

# FINANCE / LEISURE / LEGISLATIVE AGENDA

**JANUARY 7<sup>TH</sup>, 2026 @ 12:00 P.M.**

City Hall Council Chambers  
1615 1<sup>st</sup> Avenue, South Sioux City, Nebraska

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## **OPEN MEETINGS ACT:**

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## **PUBLIC COMMENT:**

Addressing the Council: Persons addressing the Council must use the microphone at the podium. Please raise your hand to be recognized, go to the podium and state your name and address.

Public comments will be taken at the beginning of each agenda item, after the subject has been announced by the presiding officer and explained by staff. Any person who wishes may speak one time for 3 minutes on each agenda item. Public comments will then be closed, and the topic will be given to the governing body for possible action. At this point, only members of the public body and staff may discuss the current agenda item unless the body moves to allow another person to speak and there is unanimous consent. Questions from the body may be directed to staff or a member of the public through the presiding officer. Public comment on items not on the agenda will not be allowed. The public may request that a matter be placed on the agenda by submitting a timely written request to the Clerk.

## **ROLL CALL**

Members: Jim Gunsolley, Dan Bousquet, Jasper Kriens and Ben Schultz

## **EXCUSE ABSENCES:**

### **1. FINANCE**

- a. Utility Appeals.
- b. Water rates
- c. Electric rate changes – Dave Peterson from JEO
- d. Garbage rates
- e. Authorization to go out for bids on mowing
- f. Firefighters collective bargaining agreement

### **2. LEISURE**

- a. Wind turbine for park swings

### **3. LEGISLATIVE**

- a. Legislative Bills.

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**4. MISCELLANEOUS AND UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

- a. Surplus tire changer
- b. Source for Siouxland – January Data Feature and Community Feedback Survey  
[SFS Monthly Data Updates 2025 \(January\).pdf](#)  
[SFS SM Monthly Feature - January 2025.pdf](#)
- c. INFORMATION - vacancy due to unexcused absences – other cities  
[Vacancy due to unexcused absences.pdf](#)
- d. Annual report – idea that South Sioux City is working on  
[Annual Report.pdf](#)
- e. 2025 Animal Control Report  
[2025 Animal Control Annual Report.pdf](#)

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