

**YATES CENTER CITY COUNCIL MINUTES  
AUGUST 21, 2017**

The Yates Center City Council met in regular session on Monday, August 21, 2017, at City Hall. The Pledge Of Allegiance was recited.

President of the Council Randall called the meeting to order at 7:00pm. Roll call as follows: Reser, Randall, Wiehn, Beecher, Spoon, Bishop, and Jones. Absent: Weber and Stuber. Other city officials present included: City Attorney Brian Duncan, Street Superintendent Randy Hegwald, Police Officer Sam Frantz, and City Clerk Becky Boice.

**AGENDA APPROVED**

Motion was made by Reser, seconded by Beecher, to approve the agenda as printed. Motion carried unanimously.

**MINUTES APPROVED**

Motion was made by Reser, seconded by Bishop, to approve the minutes of the August 7, 2017, meeting as printed. Motion carried unanimously.

**2018 BUDGET HEARING**

Motion was made by Reser, seconded by Bishop, to open the 2018 Budget Hearing. Motion carried unanimously and the hearing opened at 7:02pm.

There was no discussion or public comments.

Motion was made by Reser, seconded by Bishop, to close the 2018 Budget Hearing. Motion carried unanimously and the hearing closed at 7:03pm.

**ADOPT 2018 BUDGET**

Motion was made by Reser, seconded by Bishop, to adopt the 2018 Budget as printed. Motion carried unanimously.

**CITY ATTORNEY  
FEEDBUNK MORTGAGE RELEASE**

Duncan presented a release of mortgage for The Feedbunk. Motion was made by Reser, seconded by Bishop to instruct the mayor to sign the mortgage release. Motion carried unanimously.

**COMMITTEE REPORTS  
ADMINISTRATIVE**

Reser had nothing to report.

**SAFETY**

Bishop publically thanked the police and street departments for their quick response and hard work during the recent wind storm.

**PUBLIC WORKS  
WATER APPLICATION EXTENSION**

Motion was made by Beecher, seconded by Reser, to extend the water department position application deadline until 5:00pm, Friday, September 1. Motion carried unanimously.

**BRUSH PICKUP**

It was the consensus of the council to put an ad in the paper informing citizens of the current brush pickup due to the wind storm.

**WO CO THANK YOU**

Council instructed Boice to write a thank you to the Woodson County Commissioners for allowing county equipment to be used and road and bridge employees to help with the tree removal and pickup after the recent wind storm. The county helped clean up at the library and on public properties.

**PARKS & PUBLIC LANDS  
FORSYTH REC BD**

It was the consensus of the council to invite Woodson County Commissioner Trent Forsyth to the next council meeting to discuss the county helping to finance the Recreation Commission.

**MAYOR COMMENTS**

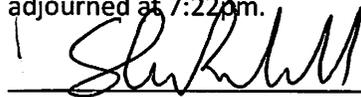
Mayor Weber was absent.

**CLAIMS & VOUCHERS**

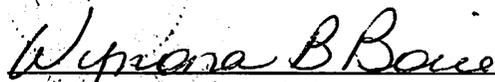
Motion was made by Reser, seconded by Bishop, to pay the claims and vouchers in the amount of \$78,675.90. Motion carried unanimously.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Motion was made by Bishop, seconded by Beecher, to adjourn. Motion carried unanimously and council adjourned at 7:22pm.

  
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Shawn Randall, President of the Council

ATTEST:

  
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Wynona B Boice, City Clerk

Approved September 5, 2017