

PUBLIC NOTICE

City of Aurelia

NOVEMBER 19, 2018

The Aurelia City Council met in regular session on November 19, 2018. Mayor Suhr called meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. with roll call as follows:

Present: Redig, Nelson, Stroud, Johnson, Baker, Suhr.

Absent:.

Also Present: Messerole, Mark Sangwin, Dustin Wieland, Brian Flukeid, Steve Peterson – Aurelia Star.

Redig made motion to approve consent agenda, second by Nelson. All members present voting “aye,” motion carried.

Minutes of previous meetings
Clerk/Treasurer & Investment Reports
Bills Payable
Police Report

OCTOBER REVENUES

Property Taxes	\$118,923.87
Local Option Sales Tax	8,505.63
Licenses & Permits	220.00
Use of Money & Property	2,972.86
Road Use Tax	9,286.14
State & Local Grants	0.00
Water Utility	12,975.29
Sewer Utility	13,004.29
Sanitation	9,270.44
Storm Water Utility	476.04
Other Fees & Charges	0.00
Special Assessments	0.00
Miscellaneous	7,469.81
Transfers In	4,208.50
Total	187,312.87

OCTOBER DISBURSEMENTS

General Fund	20,203.27
Special Revenue	3,730.92
Local Option Sales Tax	10,503.74
Road Use Tax	1,789.40
Debt Service	0.00
Capital Project	0.00
Expendable Trusts	0.00
Water Utility	8,287.43
Sewer Utility	6,699.95
Sanitation	8,991.20
Storm Water Utility	0.00
Transfers Out	4,208.50
Total	64,414.41

NOVEMBER BILLS PAYABLE

Advantage Archives, film scanning & microfilming	2,315.00
Arctic Glacier, ice for CC bar	52.99
Aurelia Community Center, petty cash	270.00
Aurelia Day Care, FY 2018-19 donation	10,000.00
Aurelia Electric, utilities	4,296.13
Aurelia Lumber, pre-mix cement	4.50
Aurelia Mun. Utilities, garbage collection	3,771.50
Axon Enterprise, evidence storage bags	202.50
Bomgaars, anti-freeze, bulbs, batteries	82.90
Cardmember Service, Library books, Fuel	765.28
Bonnesen Plumbing, parts for CC	64.25
Cardmember Service, Library books, parts, strobe light	655.40

Casey's, fuel	381.46
Cherokee Co. Recorder, File 28E Agreement	32.00
Cherokee Co. Solid Waste, contract & fees 417 E. 3 rd St. demo	5,969.09
Clover Support, app. for POS	126.98
Counsel, copier maintenance contract	46.24
Data Technologies, 2019 Summit License	2,621.66
Doll Distributing, beer for CC bar	174.75
Econo Signs, Emblems for trucks	150.20
First Coop, diesel fuel	1,990.69
First Financial, card processing fees-CC	81.97
Gale/Cengage Learning, Hach, water test supplies	24.49
Holiday Inn, Messerole Fall IMFOA	236.63
Hy-Vee, CC bar supplies	218.99
Iowa Poetry Assoc., Library Book	468.64
Iowa Rural Water Assoc., 2019 membership dues	9.00
Johnson Brothers, beer for CC bar	275.00
Jones, Nancy, refund 1/2 CC rent	56.40
Julius Cleaners, laundry & entrance mats	75.00
Kai, Cindy, mileage to user meeting	112.30
Lockin Insurance, 2006 Sterling plow truck	24.50
Messerole, Barb, mileage & CC bar supplies	404.00
MET, wastewater tests	424.72
Micromarketing, Library book	168.00
MidAmerican Energy, gas utility	51.00
Mid-America Publishing, legals	72.75
Miracle Recreation, new park equipment	167.99
Nuvera, phone & internet	4,478.46
One Office Solution, office supplies	568.90
Plunkett's, pest control, City Hall, CC, Shop	243.70
Simmering-Cory, update Code Books	120.05
Steve's Window Service, clean CC windows	1,700.00
Sunbelt Insurance, water loss & water/sewer line protection	40.00
True North Co., 24 firefighters' life insurance	921.40
U S Cellular, Fire Dept. cell phone	319.20
Verizon Wireless, cell phones	100.21
Walmart, supplies	202.42
Wittgraf Law Firm, legal advice	137.93
TOTAL	928.00
TOTAL	\$46,605.17

Redig made motion to open Public Hearing “Amending Code of Ordinances, Adding Chapter 41.15–Consumer Fire-

works”, second by Baker. Roll call vote “aye” Stroud, Johnson, Redig, Baker; “nay” Nelson. Motion carried 4-1.

Public Works Report was reviewed. Flushed hydrants; cleaned up leaves; winterized concession stand; took down banners; put up snow fence; mixed sand & salt for streets.

A. Bid from Builders Sharpening to trade in old mower for new 725KT Grasshopper with 61” power fold deck; trade rate of \$8.00/hour, was discussed. Current mower has 336.9 hours, cost of \$2,695.20 to trade. After further discussion, Baker made motion to approve trade, second by Redig. All members present voting “aye”, motion carried.

B. Discussion was held on First Coop's water meter in their pit. The meter recorded water usage since 2012, but electronic meter reader did not transmit usage amount to City Hall. Therefore, First Coop has only paid a minimum monthly bill since 2012 and actual cost for water usage totaled \$7,428. City will discuss this amount with First Coop.

Police Report was reviewed. Clerk's Report was reviewed.

Baker made motion to close Public Hearing “Amending Code of Ordinances, Adding Chapter 41.15–Consumer Fireworks”, second by Stroud. Roll call vote “aye” Johnson, Redig, Baker, Stroud; “nay” Nelson. Motion carried 4-1.

Baker made motion to approve 1st Reading of Ordinance #684 “Amending Code of Ordinances, Adding Chapter 41.15–Consumer Fireworks”, second by Johnson. Roll call vote “aye” Stroud, Redig, Johnson, Baker; “nay” Nelson. Motion carried 4-1.

Baker made motion to waive 2nd & 3rd Reading of Ordinance #684 “Amending Code of Ordinances, Adding Chapter 41.15–Consumer Fireworks”, second by Johnson. Roll call vote “aye” Johnson, Baker, Stroud, Redig; “nay” Nelson. Motion carried 4-1.

Baker made motion to approve Resolution #18-19 “Amending Code of Ordinances, Adding Chapter 41.15–Consumer Fireworks”, second by Stroud. Roll call vote “aye” Johnson, Baker, Redig, Stroud; “nay” Nelson. Motion carried 4-1.

Redig made motion to approve Resolution #18-20 Adoption of the Proposed “Code of Ordinances” of the City of Aurelia, Iowa, and set public hearing for December 17, 2018, second by Nelson. Roll call vote “aye” Johnson, Baker, Stroud, Redig, Nelson; “nay” none. Motion carried.

Redig made motion to approve the Municipal Electric Budget FY2019, second by Nelson. All members present voting “aye,” motion carried. Landfill report was given.

There being no further business to discuss, meeting was adjourned.
Gene Suhr, Mayor
Barb Messerole, City Clerk

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