

MEETING OF MARCH 25, 2019

The meeting was called to order by Mayor, Mike Webb. Council Members Bezdicek, Hinds, Smith, and Watson were in attendance. Also attending were Mary Brodahl, Greg & Trinetta, Hartman, and Chris Canaday.

The minutes of the March 11, 2019 Meeting were read and approved as read.

The payables were presented to the Council for their review and discussion. The payables were moved by Smith and seconded by Watson. Motion carried by vote of the Council.

Claims #13002-13014	\$3,331.97
P/R #12997-13001	11,574.27

Discussion was held on limiting the time of discussion a guest has to speak at the meeting. This is a common practice on a lot of boards. Mayor Webb will talk to our city attorney to see if we should have a policy in place.

Discussion was held regarding the letter received from the Dept. of Ecology about the Town's wastewater permit. It was decided that the Town will write a letter responding to the lab tests in question.

Mary Brodahl, representing the St. John Garden Club, reported on the cost of new flower barrels. She has contacted almost all the businesses to see if they would buy one. There has been a good response so far. The city crew has volunteered their services when they are ready to dispose and move the old barrels.

Discussion was held on whether or not to start requiring permits for replacing roofs. It was decided to not change our policy. No building permits are required for roofing jobs. The school will be replacing their roof sometime this spring or summer. It was brought up that the school's roof drains to the center, then through the down spouts in the interior walls and finally into the sewer system. The EPA has informed us that all these ground water sources will need to be eliminated because now we are treating a lot of ground water unnecessarily. It was decided to send the school a letter so they can start thinking of alternative solutions to this situation.

The Clerk presented the past due report on delinquent water and sewer customers.

  
CLERK – TREASURER

  
MAYOR