**10-10-2022**

Mayor Frank Ewert called the regular meeting of the Anamoose City Council to order this 10th day of October 2022, at 7:00 p.m. All council members were present. Also present were AJ Tuck and Anthony Setness with Moore Engineering, and Laurel Schnase, City Auditor.

Minutes of the 9-12-2022 council meeting were read and approved. B.Schmaltz/Rudnick AIF

Treasurer’s Report for September was submitted and accepted as submitted. Mertz/M.Schmaltz AIF

Tuck and Setness presented to the council a Bid Tabulation report with 5 bids for jetting and televising the Anamoose sewer lines. The report also included bids for manhole inspections. Motion to go with CC Steel of Fargo. Mertz/Rudnick. AIF Moore Engineering has been hired by the city to apply for a Search Grant for the Anamoose Sewer Project.

The council discussed dilapidated buildings in town. First District Health has inspected 614 Main Street and has written a Notice to Remove letter to the property owner. They will have 30 days to respond to the notice.

 They also inspected 703 Main Street which is owned by the same property owner.

The council reviewed the amendment to the Anamoose Animals and Fowl Ordinance and decided to include penalties for infractions to the ordinance, and a statement that the council has the right to issue a special permit for any animals in agriculturally zoned areas. The amended ordinance will be published, and the 1st reading will be at the November Anamoose City Council meeting.

A sign has been ordered for the dump ground stating that only residents of Anamoose may use the site, and how to check out a key to enter.

TM Construction has cleaned the culvert southeast of Bill Goodwin. Mertz offered to spread grass seed in the area that was scraped.

M.Schmaltz stated he will get species information for the application for a Beautify America Grant for tree planting. If Anamoose is awarded this grant, residents may request a tree that they will be responsible for planting and watering on their property or may adopt a tree to replace dead or dying trees throughout the city. The number of trees available will depend on the amount awarded. Trees will be required to be placed where the community benefits.

City Hall received an application from Joe Herman for a building permit for a fence and deck he would like to build on his property. The council reviewed the application and will meet tomorrow night at his residence to measure the setback requirement.

The next meeting for the Anamoose City Council will be held Monday, November 14th at **7:00 P.M.**

The following bills were paid in September:

**CK# NAME DESCRIPTION AMOUNT**

10680 William Vetsch Rejuvenation Fund – Labor $ 150.00

10681 ND One Call August Locates $ 9.10

10682 Mouse River Journal Publications $ 174.24

10683 Heringer Lumber Supplies $ 9.99

10684 McHenry County Share of Election Board Cost $ 49.50

10685 Borger & Sons Crack Sealing of Streets $ 7,700.00

10686 HAV-IT Services Recycle Pickups – August $ 98.84

10687 Doug Rademacher Rejuvenation Fund – Supplies $ 250.00

10688 Brady Schmaltz Reimbursement – Fogger Gas $ 74.08

10689 NDTC Internet & Fax for City Hall $ 90.84

10690 FSB – VISA Supplies & Mower Gas $ 243.43

10691 Tanya Glaser Rejuvenation Fund – Supplies $ 124.02

10692 Heringer Lumber Rejuvenation Fund – Supplies $ 320.98

10693 Otter Tail Electricity $ 875.45

10694 Mouse River Journal Subscriptions $ 36.00

10695 Circle Sanitation Garbage $ 1,845.00

10696 Midwest Graphics & Signs Reader Board at FSB $ 18,000.00

10697 NPRWD Water $ 65.00

10698 AT&T City Auditor Phone $ 38.62

10699 Zions Bank Paving Interest on Bonds $ 11,583.44

10700 Nyhus Law Firm Attorney Fees $ 387.00

10701 Arthur Companies Sprayer for Weeds $ 980.15

10702 Frank Ewert Salary $ 92.35

10703 Michael Schmaltz Salary $ 124.67

10704 Laurel Schnase (Wages & Ins.) Salary $ 2,364.32

10705 Anamoose Park Share of State Aid $ 414.76

10706 William Vetsch Salary $ 184.70

EFT IRS – City Monthly Withholding $ 646.67

There being no further business, meeting adjourned at 8:45 p.m. upon motion by M.Schmaltz/B.Schmaltz. AIF

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Mayor Signature Date the Minutes were approved