

Town of Moorcroft
Regular Meeting of the Council
Monday, April 22nd, 2019

Town Council Present: Mayor Dick Claar, Councilmen Owen Mathews, Dale Petersen and Paul Smoot
Absent: Councilman Ben Glenn

Town Employees Present: Clerk/Treasurer Cheryl Schneider, Police Officer Bill Bryant, Attorney Jim Peck and HDR Engineer Heath Turbiville
Absent: Police Chief Doug Lundborg and Public Works Director Cory Allison

Brent Bennett, Nelson Engineering, was present to further discuss the school access parking. The Council is concerned the road does not tie in to Country Lane which could be an issue for maintaining and emergencies. Mr. Nelson will meet with the school superintendent and respond back to the Council to move forward.

Discussion was had on the fuel purchases. The Council suggested that a card system be looked at that will track and provide better accountability. Council stated they will ask Cory to check in to it and get back with costs. Discussion was also had on a charge at Diehls. **Council Smoot motioned to approve the April Bill List 3 with the removal of Diehls at this time and Councilman Petersen seconded the motion. Motion carried 4/0.**

Clerk Schneider reported May 5-11 is the 50th Anniversary of Municipal Clerk's Week. Mayor Claar read and signed the Proclamation of Clerk's week. Clerk Schneider stated the 2018 Annual Quality Water Report is now available at the Town Hall and on the Town's website. Clerk Schneider discussed the PR Water Phase I application loan. She suggested paying off one of the current water loans with high interest and to reapply to keep rates the same or with little increase to move forward on the project. **Councilman Mathews motioned to pay this existing loan out of the reserves account and Councilman Smoot seconded. Motion carried 4/0.**

Dorothy Baron updated council on the EMS department.

Officer Bryant updated council with the police department report.
Heath Turbiville updated council on the town's engineering.

Discussion was had on yard waste going to the landfill. **Councilman Smoot motioned to continue to allow residents with a town water bill take yard waste to the landfill at no charge and out of town customers will be charged the regular tipping fee and Councilman Petersen seconded. Motion carried 4/0.**

Attorney Peck read Ordinance 4-2019 in to record on the 2nd reading.

ORDINANCE 4-2019, AN ORDINANCE REPEALING SECTION 13-304-13 OF CHAPTER 3, TITLE 13 OF THE CODE OF THE TOWN OF MOORCROFT, WYOMING 1979 PERTAINING TO REMOVAL OF SNOW AND ICE FROM SIDEWALKS; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

Councilman Smoot motioned to approve Ordinance 4, 2019 on 2nd reading and Councilman Mathews seconded. Motion carried 4/0.

With no further business, Councilman Petersen motioned to adjourn the meeting at 9:10 pm and Councilman Mathews seconded. Motion carried 4/0.



Mayor Dick Claar

ATTEST:



Cheryl Schneider, Clerk/Treasurer