

REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING

Monday, March 11, 2013

Mayor Steve Blakeman called the Regular Council Meeting to order on Monday, March 11, 2013 at 7:00 PM. Council members present were Owen Mathews, Fred Devish, Dale Petersen, and Ben Glenn. Visitors present were Louis & Kenny Schelling, Ruth Smith, Mary Ann Robinson, Ron & Linda Caylor, Levi Petersen, Catherine Clonch, Kim VerBerg, and Kelsey Gonzalez.

Visitor Louis Schelling representing the Moorcroft Senior Citizen Board asked that they receive \$3,000.00 this year to cover costs. Mayor Blakeman discussed that this month we will begin working on the budget.

Councilman Mathews motioned to approve the minutes of the Regular Council Meeting and minutes of Executive Session Glenn 2nd all ayes, motion carried. Mathews motioned to approve March Bill List 2 Glenn 2nd all ayes, motion carried. Discussion was had on the SRF Loan payment. Devish motioned to pay March Bill List 1 with the addition of the SRF Loan payment for the amount of \$ 50,199.55 making the grand total of the bill list \$ 152,280.15 Mathews 2nd all ayes, motion carried.

No Clerk's report.

Shelia Hansen gave the EMS/Fire report. Shelia wanted to recognize Char Delfino and Jesse Connally on completing all the training and tests to become certified EMT's!

Chief Ed Robinson provided a written staff report for the Mayor and Council.

Bill Carson of HDR Engineering gave a report. Councilman Mathews motioned to authorize Mayor Blakeman to sign the grant reimbursement requests for Consensus Block Grant for \$ 173.98, South Belle Fourche Water Line Project for \$ 14,205.55, and South Little Horn Project for \$ 6,861.78 Devish 2nd all ayes, motion carried.

Administrator Dan Blakeman gave a report. Blakeman reminded the Mayor and Council about the Retreat starting Friday, March 15, 2013 at 6:00 PM. Moorcroft will host the next County/Town Workshop March 27, 2013 at 6:30 PM.

Dan Blakeman gave the maintenance report. The second week in April the Town will start flushing hydrants. The Town will notify residents as it gets closer to time with some instructions, and they will see some discoloring of the water during this process. Administrator Blakeman provided the Mayor and Council with a spreadsheet showing when the landfill is most busy. After reviewing and discussing the spread sheet it was suggested that the landfill be open Tuesday, Friday, and Saturday. Councilman Devish motioned to change the landfill hours of operation to Tuesday 10:00 AM – 4:30 PM, Friday 10:00 AM – 4:30 PM and Saturday 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM Mathews 2nd all ayes, motion carried.

No Attorney Update.

No Old Business.

New Business:

Justin Gaskin provided the Mayor with a written resignation resigning from the Crook County Promotional Board Representative. Petersen motioned to accept Justin Gaskins resignation Mathews 2nd all ayes, motion carried.

With no further business the Regular Council Meeting was adjourned at 7:24 PM.

Steve Blakeman, Mayor

Attest:

Candace Nelson, Clerk/Treasurer