

**CUT BANK CITY COUNCIL
APRIL 3, 2017
6:30 PM – CITY HALL**

CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL/PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

Mayor Raemaeker called the meeting of the Cut Bank City Council to order at 6:30 PM, Monday, April 3, 2017. The following Council members answered roll call: Council President Timothy Curtiss, Councilpersons Donovan Grubb, Tim Kipp and Tyson Michaels. Also present were City Clerk-Treasurer Linda Burley, City Superintendent Jim Suta, City Attorney Robert Smith, and Police Chief Michael Schultz. All present stood and recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

ABSENT: None

VISITORS: None

PUBLIC COMMENT: None

CLAIMS: Councilperson Michaels moved to approve the payment of the claims through March 31, 2017 for \$41,935.36. Councilperson Curtiss seconded the motion that passed 4-0.

ADDITIONAL ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION: None

CONSENT AGENDA:

Councilperson Curtiss made a motion to approve the March 20, 2017 minutes and the March 23, 2017 Payroll in the amount of \$72,909.28. Councilperson Michaels seconded the motion and it passed 4-0.

DEPARTMENT HEAD REPORTS:

City Superintendent's Report: City Superintendent Suta presented his report for March. Spring Clean-Up will be held the week of May 22 through May 26, 2017.

Councilperson Grubb moved to accept the City Superintendent's report. Councilperson Michaels seconded the motion that passed unanimously.

OLD BUSINESS:

Zoning Ordinance: City Attorney Smith read the changes to the Zoning Ordinance. The ordinance will be posted and approved at the next meeting.

NEW BUSINESS:

Animal Control Ordinance: City Attorney Smith read the amendments to the Animal Control Ordinance. He believes the section pertaining to vicious animals now satisfies City Judge Yunck. The Ordinance will be passed at the next meeting.

Executive Committee Appointment by the Mayor: Mayor Raemaeker appointed Randy Weaver to be on the executive committee. Mr. Weaver has agreed to the appointment.

CORRESPONDENCE: City Clerk-Treasurer Burley read an email she received from Barry and Laurie Nordstrom of Calgary, Alberta. They had been stranded in Cut Bank and wanted to express their appreciation for the kindness shown during their stay.

WORK SESSION:

The Council appointed Councilperson Donovan Grubb to serve as their representative on the North Central Montana Rural Water Authority Board. Other representatives are City Superintendent Jim Suta and City Attorney Robert Smith. Meetings are typically held during the afternoon of the 4th Tuesday of the quarter.

Mayor Raemaeker told the Council of the Wastewater Treatment Plant Project bid openings held last Wednesday. Swank Enterprises was the apparent low bidder. Qualifications are being reviewed before awarding the bid.

ADJOURNMENT: There being no further business to come before the Council, **Mayor Raemaeker adjourned the meeting at 6:51 PM.**

Attest:

Approve:

Linda Burley, Clerk-Treasurer

Dan Raemaeker, Mayor