

Hills City Council Meeting
November 12, 2024 / 7:00 PM / Hills Community Center

The regular Hills City Council Meeting was called to order by Mayor Kemp at 7:00 PM on Tuesday, November 12, 2024 at the Hills Community Center.

Present: Council Members: Hudachek, Knebel, Rummelhart, Sommers, and Volk. Absent: None.
Also present: Sedlacek, City Admin; Frembgen-Kesner, Deputy Clerk; and Pantel, Fire Chief/Maintenance.

Consent Agenda: Sommers motioned to approve consent agenda (October 28, 2024 minutes, scheduled list of claims, receipts from October 25-November 7, budget report and treasurer's report) and Knebel seconded. Ayes: 5. Motion carried.

Public Comment: None.

Business: Pantel discussed the possibility of buying a new pumper/tanker for the Hills FD. This is going to be tabled until the next meeting to see what we can find out with funding and support. Hudachek motioned to go with Lynch excavating estimate #1698 for the fire hydrant and Rummelhart seconded. Ayes: 5. Motion carried.

Sommers motioned to approve Resolution 2024-22 approving street financial report and Knebel seconded. Roll call vote was taken. Ayes: Sommers, Knebel, Rummelhart, Volk, Hudachek. Motion carried.

Volk motioned to approve Resolution 2024-23 approving annual financial report for fiscal year July 1, 2023-June 30, 2024 and Sommers seconded. Roll call vote was taken. Ayes: Rummelhart, Hudachek, Volk, Knebel, Sommers. Motion carried.

Hudachek motioned to approve Resolution 2024-24 approving support of an application to the IDNR to request a wildlife diversity habitat management grant for a pollinator garden at the songbird sanctuary park and Knebel seconded. Roll call vote was taken. Ayes: Knebel, Hudachek, Sommers, Volk, Rummelhart. Motion carried.

Resolution 2024-25 approving pay application no. 1 to L.L. Pelling Company for the Iowa Street road improvement project was tabled.

Reports: Attorney: No report.

Mayor: No report.

Maintenance: Closed bathrooms for the winter at the parks. Having yearly cleanings done at the lift station. Siren will be looked at this week.

Fire Department: Hills Fire Department will be having their Christmas dinner next month.

City Administrator: Gathered thoughts on moving our Dec 23rd meeting to Dec 30th. Let council know about a complaint that was turned in and letters were sent out regarding the complaint.

Water: No report.

Sewer: No report.

Council Comments: Knebel asked about school demo.

Hudachek motioned to adjourn the meeting and Rummelhart seconded. Ayes: 5. Motion carried.

Adjourned at 7:45 PM

Tim Kemp, Mayor

ATTEST:



Adriane Sedlacek, City Administrator