

## CITY OF BIG STONE CITY

Big Stone City, South Dakota

April 8, 2024  
6:30 p.m.

The Big Stone City council met in regular session on Monday, April 8, 2024, at 6:30 p.m. with Mayor Brown presiding. Roll Call: Goergen, TJ Rabe, Redfield, Roscoe and Stoddard. Absent: Hughes. Others present: Kelsey Stock, Nancy Lee, Redgey Rademacher, Jessica Amberg, Byan Austin, Amanda Lee, Sue Christianson, Steve Scoblic, Pat Kaiser, Patrick Dwyer, Dewane Stoddard, Mary Hillman, Bob Athey, Gene Biever, Janelle Kelly and William Wright.

The Pledge of Allegiance and the South Dakota State Pledge were recited.

Motion to accept the minutes from the March 4, 2024 meeting was made by Redfield seconded by Roscoe. All in favor. Absent: Hughes. Motion Carried.

Motion to pay the presented claims was made by Goergen seconded by TJ Rabe. Upon roll call Ayes: Stoddard, Roscoe, Redfield, TJ Rabe and Goergen. Nays: None. Absent: Hughes. Motion Carried.

Aflac	\$459.84	Payroll 3/18/24	\$5,870.51
Advanced Technologies	\$333.98	Payroll 3/18/24	\$4,934.02
Border States	\$1,480.85	Payroll 3/18/24	\$4,197.13
Bryan Austin	\$111.50	Payroll 4/2/24	\$5,517.33
Big Stone Hardware	\$103.71	Payroll 4/2/24	\$6,306.82
CHS	\$1,307.83	Petty Cash	\$146.84
City of Big Stone City	\$3,252.38	Porter Distributing	\$990.70
Cintas	\$635.64	Pepsi Cola	\$288.91
Coca-Cola Bottling	\$68.00	Postmaster	\$189.74
CNA Surety	\$541.80	Quill	\$520.44
Dakota Supply Group	\$303.73	Robert Athey	\$1,450.00
Dept of Energy- WAPA	\$28,029.39	Redgey Rademacher	\$146.25
Ellwein Brothers	\$9,678.45	Runnings	\$79.74
Farner Bocken	\$969.59	Republic Beverage	\$743.55
Fluegel Anderson Mclaughlin	\$1,396.85	SD Department of Revenue	\$8,987.09
Grant Roberts Rural Water	\$8,014.00	SD Department of Revenue	\$11,588.29
Grant County Review	\$156.51	SD Retirement	\$1,530.73
Grant County Auditor	\$7,500.00	SD Municipal Electric	\$150.00
Health Pool of SD	\$8,228.15	SD Municipal League	\$140.00
Harry's Frozen Foods	\$927.50	Southern Glazer's of SD	\$355.18
IRS 4/2/2024	\$3,901.51	Sturdevant Auto Parts	\$409.77
IRS 3/22/2024	\$4,239.70	T & R Electric	\$135.00
IRS 3/12/2024	\$3,684.82	Terex	\$1,569.95

Johnson Brothers	\$3,325.19	Verizon	\$153.64
Mac Daddy's	\$508.93	Visa	\$394.86
Megan Rabe	\$2,085.28	Waste Management	\$10,651.35
Missouri River Energy	\$3,264.00	Whetstone Home Center	\$32.99
Missouri Basin MPA - TSA	\$9,904.50	Wesco	\$55.75
Missouri Basin MPA/S-1	\$647.73	WinWater	\$30.48
Midwest Irrigation & Electric	\$737.88	Lamb Motors	\$52,116.00
Midco Business	\$208.87		
Northwestern Energy	\$141.93		
Ortonville Independent	\$312.00		

Dewane Stoddard, Planning & Zoning discussed with council the lots Patrick Dwyer is purchasing with the understanding Dwyer will be responsible for the expenses for all services to his property and will maintain the road since it has not been turned over to the City.

Sheriff Report for March was as follows: 96 Hours worked. Activity report: Driving complaint, welfare check, drug investigation with felony drug arrest, two other criminal open investigations, suspicious activity and individual report.

Public Comments: Darcy Roscoe wanted to make it know during the last snow storm the Snow Plow got stuck in the yard near their house and to pull it out they had to drive across their concrete which is heavier than it is rated for if future problems were to arise.

Waste Management contract was discussed. Stoddard made a motion to table until next month so an audit count can be done on all Waste Management containers Redfield seconded. All in favor. Absent: Hughes. Motion Carried.

Sidewalks around the Big Stone City Community building where discussed Redfield made a motion to put the replacement of sidewalks out on bids TJ Rabe seconded. Upon roll call the Ayes: Goergen, Stoddard, Roscoe, Redfield and TJ Rabe. Naves: None. Absent: Hughes. Motion Carried.

Big Stone City Insurance was discussed. Stoddard made a motion to have South Dakota Public Assurance Alliance meet with the council and Goergen seconded. All in favor. Absent: Hughes. Motion Carried.

Roscoe made a motion to purchase the window blinds for \$4,714.00 from Amber's Window World LLC with Stoddard seconded. Upon roll call the Ayes: Redfield, TJ Rabe, Stoddard, Goergen and Roscoe. Absent: Hughes. Motion Carried.

Roscoe made a motion to purchase 12 eight-foot banquet tables for the community center and TJ Rabe seconded. Upon roll call Ayes: Stoddard, Redfield, Goergen, Roscoe and TJ Rabe. Naves: None. Absent: Hughes. Motion Carried.

With only one sealed bid to open for the street overlay material. Redfield made a motion to accept Bituminous Paving, Inc. bid for up to \$10,000.00 and Stoddard seconded. Upon roll call Ayes: TJ Rabe, Roscoe, Stoddard, Goergen and Redfield. Absent: Hughes. Motion Carried.

Patrick Dwyer requested that the two lots he is purchasing be combined into one. Stoddard made a motion to combine the lots and TJ Rabe seconded. All in favor. Absent: Hughes. Motion Carried.

Roscoe made a motion for Mary Hillman to proceed with the Web Site for City of Big Stone City Goergen seconded. Upon roll call the Ayes: Stoddard, Roscoe, Redfield, Goergen and TJ Rabe. Nays: None. Absent: Hughes. Motion Carried.

Big Stone City Bookends requested a donation for the clean-up that the group will be doing around town again with the donation going to the Cancer group. Redfield made a motion to make a donation of \$1,000.00 to the Cancer group and TJ Rabe seconded. Upon roll call Ayes: Roscoe, Stoddard, Redfield, Goergen and TJ Rabe. Nays: None. Absent: Hughes. Motion Carried.

Redfield made a motion to approve the Uniform Alcohol License for The Grocery Basket and Roscoe seconded. All in favor. Absent: Hughes. Motion Carried.

TJ Rabe made a motion to approve the Uniform Alcohol License for The Lakes One Stop and Redfield seconded. All in favor. Absent: Hughes. Motion Carried.

Roscoe made a motion to approve the Uniform Alcohol License for Sly's Bar & Grill and TJ Rabe seconded. All in favor. Absent: Hughes. Motion Carried.

TJ Rabe made a motion to approve the Uniform Alcohol License for MacDaddy's and Roscoe seconded. All in favor. Absent: Hughes. Motion Carried.

Roscoe made a motion to approve the Uniform Alcohol License for Buzz's Tavern and Redfield seconded. All in favor. Absent: Hughes. Motion Carried.

Redfield made a motion to approve Ken's Fireworks Special Retail Fireworks License for 2024 and Roscoe seconded. All in favor. Absent: Hughes. Motion Carried.

Goergen made a motion to approve Ken's Fireworks Retail Fireworks License for 2024 and TJ Rabe seconded. All in favor. Absent: Hughes. Motion Carried.

TJ Rabe made a motion to approve Gregory Cloos Fireworks Retail License for 2024 and Redfield seconded. All in favor. Absent: Hughes. Motion Carried.

Stoddard made a motion to approve three more hours per month for Janelle Kelly, Librarian and Redfield seconded. Upon roll call the Ayes: Goergen, TJ Rabe, Redfield, Roscoe and Stoddard. Nays: None. Absent: Hughes. Motion Carried.

Employee Handbook was discussed. Nancy Lee will be contacting First District.

Stoddard made a motion City Council Meetings will be at 5:30 p.m. year-round Redfield seconded. All in favor. Absent: Hughes. Motion Carried.

Being no further business. Stoddard called to adjourn the meeting at 7:34 p.m. Redfield seconded. All in favor. Motion Carried.

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Steve Brown, Mayor

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Nancy Lee, Finance Officer