

City of Forman, North Dakota  
Regular City Council Meeting  
June 11<sup>th</sup> , 2024

The regular City Council meeting was called to order at 6:00 PM by Mayor Kevin Bopp. Present were council members Luke Anderson, Neil Weaving, Al Colemer . Also attending were Alicia Thompson, Sara Dux, Donovan Hajek, Lyle Bopp, Jeremy Mlnarik and Jean Isakson

All stood for the pledge of allegiance.

A motion was made by Al Colemer , seconded by Neil Weaving to approve the agenda. Motion carried.

A motion was made by Luke Anderson, seconded by John Stenvold to approve minutes from the May 14<sup>th</sup>, 2024 regular city council meeting. Motion carried.

Sheriff Paeper stated they had an average month, sticking w/traffic enforcement- officer Wold will be dedicated to traffic control after June 13<sup>th</sup>.

City Superintendent Donavon Hajek reported about the tree removal that has been done around town and at the Cemetery. He mentioned hiring a kid for summer mowing help around the city. The water plant backflow is completed w/certificate. Ottertail Power substation is starting their dirt work. Made mention of dredging out some ditches and culverts. He also is going to order a gear box for the cemetery lawn mower.

City Attorney Lyle Bopp – no report

A motion was made by Luke Anderson made a motion and John Stenvold seconded the City of Forman to sell lot 19 for a fee of free to Jeremy Mlnarik and Jean Isakson. Motion carried.

John Stenvold made a motion for the building permit on lot 19 and Neil Weaving seconded it. Motion carried.

The motion was made by Luke Anderson and seconded by Al Colmer for Trinity Lutheran Church to put a fence up. Motion carried for approval of Fence.

Luke Anderson made a motion to approve Pam Nicholson to put a barrier fence up. John Stenvold seconded that motion. Motion carried.

A motion was made by John Stenvold and seconded by Al Colmer to approve the parking lot construction at Sargent County Courthouse.

Motion was tabled for the approval of Kelly Rohrich box garage Neil Weaving made a motion to table it and Luke Anderson seconded that motion.

A big thank you to Al Colmer for his many years on the city council and also to Neil Weaving for 8 years of perfect attendance on the City Council.

City Coordinator Sara Dux gave her report, she has plans on heading to Napoleon for the Community Impressions Program around June 19<sup>th</sup>, and then get a final presentation date set. She has been continuing to post for Deputy Auditor/Coordinator position. We have been awarded \$49,500.00 from the Slum and Blight grant for removal of the white house on Main St. She mentioned the Community Garden project is finished and ready to be planted in. She is working on research and preliminary info on RWIP grant application for the daycare.

A motion was made by John Stenvold and seconded by Neil Weaving to approve the City Auditor's report including June's financial statements, delinquency report, and payment of the bills. Motion carried. Waste Management 6035.14, Forman Community Club 250.00, Sargent County Auditor 807.26, Bopp Law Office 500.00, Otttertail Power 3556.66, Crossroads Electric 221.57, City of Fargo 14.00, JM Construction 5815.00, ND Dept of Env Quality 13.24, Texp Tunup 200.00, Forman Lumber 99.91, Sargent County Teller 223.42, Central Grocery 151.97, Once Call Concepts 10.50, Interstate Engineering 2703.52, Southside Auto 1771.57, Midwest Dirtworks 16685.09, TBGTOM.com 60.00, Core and Main 1242.23, Forman Golf Course 717.55, Forman Park Board 2151.64, Farmers Union Insurance 53.00, Dickey Rural 719.64, Beaver Trucking 1232.00, P Morgan Chase 1638.24.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:15 PM. Next regular Council meeting is scheduled for July 9<sup>th</sup> @ 6:00 PM

Kevin Bopp, Mayor

Alicia Thompson, City Auditor