

Anita City Council
November 10, 2021
7:30 p.m.

The Regular City Council Meeting of the Anita City Council was held November 10, 2021 with Mayor Knutson presiding.

Council Members present were: Mark Harris, Kevin Littleton, Ben Daughenbaugh and Simon Jensen. Absent: Tim Wheelock. Various members of the public were also in attendance.

Mayor Knutson called the regular city council meeting to order at 7:30 p.m.

Mayor Knutson opened the public hearing for pre-application to USDA Rural development for financial assistance for constructing improvements for city streets.

Motion by Daughenbaugh; second by Harris to approve the agenda as posted. All voted aye, motion passed.

Motion by Littleton; second by Harris to approve the consent agenda, with the correction to the October 13th meeting. It was stated that the council was considering hiring for a public works supervisor when they were considering hiring for the city clerk position. All voted aye, motion passed.

Library Director Sara Young presented the library report.

Motion by Littleton; second by Jensen to approve gWorks city clerk training. All voted aye, motion passed.

Motion by Littleton; second by Jensen to approve canceling Towncloud subscription of \$50.00 per month. All voted aye, motion passed.

Motion by Littleton; second by Harris to approve Resolution 21-48 to add Stacy Huss to Rolling Hills Bank Signature Card. Roll Call: Ayes Harris, Daughenbaugh, Littleton, Jensen. Absent: Wheelock. Nays: None. Resolution passed.

Motion by Littleton; second by Jensen to approve pay application #10 for Group A of the 2020 Wastewater Treatment Facility Improvements in the amount of \$203,565.28 All voted aye, motion passed.

Motion by Daughenbaugh; second by Littleton to approve Geotechnical Firm, Team Services, proposal for Lagoon Permeability Testing at the Wastewater Facility in the amount of \$3,805.36. All voted aye, motion passed.

Mayor Knutson Closed the public hearing.

Motion by Daughenbaugh; second by Littleton to approve Resolution 21-49 authorizing the city of Anita to apply for financial assistance with the UDSA for street improvements project. Roll call: Ayes Harris, Daughenbaugh, Littleton, Jensen. Absent: Wheelock. Nays: None. Resolution passed.

Motion by Daughenbaugh; second by Littleton to approve the city clerk to attend budget workshop in Des Moines for \$50.00 on November 18th. All voted aye, motion passed.

Discussion was held on the proposed Cass County Bike trail through Anita. Residents expressed concerns in regards to the trail going through their back yard.

Public Works Supervisor, Eric Steffensen, provided a safety update and safety recommendations from ICAP.

Steffensen, provided an update on patching the streets and USDA Rural Development walk through of City Property.

City Attorney, Justin Hockenberry provided an update to the council.

PUBLIC CONCERNS: A resident expressed concerned about sewer back up at their home, the city will look into the issue.

Motion by Daughenbaugh; second by Littleton to adjourn at 8:30 pm.

Mayor, John Knutson

ATTEST:

Stacy Huss, City Clerk