

Official proceedings of Platte Center Board of Trustees- February 9th 2021

The regular meeting of the Chairman and Board of Trustees of the Village of Platte Center, Nebraska was convened in open and public session at the Auditorium. Notification was given thereof by publication and a copy of that proof of publication is on file. Trustee Jarecki called the meeting to order at 7:00pm and informed the public of the location of a current and complete copy of the Nebraska Open Meeting Act. All proceedings hereafter shown were taken while the convened meeting was open to the attendance of the public. Present by roll call were Trustees: Borchers, Jarosz, Arndt, Hake, Coble. Absent:None

Chairman Borchers led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Arndt moved to accept the Consent Agenda which included February 9th, 2021 Agenda & Meeting Minutes for January 12th, 2021. Trustee Jarosz 2nd the motion. Roll call vote, Ayes: Borchers, Jarosz, Arndt, Hake, Coble Nays: None. Motion carried.

New Business:

Greg Wegner & Jackie *** were present to discuss information about the street dance to be held on June 19th 2021 in Platte Center. The band is to start playing at 7:00pm. Electricity & paying the band will be covered by Greg Wegner. The Fire Department will be in charge of security, alcohol sales, fencing, and porta-potties. Time Thiege will be in charge of providing food. It was decided that Trevor Jarosz will be the contact for the dance. Jarosz made a motion to charge Mr Wegner \$240 to rent the auditorium for the band to get ready, and undress after the shows. Hake 2nd the motion. Roll call vote, Ayes: Borchers, Jarosz, Arndt, Hake, Coble Nays: None. Motion carried.

Miller & Associates did not have a representative present. Ms. Coble read the latest email from Chris Miller.

Mrs Hake discussed that the Platte Center Elementary pick up line can be confusing to some. Arndt made a motion to turn Platte Street Block by the school and behind the church into a one way going north from 7:00am-4:00pm on all days. Hake second the motion. Roll call vote, Ayes: Borchers, Jarosz, Arndt, Hake, Coble Nays: None. Motion carried. Ms. Coble to order one way signs.

The board discussed turning the new kitchen into a Village Office making it more handicapped accessible. The public has showed interest in turning the auditorium into a recreation center as opposed to an event center. Jarosz made a motion to charge \$120 per year for Platte Center Residents and \$240 for out of village limits patrons. The board discussed allowing each family to allow 1 gathering of 50 people or less per year. Arndt second the motion. Roll call vote, Ayes: Borchers, Jarosz, Arndt, Hake, Coble Nays: None. Motion carried.

Jarosz made a motion to donate \$250 to NeWRA for their help in various water projects. Hake 2nd the motion. Roll call vote, Ayes: Borchers, Jarosz, Arndt, Hake, Coble Nays: None. Motion carried.

Arndt made a motion to allow residents to register their dogs with a yearly registration or a lifetime registration. The yearly rates will remain the same at \$15 for intact dogs, and \$10 for spayed or neutered dogs. The lifetime rates will be \$100 for dogs under 5 and \$50 for dogs over 5. Hake second the motion. Roll call vote, Ayes: Borchers, Jarosz, Arndt, Hake, Coble Nays: None. Motion carried.

Old Business:

City Ordinances- Item tabled until next meeting.

Grant Funding for Park: Hake attended a park meeting in Columbus and discussed she received information that the Splash Pad at Glur Park in Columbus cost \$130,000 to build and costs \$3,000 per month to maintain. No further action needed at this time.

Mosquito Control- Dyno traps: Tabled until next meeting

Committees:

Emergency Maintainece- March 2nd is Storm Spotter training at 5:30pm.

Town Maintainece- New pump in the lift station Line #2

Feb 9th Utility Report/ Treasurers report. Bank Balances: Checking \$105,464.81, Grant Account \$176.27, Auditorium, Donations \$12,407.95, Water Savings \$41,379.97, Sales Tax Savings \$42,174.29

AKRS Equipment Solutions	4,800.00	Blade
Bank of Valley-Savings	4,000.00	Water Savings (Transfer Online)
Bomgaar's	419.99	Snow Plow Parts
Buds Sanitation	2,119.00	Garbage Contract, Jan 2020
Bud's Sanitation	193.00	Totes, Dec 2020
Cornhusker Public Power	445.79	Well Meters
Cornerstone Ins. Group	50.00	Bond Renewal
		Internet Village Office & Phones (E-Payment)
Eagle Communications	647.90	Legal Expense
Egly, Fullner, Morland & Easeland	135.00	Publishing Notices
Humphrey Democrat	80.23	Kevin's Vacation & Comp Time
Illeana Jarecki	3,482.38	Federal Income Taxes (E-Payments)
Internal Revenue Service	1,188.36	Fuel
J&L General Store	424.31	Auditorium Rug Cleaning
Jackson Services	80.40	Village Power
Loup Power District	2,687.89	Cleaning & Misc. Supplies
Menards	337.43	Water Sample Processing
Midwest Laboratories	148.05	Jan 2021 Auditorium Management
N.Coble Cleaning/Management	100.00	Water Tests
Nebraska Public Health Environmental Lab	182.00	Jan 2021 State Sales Tax (E-Payment)
Nebraska Department of Revenue	514.99	Shop Door Repair
Overhead Door	1,125.60	Jan-21
Payroll	5,108.44	2020 Election
Platte County Election Commissioner	100.00	Blade Bolts
Platte County Highway Dept	24.10	Dec 2020 Tractor Rental Payment
Platte Valley Equipment	966.47	Audit Waiver
Schumacher, Smejkal, Herly & Elm	3,500.00	Mail Water Samples
The UPS Store	21.42	Cell Phones
US Cellular	107.34	Fuel
Zieglars	437.84	
Totals	32,990.09	

Hake moved to accept reports and pay submitted bills. Jarosz 2nd the motion. Roll call vote, Ayes: Borchers, Jarosz, Arndt, Hake, Coble Nays: None. Motion carried.

Jarosz made a motion & Coble 2nd the motion to adjourn regular business meeting at 8:40 pm. Roll call vote, Ayes: Borchers, Jarosz, Arndt, Hake, Coble Nays: None. Motion carried.

Village Clerk
Nicolette Coble