

Colton City Council Special Meeting  
May 26, 2020

The Colton City Council met via teleconference for the regular meeting on Tuesday, May 26, 2020. Mayor Lehman called the meeting to order at 6:30 with the following members present for roll call: Nesheim, Amundson, Bunde, Jensen and Sehr. Jeff Pedersen joined the meeting at 7:01pm. Both Madison and Jerrit Pedersen were present for city personnel.

CDC guidelines, budget and multiple other facts along with possible other hurdles that could come with COVID-19 were presented to the council. There was continued discussion debating both the pros and cons regarding the opening of the pool for the 2020 season.

After much discussion Mayor Lehman called for a vote. Yes vote would open the pool, a No vote will keep the pool closed for the summer. A roll call vote was taken. Yes votes were as follows, Bunde, Amundson and Nesheim, No votes were Jensen, Jeff Pedersen and Sehr. Due to a tie Mayor Lehman broke the tie with a No.

The Council was faced with an incredibly difficult decision, regardless of the decision there will be some that applauded and some that will boo, but they would like to thank everyone for their understanding and patience as the council tries to navigate these difficult times.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:36 pm with a motion and a second.

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

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