copies available at City Hall.
- Carpet needs updating at the Liquor Store as well as in City Hall

Motion by Ringnell to accept the updated quote for water meters at the schools for \$7,191.50, second by Olson, carried.

In other business, Councilor Ross asked if there were lock boxes on the chair lift at the Community Hall and if there was a reduction in the amount salt that was being discharged at the Wastewater Treatment Plant.

Motion to adjourn by Ringnell, second by Larson, carried. Meeting declared adjourned at 5:02 p.m.

Kym Christiansen, Deputy Clerk