

Official proceedings of Platte Center Board of Trustees- October 13<sup>th</sup> 2020

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 Borchers 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: Arndt, Jarosz, Borchers, Jarecki Absent: Pilakowski

Chairman Jarecki led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Arndt moved to accept the Consent Agenda which included October 13<sup>th</sup>, 2020 Agenda & Meeting Minutes for September 8<sup>th</sup>, 2020. Trustee Jarosz 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion. Roll call vote, Ayes: Arndt, Jarosz, Borchers, Jarecki Nays: None. Motion carried.

New Business:

Chris Miller with Miller & Associates was present. Mr. Miller discussed the bids for the new well. The Village of Platte Center received two bids. Downey Drilling presented a bid of \$269,453.00. Sargent Drilling presented a bid of \$301,677.50. Done Otte with Otte Electric was present to present his bid for all electrical work. He presented a \$28,312.00 bid for electrical, \$35,550.00 including a propane generator and \$36,361 including a diesel generator. The Board members discussed deducting line item #13 for the chain link fencing which was a bid of \$11,623.00, The board also discussed deducting all electrical for the project except removal of existing motor and relocate to new well to be performed by contractor & etc. This deduction would be a \$73,130.00 deduction. The board discussed tabling the consideration of bids to have a special meeting to reconstruct the contract. The special meeting was scheduled for Monday October 26<sup>th</sup> at 5:30pm.

Borchers discussed looking into grant funding from Platte County Lodging Tax to improve the park. Borchers discussed that there was a request to include a splash pad at the park. Park and Recreation committee to research. Topic tabled until next meeting

The Village of Platte Center received a request to no longer use chemical trucks for insect and mosquito control in town and to use Dynatraps throughout town. The board members were not opposed to the idea. The board members discussed using 2021 as a trial year for the Dynatraps. They discussed continuing with the chemical truck in parts of town and using Dynatraps in other parts of town to determine which method will work best for the town. Topic tabled until next meeting.

The Village of Platte center received a request to move the Fire Department Can Recycling from the Auditorium parking lot to the Post Office area where the cardboard & paper recycling is. The board members discussed that the cardboard and paper recycling is actually on private land with special permission to have the recycling there. The board members discussed that they would talk to the Fire Department about emptying the recycling more often.

Old Business:

City Ordinances- Item tabled until next meeting.

Planning & Zoning Committee: Tabled to January 2021 meeting to re-open.

Committees:

Street & Ally- The Village discussed allowing an ACDC Tribute Band to play on June 19<sup>th</sup>, 2021. The board discussed the possible locations of the street dance. The Platte Center Fire Department would be in charge of alcohol sales.

Town Maintaince- Kevin Jarecki advised the board that Obrist will be coming to town to repair a manhole. He advised that will be about \$4,500. Kevin also advised the village received a new skid loader that would need to be included in village insurance.

September 8<sup>th</sup>, 2020 Utility Report/ Treasurers report. Bank Balances: Checking \$90,440.90, Grant Account \$176.27, Auditorium ,Donations \$12,407.95, Water Savings \$47,066.40, Sales Tax Savings \$30,802.97.

<b>Bank of Valley-Savings</b>	<b>4,000.00</b>	<b>Water Savings (Transfer Online)</b>
<b>Bomgaars</b>	<b>54.91</b>	<b>Cleaners</b>
<b>Buds Sanitation</b>	<b>2,119.00</b>	<b>Garbage Contract, Oct 2020</b>
<b>Bud's Sanitation</b>	<b>193.00</b>	<b>Totes, Oct 2020</b>

Cornhusker Public Power	213.37	Well Meters
Eagle Communications	197.22	Village Office Phones
Eakes Office Supply	44.49	Tpmer
Humphrey Democrat	177.99	Publish Notices & Minutes
Kayton International	17.63	Parts & Freight
Kessler Agency, Inc	30,285.00	Purchase of Land for Well (Paid)
Loup Power District	1,692.74	Village Power
Menards	107.79	Christmas Lights
Nancy Carlson, Contract Archaeologist	685.00	Survey of land for well
N.Coble Cleaning/Management	100.00	Sept 2020 Auditorium Management
Nebraska Public Health Environmental Lab	231.00	Water Tests
Nebraska Department of Revenue	984.42	Sept 2020 State Sales Tax (E-Payment)
Officenet	45.00	Copier Lease & Supplies
One Call Concepts	15.35	Locate Fees
Payroll	7,920.19	Kevin & Nicolette August 2020
Platte County Register of Deeds	34.00	Processing Deed for land for well
Platte River Builders	84,257.46	Main Street Road Repair
		Sept 2020 Tractor Rental Payment & Part
Platte Valley Equipment	975.87	Sale
UPS Store	22.38	Water Sample Mailings
Zieglar Oil	703.60	Fuel #2 Red
<b>Totals</b>	<b><u>134,373.81</u></b>	

Arndt made moved to accept reports and pay submitted bills. Jarosz 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion. Roll call vote, Ayes: Arndt, Jarosz, Borchers,, Jarecki Nays: None. Motion carried.

Jarosz made a motion & Arndt 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion to adjourn regular business meeting at 8:35 pm. Roll call vote, Ayes: Arndt, Jarosz, Borchers, Jarecki Nays: None. Motion carried.

Village Clerk  
Nicolette Coble