

Town of Moorcroft
Regular Meeting of the Council
Monday, November 9th, 2020

Town Council Present: Mayor Dick Claar, Councilmen Dale Petersen, Paul Smoot and Ben Glenn
Town Representatives Present: Clerk/Treasurer Cheryl Schneider, Police Chief Bill Bryant, and Attorney Pat Carpenter

Mayor Claar called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm and the Pledge of Allegiance was said.

Bids were opened for the MTC lighting project. The first bid opened was from Good Electric and the bid was for \$26,500.00. The second bid opened was from Tucker Electric for \$27,075. A short discussion was had. **Councilman Petersen motioned to award the bid to Good Electric contingent after a short review of the bids and Councilman Smoot seconded. All ayes, motion carried.**

Clerk Schneider stated the only bid for the surplus equipment from the MTC was for the book collator. Nancy Feehan bid \$2.00 for the book collator. **Councilman Glenn motioned to award the bid to Nancy Feehan and Councilman Smoot seconded. All ayes, motion carried.**

Councilman Petersen motioned to move to Executive Session at 7:10 pm to discuss a personnel issue and Councilman Smoot seconded. All ayes, motion carried.

Council reconvened at 7:53 pm. No action was taken.

Councilman Smoot motioned to approve the Consent Agenda and Councilman Glenn seconded. All ayes, motion carried.

Clerk Schneider noted there was an error on October Bill List 1. The vendor was listed as HDR and should have been RCS. **Councilman Smoot motioned to amend October Bill List 1 and Councilman Glenn seconded. All ayes, motion carried.**

Clerk Schneider updated Council on the clerk's dept.

Chief Bryant gave the police dept report and stated he has the siren system set up to do a weekly test on Saturdays at 3:00 pm.

Heath updated the Council on the Town's projects. Heath noted there needs to be a workshop to further discuss some of the expenses for the lagoon. A meeting was scheduled for November 12th at 5:00 pm.

Mayor Claar stated he received notification that Pine Haven and Sundance are both in support of a solid waste district and a letter needs to be written from Moorcroft to send to the County Commissioners. **Councilman Petersen motioned to send a letter in support of a solid waste district and Councilman**

Smoot seconded. All ayes, motion carried. Clerk Schneider will compose a letter for Mayor Claar to sign.

Discussion was had on the Covid grant applications. Two Resolutions need approval to complete the grant application.

Resolution 11-2020, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING SUBMISSION OF A CORONAVIRUS RELIEF GRANT APPLICATION TO THE STATE LOAN AND INVESTMENT BOARD ON BEHALF OF THE GOVERNING BODY FOR THE TOWN OF MOORCROFT FOR THE REMODELING OF THE MOORCROFT TOWN CENTER TO ACCOMMODATE THE MOORCROFT TOWN HALL AND ENABLING OTHER SERVICES TO BE HOUSED IN A CENTRAL LOCATION.

Councilman Petersen motioned to approved Resolution 11-2020 and Councilman Glenn seconded. All ayes, motion carried.

Resolution 12-2020, A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING SUBMISSION OF A CORONAVIRUS RELIEF GRANT APPLICATION TO THE STATE LOAN AND INVESTMENT BOARD ON BEHALF OF THE GOVERNING BODY FOR THE TOWN OF MOORCROFT FOR THE PURCHASE OF TURN OUT GEAR AND SCBA EQUIPMENT FOR THE MOORCROFT FIRE DEPARTMENT.


Councilman Petersen motioned to approve Resolution 12-2020 and Councilman Smoot seconded. All ayes, motion carried.


Ordinance 4-2020 was presented for approval on 3rd reading.

ORDINANCE 4-2020, AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 12 OF THE CODE OF THE TOWN OF MOORCROFT, WYOMING 1979, TO INCLUDE AS CHAPTER 5, SECTION 12-501 AND ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE USE OF ENGINE COMPRESSION BRAKES; PROVIDING A PENALTY FOR VIOLATION ; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

Councilman Glenn motioned to approve Ordinance 4-2020 on 3rd reading and Councilman Petersen seconded. All ayes, motion carried.

With no further business to be discussed, Councilman Glenn motioned to adjourn the meeting at 8:10 pm and Councilman Petersen seconded. All ayes, motion carried.


Dick Claar, Mayor


Cheryl Schneider, Clerk/Treasurer