

**YATES CENTER CITY COUNCIL MINUTES
SEPTEMBER 4, 2012**

The Yates Center City Council met in regular session on September 4, 2012 at 7:00pm at City Hall. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Mayor Wilhite called the meeting to order. Roll call as follows: Day, Weber, Beecher, Stuber, Bishop, and Randall. Absent: Reser and Black. Other city officials present were: City Attorney Constance Peebles, Police Officer Ken Leedy, and Deputy City Clerk Barbara Norton.

AGENDA APPROVED

Motion was made by Weber, seconded by Bishop, to approve the agenda as printed. Motion carried unanimously.

MINUTES APPROVED

Motion was made by Weber, seconded by Bishop to approve the minutes of August 20, 2012 meeting as printed and the August 27, 2012 Budget hearing minutes as printed. Motion carried unanimously.

CITY ATTORNEY

Peebles had nothing to report.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT

Weber discussed housing tax incentives. A decision was tabled until the next meeting.

SAFETY REPORT

Randall discussed police officer applications and snow routes.

**PUBLIC WORKS
WATER CONSERVATION**

Beecher discussed everyone seems to be doing there part in conserving water. The water level has gone down from 29 inches to 32 inches.

SEWER RATES

It was the consensus of the council to table the sewer rate discussion until December.

Beecher reported Boone is still checking into a coin machine, for crane sales . He informed the council the street department is working on streets and they look good.

Wilhite discussed not receiving the Geometric Improvement Grant for 2015, but we did receive the grant for improvements on 75 Highway for 2014.

PARKS & PUBLIC LANDS

No report given.

MAYOR COMMENTS

Wilhite discussed Mardi Grass this weekend and read the thank you from Carla Green at the Chamber.

CLAIMS & VOUCHERS

Motion was made by Weber, seconded by Stuber, to pay the claims and vouchers in the amount of \$67,567.40. Motion was carried unanimously.

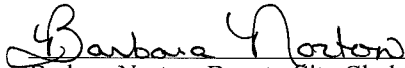
ADJOURNMENT

Motion was made by Weber, seconded by Stuber, to adjourn. Motion carried unanimously and council adjourned at 7:17pm.



Leslie Wilhite, Mayor

ATTEST:



Barbara Norton, Deputy City Clerk

September 17, 2012