

November 25, 2024
Morton City Council Regular Meeting

Mayor Rick Mead
Councilman Jason Sawyer
Councilman Bob Boyer
Councilman Richard Vanderlip
Councilman Travis Cooper
Councilwoman Caro Johnson

7:00 pm – Pledge of Allegiance lead by Mayor Rick Mead

Consent Agenda vouchers and EFTs from October 28, 2024 passed. (Motion by councilman Vanderlip, 2nd councilwoman Johnson, all in favor)

Public comment:

No comments

Presentation

Anders Pollman gave an update on the Cherry/Kosmos project is now complete. New construction on filter system for well to start in June 2025. The city's goal to continue to replace old pipes throughout city.

New business:

- Fred Schwindt requested \$2797 from lodging tax for Fire Mt. Arts Council.
- Council approved Ordinance 2024-06 second reading of 2025 budget (Motion by councilman Vanderlip, 2nd councilwoman Johnson, all in favor)
- Council approved Resolution 538 increasing regular property tax levy 1% from previous year. (Motion by councilwoman Johnson, 2nd councilman Vanderlip, all in favor)
- Council approved Ordinance 2024-07 to increase monthly water rate an addition \$1.1 per month and increase overage to \$5.00 per thousand (over 4,000 gallons) inside and outside city limits. (Motion by councilwoman Johnson, 2nd councilman Vanderlip, all in favor)
- Council approved the surplus 2008 Ford F450 shop truck last numbers VIN#5603 and 1999 Ford F550 last VIN#0325 (Motion by councilman Sawyer, 2nd councilman Cooper, all in favor)

Old Business:

- Councilman Sawyer and councilman Cooper advised after research that council should change ordinance regarding speed limit to 20 mph thru out entire city limits except state highways.

Public Participation:

A citizen stated the blinking lights for the school sign are not working.

Citizens complimented OSG Dozing crew on the work done on Cherry/Kosmos and the employees went out of the way to accommodate the neighbors.

Motion to adjourn by councilman Vanderlip, 2nd councilman Boyer, all in favor.

Adjourn 8:30 pm

LuAnn Ward

Respectfully, LuAnn Ward, City Clerk

Ricky Mead

Ricky Mead, Mayor