

CITY OF BIG STONE CITY

Big Stone City, South Dakota

January 4, 2021

5:30 p.m.

The Big Stone City council met in regular session on Monday January 4th, 2021 meeting began at 5:30 p.m. with Mayor Wiik presiding. Roll Call: Roscoe, Athey, Stoddard, Redfield, Brown and Longhenry present. Others present: George Boos, Robert Athey, Bryan Austin, Maria Loughlin, Teresa Goergen, Margaret Kuefler, Julie Enstad, Joe Wiik, Pat Kaiser, and Steve Weber.

The Pledge of Allegiance and the South Dakota State Pledge were recited. Motion to accept the minutes from the December 30th meeting was made by Brown and seconded by Redfield. All in favor, motion carried.

The following claims were presented for payment

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| Bank of America | \$ 222.37 | CC payment |
| Big Stone Lake Area Chamber | \$ 200.00 | Annual Investment Dues |
| Big Stone Lake Area Chamber | \$ 250.00 | Annual Investment Dues |
| Cintas | \$ 118.71 | |
| City of Big Stone | \$ 5,074.57 | UB Payment |
| Coca-Cola Bottling | \$ 214.00 | |
| DENR | \$ 50.00 | |
| Ellwein Brothers | \$ 2,336.10 | |
| Ellwein Brothers | \$ 4,065.15 | |
| Ellwein Brothers | \$ 75.00 | |
| Ellwein Brothers | \$ 2,274.30 | |
| Greg Giese | \$ 48.00 | Saw chain Sharpening |
| Harrys Frozen Foods | \$ 419.00 | Pizza |
| Health Pool | \$ 6,793.65 | Group Insurance |
| Irby | \$ 53.07 | Testing |
| Johnson Brothers | \$ 548.94 | |
| MIDCO | \$ 41.50 | |
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| Pepsi | \$ 225.08 | pop |
| Porter Distributing Co. | \$ 110.20 | |
| Porter Distributing Co. | \$ 105.80 | |
| RDO | \$ 27,171.00 | John Deere 310SI |
| SDML Workers Comp | \$ 8,254.00 | |
| Wesco | \$ 14,150.00 | Saputo Pre-Age Padmount |

Motion to pay the presented claims was made by Longhenry and seconded by Stoddard. All in favor, motion. Motion carried.

Deputy Sheriff Folk submitted the following report, Decembers Sheriff's office report: Hours: 101hrs and 40 minutes, subject to call 24 hours per day. Written citations: 2; Written warnings: 6. Investigations/events and incidents responded to: 1 suspicious activity call, 1 stranded motorist, a suspected vandalism call, investigated illegal drug activity, responded to two burglar alarms, and two ongoing investigations into stolen vehicles.

Motion was made by Athey and seconded by Roscoe for a resolution for employees' wages. All in favor. Motion carried

A current list of wages are as follows:

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| Robert Athey, Utilities Manager | \$30.10/Hour \$2.25/Hour on call |
| Bryan Austin, Electric Superintendent | \$29.34/Hour \$2.25/Hour on call |
| Maria Loughlin, Finance Officer | \$19.00/Hour |
| Melissa Stueve- Sherod, Liquor Store Manager | \$17.48/Hour \$16.00/Hour Cleaning |
| Darwin Amus, Liquor Store Night Manager | \$14.25 |
| Abby Christ | \$11.25/Hour |
| Henry Gimmetad | \$11.25/Hour |
| Melissa McMahon | \$11.25/Hour |
| Michelle Patterson | \$11.35/Hour |
| Tyrone Ronke | \$11.35/Hour \$16.00/Hour Cleaning |
| Travis Sherod | \$11.25/Hour |
| Steven Weber | \$11.25/Hour |
| Emily Sigler | \$26/Hours Training |
| Pat Kaiser | \$16.43/Hour \$22.50/Hour Training |
| John Hanratty | \$18.67/Hour |
| Janelle Kelly- Library | \$12.60/Hour |

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| Chelsey Wiik- CC Cleaning | \$15.45/Hour |
| Council Members | \$459.00/Quarter \$50.00/Special Meetings |
| Mayor | \$535.50/Quarter \$50.00/Special Meetings |

A public hearing was held on a One Day Special Even Liquor License for the Fire Department. After a brief discussion, a motion was made by Athey and seconded by Redfield to approve the license. All in favor, motion carried.

Discussion about this year's election was made to be set on April 13th.

Councilman Longhenry discusses the plan to continue planning for last years 135th and this year 136th celebration, on the second weekend of July. July 9th, 10th, and 11th.

Mayor Wiik presented a letter of resignation for police officer Goergen. With the absences of policer officer Goergen effective the new year, 2021.

Bryan Austin brought upon discussion about the possible automatic reading infrastructure. Further research and discussion to find out more information.

Being no further business a motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Athey and seconded by Brown. Motion carried.

ATTEST:

Deb Wiik, Mayor

Maria Loughlin, Finance Officer