

City of Oldham

Unapproved Council Minutes

February 3, 2025

Present at the meeting were Collin Roach, Glen Albers, Marilou Schaefer, Sandy Smith, Marie Wallace, Gary Beekman, Holly Bickett, Roger Eide, Gary Krogman, Kaylyn Begnaud

Krogman called the meeting to order at 7:00PM

Eide motioned to approve agenda, 2nd by Beekman. All voting aye.

The cat problem in town was brought up again during public comments Motion by Eide to include note in sewer bill with ordinance referring to feeding stray cats along with copy of the ordinance 2nd Bickett all voting aye.

Begnaud read January minutes Beekman approved, Eide 2nd all voting aye

Motion by Eide to approve February Bills 2nd by Bickett. All voting aye

Motion by Beekman to approve January Finances, 2nd by Eide. All voting aye

Oldham Community Center – Roach gave an update on OCC. Requested that OCC bills city is taking care of be shared so they have a better idea of what will be expected of them

Fire alarm system was set up, OCC now has a landline (605) 482-8010.

Raising gym/kitchen rental to \$100 rather than \$50 – Band room and alumni room are still locked

Plumber doing some minor fixes– down spout estimates not come in yet

Civil Engineering – Beekman updated, survey work was done Jan 27th; Unique ID # - was removed from system, Eide will help Begnaud apply for a number when schedules allow this month.

City Maintenance – Motion by Eide to advertise city maintenance position again for 2 weeks, Looking for city maintenance employee approx.. 20 hr/week please call city office at (605) 482-8311 if interested or with questions. 2nd by Bickett. All voting aye.

Delinquent Bills discussed – Certified letters to be sent to #26, 35, 48, 53, 57

Online Presence – need an about statement, preview coming soon

Delinquent tax properties discussed

Lagoon – Krogman working on depth stick

Election – Petitions Available

Motion by Eide for Kaylyn Begnaud approved for a Debit Card with a \$500 limit 2nd by Beekman. All voting aye.

Motion by Eide to authorize Kaylyn Begnaud to have online banking access 2nd by Beekman. All voting aye.

Garbage discussed; no action needed

Motion by Eide to purchase the tax/payroll subscription from QuickBooks. 2nd by Beekman. All voting aye.

Council concerns; Equalization- reviewed

Motion by Eide to advertise for 2 weeks, bids for park tree removal, bids to be sent to city office by MARCH 1. 2nd by Bickett. All voting aye.

January Bills; Rural Development \$426; SDML Workers' Comp \$1440; Cooks Wastepaper \$901; USPS \$360; First District \$344.79; Alliance Communications \$316; Cooks Wastepaper \$901; Kingbrook Rural Water \$198.50; Northwestern Energy \$738.66; Ottertail \$1529.16; Continental Western \$18; Kundert Williams \$20; SD Assoc. of Towns \$180.25; SD DOR \$507.39; Kaylyn Begnaud \$600.28; Holly Bickett \$33.96

Next Meeting will be March 3, 2025 7 PM

Motion by Eide to adjourn, 2nd by Beekman all voting aye.

Kaylyn Begnaud, Finance Officer

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