

Proceedings of the Colo City Council  
October 7, 2019

The Colo City Council met in regular session on Monday, October 7, 2019 at City Hall. The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Mayor John Wilson. The roll was called showing members present and absent as follows: Present: Geisinger, Spalding, and Otto. Absent: Stoeffler and Handsaker

Council member Spalding moved to approve the minutes of the September 9, 2019 regular meeting as presented. Council member Geisinger seconded the motion and it passed all ayes.

Receipts Summary: General Fund \$760.00, Road Use Tax Fund \$12586.30, Water Utility Fund \$13650.44 Sewer Utility Fund \$7605.84, Solid Waste Fund \$6135.33, Local Option Sales Tax Fund \$9671.34, Tax Increment Fund \$56752.61, Special Revenue Fund \$14046.74, Trust and Agency Fund \$300.00.

Council member Otto moved to approve the following claims for payment:

CLAIMS REPORT

VENDOR	REFERENCE	AMOUNT
ALLIANT ENERGY/IPL	UTILITIES	3,131.65
AMES FORD	804 REPAIRS	1,234.15
BAKER & TAYLOR	BOOKS	689.58
BENNETT'S SANITATION		3,840.00
BIBLIONIX	OTHER CAPITAL	1,100.00
BROWN SUPPLY	SUPPLIES-WATER	54.6
CARD SERVICES	SUPPLIES LIBRARY	561.9
CASEY'S BUSINESS MASTER CARD	FUEL	470.7
CASEY'S HEATING & COOLING	REPAIR	150
COLO POST OFFICE	POSTAGE	330.1
COLO TELEPHONE	TELEPHONE	271.75
COLO TELEPHONE COMPANY	TELEPHONE	121.6
CON-STRUCT INC	SEAL COATING	815.46
CROPSTAR	SUPPLIES	45
EFTPS	FED/FICA TAX	3641.33
EXECUTIVE TECHNOLOGIES INC	FIRE-OFFICE SUPPLIES	93.18
FAREWAY	SPECIAL ACTIVITY	28.44
GUARDIAN ANGELS RESCUE EQUIP.	SUPPLIES	408
HALL BACKHOE & TRENCHING LLC	REPAIRS	2,083.84
HALLET MATERIALS	SEAL COATING	5,014.36
HGTV MAGAZINE	PERIODICAL	27.97
I.P.E.R.S	IPERS- REGULAR	2,235.53
IMWCA	INSURANCE	888
IOWA DOT	SUPPLIES	25.5
IOWA REGIONAL UTILITIES ASSOC.	WATER PURCHASE	5,459.40
KEYSTONE LABORATORIES, INC.	LAB FEES	82.5
LINCOLN NATIONAL LIFE INS CO.	LIFE/DIS/ACCDD	162.68
LL PELLING CO	SEAL COATING	41,590.35
MARSHALL COUNTY LANDFILL	LANDFILL FEE	2,923.50
MASS MUTUAL	DEFERRED COMP	1,500.00
METERING & TECHNOLOGY SOLUTION	METERS	11,027.08
MUNICIPAL PIPE TOOL CO.LLC	SEWER CLEANING	7,796.85
PREMIER OFFICE SUPPLIES	OFFICE SUPPLIES	43.98
PROQUEST LLC	OTHER CAPTIAL EQUIPMENT	1,379.04
STAPLES	OFFICE SUPPLIES	166.88
STATE WITHHOLDING	STATE TAX	582

STORY COUNTY RECORDER	RECORDING FEES	27
STORY COUNTY SHERIFF	LAW ENFORCEMENT	13,306.44
US CELLULAR	WIFI FIRE	40.31
WASTE MANAGEMENT	RECYCLING FEES	868.52
WELLMARK	HEALTH INSURANC	1,114.08
TOTAL ACCOUNTS PAYABLE		116,084.19
PAYROLL CHECKS		15,331.47
**** PAID TOTAL ****		131,415.66
GENERAL FUND		31886.93
LIBRARY FUND		11010.25
CEMETERY FUND		22.8
ROAD USE TAX FUND		49228.01
WATER UTILITY FUND		15492.94
SEWER UTILITY FUND		16164.57
SOLID WASTE FUND		7632.02

Council member Geisinger seconded the motion and it passed all ayes.

Story County Sheriff, Nathan Gruis introduced a new officer in training Deputy Selle.

Librarian, Joanie Jamison said November 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> the library is having "Fall into Fun" event with a book sale. There will be a bake sale and a Colo-NESCO Community Swap with all proceeds going to Christmas in Colo. Christmas in Colo is December 7<sup>th</sup>. Coffee and Conversations will be held on November 8<sup>th</sup>. Shelby Smith with Gym-n-Crickets will be the guest speaker.

Assistant Fire Chief, Rod Geisinger informed the council that Fire Prevention Week is going on now. Council member Spalding moved to approve Absolute Concrete to do the concrete work at the fire station. Council member Otto seconded the motion and it passed all ayes.

Martin and Gardner Architects presented the council on the things they do. They cater to small towns with community visioning.

Ammon Taylor of Waste Management presented to council with doorstep recycling. Council member Spalding moved to approve a contract with Waste Management on the doorstep recycling. Council member Geisinger seconded the motion and it passed all ayes. Waste Management will help educate the citizens of Colo on the do's and don'ts of recycling.

Fred Cerka from the Colo Telephone Company presented the council with them wanting to install diagonal parking on the east side of their building. A drawing was discussed. The council agreed for the project to be done. Cerka is going back to his board to decide on financing options.

Chuck Peebles, owner of 706 US HWY 65, discussed sewer options for the property that currently has a septic tank. The council wants him to see if he can get an easement to run the line on the west side of the property. More information is being gathered.

Council member Spalding moved to approve the installation of water meters and the city charging and collection from the tenants at the Colo Mobile Home Park. Council member Geisinger seconded the motion and it passed all ayes.

Fireworks within the city were discussed. As of now the city operates under the states code. Clerk Kohlwes is gathering other cities codes to determine what needs to be implemented. Discussions on why law enforcement isn't acting on the law were discussed. Council members asked for someone from the Sheriff's Office to see how we can enforce the code.

The council was presented plans for the Community Center Renovations. More information is being discussed.

The housing development was discussed. More information is being gathered from the city engineer and the land owner.

There being no further business to come before the meeting, Council member Spalding moved to adjourn. Council member Otto seconded the motion. The motion carried and the meeting adjourned.

John C. Wilson

Mayor

ATTEST: Amy S. Kohlwes

City Clerk