

HOMEDALE CITY COUNCIL MEETING
Homedale City Hall
31 W. Wyoming Street

September 11, 2019

6:00p.m.

Meeting Minutes

Presiding: Mayor Gheen Christoffersen

Council Present: Steve Atkins, Aaron Tines, Mike Aebischer, Jerry Anderson

Attorney:

Staff Attending: Alice E Pegram, Jeff Eidemiller, Bret Smith

Prior to opening the meeting; Mayor Christoffersen asked for a moment of silence for all that have served and those that lost their lives on 09/11/2001.

Approve Agenda: Action Item: Mayor Christoffersen asked for a motion to approve the Agenda as written; Councilman Tines made the motion and Councilman Atkins seconded. Motion carried by full Council.

Approve Council Meeting Minutes from August 14th, 2019 Meeting: Action Item: Mayor Christoffersen asked for a motion to approve the minutes of August 14th, 2019; Councilman Tines made the motion and Councilman Atkins seconded. Motion carried by full Council.

Approve Council Meeting Minutes from September 3rd and September 5th: Action Item: Mayor Christoffersen asked for a motion to approve the minutes of September 3rd, 2019; Councilman Tines made the motion and Councilman Atkins seconded. Motion carried by full Council.

Mayor Christoffersen asked for a motion to approve the minutes of September 5th, 2019; Councilman Tines made the motion and Councilman Atkins seconded. Motion carried by full Council.

City Engineer: Selection of City Engineering Firm: Scoring: Discussion and Action Item:

Mayor Christoffersen asked for any comments on the two firms and the scoring:

Alice collected the Councils' scoring sheets and tallied them up.

Great West Engineering Firm: 387

Ackerman Estovold Engineering Firm: 310

Mayor Christoffersen thanked both firms and asked for a motion for the selection of Great West as the City of Homedale's Engineering Firm; Motion made by Councilman Tines and seconded by Councilman Atkins;

Roll Call Vote:	Councilman Aebischer	yes
	Councilman Anderson	yes
	Councilman Tines	yes
	Councilman Atkins	yes

Motion carried by full Council.

Library Report: Councilman Aebischer said there was nothing new to report.

Police Report: Jeff said Officer Clayton Cart turned in his resignation this afternoon. He and his family were moving to Washington.

Jeff said he was going to check with College of Western Idaho to see if they had any graduates that might fit our city.

Councilman Aebischer asked about the unmarked police cars in our lot. Jeff said he was waiting for the new budget year due to the cost of striping. Jeff said before the snow flies, he would have them striped.

Councilman Aebischer also asked about ATVs; Jeff said as long as they are licensed and abide by the law; he is ok with them.

Public Works Report: Bret said they were chip sealing and spraying for mosquitos.

He added they were working on the sledge at the sewer ponds. 12 site tests were done; 6 showed improvement; 5 showed more than last year; one did not change.

They are running a new water line on Oregon St.

They had repaired a line blockage on the irrigation line by the Elem. School.

Councilman Aebischer asked Bret about bills for striping; he asked why they weren't doing their own striping. Bret was asked to get pricing on a striper and the paint; also include man hours. Jeff added he was getting calls about cross walks needing repairs by the Elem. School.

Mayor Christoffersen asked Bret about the hawk light the city purchased from Middleton; He mentioned they need to pick it up. (It was purchased in Feb. 2019)

P & Z Report: Alice reported there were 2 reroofs; one new house and a carport. She did mention the homes in town were selling almost daily.

Attorney Report: No report

Mayor and Council Member Report: Mayor Christoffersen mentioned there were 7 people running for council this year.

Mayor Christoffersen asked the Council to bring any issues to Jeff or Bret.

Alice told the Council we had received two bids for the library shelving and we would need to award the bid; we could do it Monday the 23rd. They all agreed for the meeting.

Alice mentioned the colors for City Hall; she has had two suggestions of light gray with dark gray or dark gray with light gray trim. Mayor Christoffersen mention he had a request to put a flag on the front of the building. He said we should paint in the spring.

Mayor Christoffersen asked Officer Cart to come forward; he told him he would be missed and they all spoke to him.

Approve the Bills: Action Item Mayor Christoffersen asked for a motion to approve the bills; Councilman Tines made the motion; Councilman Atkins seconded. Motion carried by full Council.

Adjournment: Action Item:

Mayor Christoffersen adjourned the meeting.



Mayor Gheen Christoffersen

Attest: 

Alice E. Pegram, City Clerk