REGULAR MEETING OF THE TOWN OF PLEVNA-Monday, July 11, 2022, 7:00 p.m. Plevna Community Center

Mayor Thielen called the meeting to order at 7:01 p.m.

Councilmen present: Kyle Vennes, James Franson, Alba Higgins, and Jordan Hoffman

Also present Jolene Boespflug, Clerk

Mark Thielen, Container Site Operator Rick Schell, Water/Wastewater Operator

Members of the public present: Lois Geving, Michelle Hillard, and Shawn Sander

The minutes were approved for the June 13, 2022 meeting.

Public Comment:

• No public comment

Correspondence:

- G&G Garbage sent a letter stating there would be a rate increase
- Denning, Downey and Associates sent a proposal for the upcoming financial review.
- Pace sent a quote for camera/cleaning the sewer lines
- Jordan Hoffman sent a letter of resignation from the Council.

Old Business:

- **Bohle Water Line** Mylan Bohle will bore under the highway to hook into the main water line. Bobby Wiedmer will do the digging work for the well/meter pit. The Town will need to let Bobby know the requirements for depth etc. Mylan Bohle will be responsible for getting the required permits. Rick will need to mark the water main.
- **FWD parts** This has been put on the back burner for the summer.
- **Budget Prep** Jolene will get Krista to come in and help with doing the budget.
- Mowing the Lagoon Rick talked to the Fire Dept. and they will burn around the lagoon as a training exercise. Rick will rent a mower and mow the lagoon and the bulk water site by the end of July.
- Raise sewer rates Bobbie Schueler came down and went through the system. She had a spreadsheet that calculated the estimated values based on water line size. The council reviewed the spreadsheet and thought it would be best to see what the G&G Garbage rate increase would be before moving forward. They are not sure at this point if the G&G rate increase will impact the garbage rates.

New Business:

• Appointment of Planning Board member –

A motion was made by Councilman Higgins, seconded by Councilman Franson to appoint Councilman Vennes to the Planning Board

Aye: 4 Nay:0 Absent: 0 Abstain: 0 Carried: 4:0

- Kodie Olson was appointed to the Little Beaver Conservation District
- Resolution 181 A Resolution to accept the Lagoon Facility Improvements PER

A motion was made by Councilman Hoffman, seconded by Councilman Franson to accept Resolution 181 as written

Aye: 4 Nay:0 Absent: 0 Abstain: 0 Carried: 4:0

- **ARPA Funds** We have received the 2nd tranche of funds
- **Hoffman Building permit** Jordan submitted a building permit to put a deck and patio at his place. It met with the set back requirements and was approved.
- **Bicycles in the park** There has been a problem with kids riding their bikes in the park. They are leaving burn out marks on the cement.

A motion was made by Councilman Higgins, seconded by Councilman Vennes to order a sign saying no bikes, mopeds, or motorcycles in the park.

Aye: 4 Nay:0 Absent: 0 Abstain: 0 Carried: 4:0

Department Reports:

- Water/Wastewater Operator Rick had nothing new to report
- Container Site Operator Mark had nothing to report

<u>Clerks Report:</u> Jolene reported that she sent 2 letters to customers stating if they did not pay their past due bills it would be added to their taxes. She has heard back from one customer.

Financial Report--June 2022:

• The June financial report was reviewed and accepted by the Council.

<u>Mayor/Council Comments:</u> Councilman Higgins would like to go to the commissioners again to ask about getting financial help for the Lagoon Project. He also stated that Robin with MT Rural Waters would be coming down to inspect the lagoon and see if he could offer input to help us.

Approve Claims:

A motion was made by Councilman Vennes, seconded by Councilman Franson to approve the June claims in the amount of \$1810.46

Aye: 4 Nay:0 Absent: 0 Abstain: 0 Carried: 4:0

June Claims (\$1810.46) see attached document.

Having no further business, Mayor Thielen adjourned the meeting at 7:53 p.m. The next regular meeting of the Plevna Town Council will be Monday, August 8, 2022 at the Community Center.

Clerk, Jolene Boespflug	Mayor, Gary Thielen

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Claim Checks

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3172	S	68	CT Excavation, Inc.	270.00	07/11/22		CL 1467	705.00
3173	s	٥	Energy Laboratories, Inc.	E2 00	07/11/22		CL 1469	270.00
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3174	S	12	Farmer's Union Oil	161.69	07/11/22		CL 1473	161.69
3175	S	14	G&G Garbage	370.00	07/11/22			
3176	S	999999	LOCAL GOVERNMENT SERVICES	75.00	07/11/22		CL 1468	370.00
3177	S	49	MMCT & FOA	50.00	07/11/22		CL 1466	75.00
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3178	S	88	PETTY CASH	126.77	07/11/22		CL 1475	126.77
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