

MINUTES of the Proceedings of the City Council of the City of Rutledge in the County of Pine and the State of Minnesota including all accounts audited by said Council.

5.13.26

The meeting was called to order at 5: 03 PM by Mayor Kiminski, all members present except Angie Eckerman. Also present Brittney Franko, McKenzie Franko, Erica Horton.

Motion to accept minutes as read by Darryl Herzog 2nd by Tim Johnsen. All approved.

Motion to pay bills by Janelle Orth, 2nd by Darryl Herzog. All approved.

Discussion of the ballfield and the need for a fence. Sturgeon Lake Lions gave the city previously a check for \$500 to go towards the fencing. The team did fundraising, there should be two checks 2025 and 2018. They would like to put a 6' fence all around the ballfield. They would like a fence put up that will not block the alleyway, on the west side and the south side. Would need to know property lines, and roads right away, may need a survey. The team will work on getting dimensions, costs etc.

Erica: Kids wrestle out of Pine City. Inquiring if there can be practices at the community center. This is not a club yet in the area. Wrestling is December - April. The building has in-floor electric heat and that is a concern for cost in the winter months. The council will look at numbers.

Discussion of Mowing bid.

Eaton: 300 cleanup, 475 to mow, fee for extra raking

Green Image: 300 cleanup, 600 mow

Motion to accept Green Image Outdoors bid by Darryl Herzog, 2nd by Tim Johnsen. All approved.

Banner- 3x8 on vista print \$75, kettle river grapix-\$115

Motion to approve a rent me banner from Vista Print by Darryl Herzog, 2nd by Janelle Orth. All approved.

Motion to approve resolution #2026-513 by Janelle Orth, 2nd by Tim Johnsen. All approved.

Wrestling discussion: heat concerns, storage of matts, matts have to be away from the walls, tables and chairs could be put away for the winter, no meets, monitor for damages. \$50 per time group rate was discussed.

Chairs need caps for the bottoms- they are scratching the floors. Jeff will look into options.

We will be getting an update if the property across from the church is sold.

Motion to adjourn by Darryl Herzog, 2nd by Tim Johnsen.

Attest:

Lynnette Hischer, Clerk