PUBLIC WORKS, PUBLIC SAFETY HOUSING and COMMUNITY DEVLOPMENT MINUTES City of South Sioux City



Meeting Date: May 5th, 2025

Members Present: Monty Peters, Randy Meyer and Yahaira Schultz

Absent: Mahamud Osman, Media in attendance: None.

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Meyer motioned to excuse Mahamud Osman from the meeting, seconded by Y. Schultz. Voting Aye: Meyer, Y Schultz and Peters. Voting No: none

PUBLIC WORKS:

Engineer's Report.

Engineers had nothing to add - no discussion

Concrete Panel Replacement Bids open on May 1st, 2025

- ☆ I and A Construction \$281,709.01
- ☆ A and F Construction \$284,620.62

Meyer motioned to move forward to Council recommendation to use I and A Construction for panel replacement, motion seconded by Y. Schultz. Voting Aye: Meyer, Y Schultz and Peters. Voting No: none

JEO – Amendment #1 to Agreement – 2024 Flood Damage

Meyer motioned to move forward to Council recommendation of JEO Amendment # 1 to Agreement on the 2024 Flood Damage. Second by Y. Schultz. Voting Aye: Meyer, Y Schultz and Peters. Voting No: none

PUBLIC SAFETY:

Article (information) - It's not a toilet, not a trash can.

City Administrator Lance Hedquist stated that this is just information, the city has had a few incidents when we have had things flushed that shouldn't be flushed.

Request for a change from the South Sioux City Police Department on an already budgeted item from capital. Purchase of \$30,000 from radios to - in car cameras

Y. Schultz motioned to move forward to Council recommendation to purchase in-car cameras for the amount of \$30,000. Second by Meyer. Voting Aye: Meyer, Y Schultz and Peters. Voting No: none

2025 - 2026 - School - South Sioux City Police Liaison Contract - draft

Meyer motioned to move forward to Council with recommendation approval of the 2025-2026 South Sioux City Police Liaison Contract, seconded by Y. Schultz. Voting Aye: Meyer, Y Schultz and Peters. Voting No: none

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2025 Fireworks License Renewals

Y. Schultz motioned to move forward to Council recommendation of approval 2025 Fireworks license renewals, seconded by Meyer. Voting Aye: Meyer, Y Schultz and Peters. Voting No: none

HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT:

Marina TIF landscaping road closure

City Administrator Lance Hedquist stated that the road by McDonalds – what we can do with this road. The snowplows need to get through to clear that area and spread salt. Working on ideas for that area.

MISCELLANEOUS / UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

2025 Sign Companies - updated

Y. Schultz motioned to approve and move forward with recommendation to Council updated 2025 Sign Companies renewal. Second by Meyer. Voting Aye: Meyer, Y Schultz and Peters. Voting No: none

"Approval to submit FY2026 Congressionally Directed Spending Request Form to Senator Fischer for a new aerial fire truck. Continuation of FY2025 request".

Meyer motioned approval and recommendation to Council to submit FY2026 Congressionally Directed Spending Request Form to Senator Fischer for a new aerial fire truck, second by Y. Schultz. Voting Aye: Meyer, Y Schultz and Peters. Voting No: none

"Approval to submit an application to the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP) for a backup generator at City Hall." The project has a total estimated cost of \$248,000, with a 75/25 funding split: \$186,000 from FEMA/NEMA and a \$62,000 cost share from the City.

Meyer motioned to postpone application to the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP), second by Y. Schultz. Voting Aye: Meyer, Y Schultz and Peters. Voting No: none

Digital billboard – on city owned property on Hwy 77

Meyer motioned to postpone Digital billboard, seconded by Y. Schultz. Voting Aye: Meyer, Y Schultz and Peters. Voting No: none

Adjourn:

Meyer motioned at 5:47 p.m. to adjourn the meeting, second by Y. Schultz. Voting Aye: Meyer, Y Schultz and Peters. Voting No: none