

## Colton City Council Meeting March 8, 2021

The Colton City Council met in regular session on Monday, March 8, 2021 at Colton City Hall. Mayor Lehman called the meeting to order at 6:30 with the following members present for roll call: Nesheim, Amundson (via teleconference), Bunde, Jensen and Sehr. Madison was present for city personnel.

Members of the Colton Country Day committee spoke to the council regarding the funding that was received from the city for the 2021 festival. After some discussion Sehr made a motion to grant them an extra \$1000. The motion was seconded by Amundson. The motion passed with 4 ayes, and one abstain.

A motion was made by Bunde and seconded by Sehr to approve the minutes for the regular meeting held on February 8, 2021. All members present voted aye.

### **Department Reports:**

**Fire Department** – Assistant Chief Koopman gave the Fire/EMT report for the month of February.

**Park and Recreation** – Madison reported that all lifeguards have been hired for the 2021 season. Opening day for the Colton Pool will be June 3<sup>rd</sup>.

The Tri Valley High School Baseball season will begin March 29<sup>th</sup>, with their first game being a home game at the Colton ball field.

**Public Works** – Madison reported that the rubble site will tentatively open in early April. Madison will post on the cities Facebook page and send out a text message when the rubble site will open for the season. There will be notice given if the rubble site should need to close for whatever reason throughout the season. Amundson would like to see a rubble site attendant for the 2021 season. Madison will post the position on the cities website as well as in the paper.

**City Administrator/Municipal Finance Officer** – City finances were discussed.

A motion was made by Nesheim to approve all claims in the amount of \$93,150.36. The motion was seconded by Jensen and carried with all members voting aye. The claims list is as follows: 941 \$1,807.62 Jan deposit; A&B BUSINESS \$125.16 r/m copier; ACCESS SYSTEM \$104.40 copier; BADGER METER \$48.90 fees; BANNER \$2875.65 engineering fees; BOEN & ASSOCIATES \$162 insurance; CLASSIC CORNER \$72.85 fuel; CNA SURETY \$255 insurance; COLTON COUNTRY DAY \$2000 donation; COLTON FIRE DEPARTMENT \$1000 donation; CORTRUST \$373.06 credit card payment; DIRECT TECHNOLOGIES \$796.98 IT support; FIRST RATE EXCAVATE \$71,502.81 pay request #8; FOSTER, CHARLES \$25, P&Z meeting; GOLDEN WEST \$200.71 phone; GOV OFFICE (avenet llc) \$660 city website; JENSEN, LYLE \$25 P&Z meeting; JOHNSON, DICL \$25 P&Z meeting; LEHMAN, RICK \$25 P&Z meeting; MEIERHENRY SARGENT \$1068 attorney fees; MID AMERICAN ENERGY COMPANY \$860.38 natural gas; MINNEHAHA COMMUNITY WATER \$2779.44 rural water; NAPA \$576.84 supplies; NEW CENTURY PRESS \$88.55 publications; RURAL DEVELOPMENT \$1437 loan payment; SD DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE \$26.40 sales tax; SD ONE CALL \$2.10 locates; SDRS \$767.42 Feb deposit; SIOUX FALLS HUMANE SOCIETY \$143.12 outside services; SIOUX VALLY ENERGY \$2919.87 electric; U DRIVE TECHNOLOGY \$59.40 text alerts; UNITED LABORATORIES \$301.52 supplies; VERIZON \$35.18 cell phone.

The 2020 Drink Water report was presented to the council. It is available for the citizens to view at City Hall during business hours or online at the cities website.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:23 pm on a motion and a second.

**Heather Madison**  
**City Administrator**

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