

Regular Council Meeting

Town of Valier Town Council

Valier Civic Center

November 13, 2019

Mayor Glenn Wunderlich presided

1. Council Members present Norma Bukoveckas, Ray Bukoveckas, Steve Nelson, and Dave Widhalm.

Town Staff present Andrea Bowie, Deputy Clerk/ Treasurer

Mayor Wunderlich brought the meeting to order at 7:00 pm.

2. Mayor Wunderlich led the Pledge of Allegiance.
3. Mayor Wunderlich called for any corrections or additions to the September 9, 2019 special meeting minutes. None heard. Alderman S. Nelson moved to approve September 9, 2019 regular council meeting minutes. Alderman N. Bukoveckas seconded. Mayor Wunderlich called for a vote on the motion. Motion carried unanimously.
4. Mayor Wunderlich called for any corrections or additions to the October 13, 2019 special meeting minutes. None heard. Alderman R. Bukoveckas moved to approve October 13, 2019 regular council meeting minutes. Alderman N. Bukoveckas seconded. Mayor Wunderlich called for a vote on the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

5. Public Comment.

The following people stated that they were in favor of plowing of the town streets due to emergency crews being able to get to home's in case of an emergency and our elderly population being able to receive meals and getting around safer. Lloyd Wippert, Joelyn

Minarik, James Schlosser, Josh Clifford, Kevin Henke, Charlene Henke, Stu Holland, Michelle Holland, Fuzzy Balsley, Sherill Powell-Balsley, John Paddock, Vern Stokes, Sharon Curry, Ray Bukoveckas, Norma Bukoveckas.

6. Library Report.

A construction company has been hired to finish the library addition and fix the hail damage.

7. Law Enforcement Report

Sheriff Robert Skorupa present at the Town Council meeting. He informed the Town that a Deputy quite due to no health insurance for 6 months. He invited the public to call the county commissioner and voice their opinion on the matter. Some of the highlights include: 1 traffic complaints, 300 business security checks, 2 traffic crash assists, 3 dog complaint, 2 agency assists, 48 bar checks, 1 vehicle lock-out, 3 theft calls, 5 medical emergency, 5 burn permits, 1 fire calls, 3 citizen/motorist assist/ rides home, 2 welfare checks/ civil standby, 2 lost/ found property, 4 suspicious persons, 130 campground pavilion boat ramp checks, 31 traffic stops.

8. Public Works Report.

The Town pumped 1,055,800 gallons of water for the month, for an average of 34,058 gallons per day. Bulk water sold 40,600 gallons for the month. The water sample was good for the month. The water levels in the wells are about average for this time of year. This month the Public works Monday's staff meetings, safety meeting, account list, grant meeting, SCADA/ Wastewater treatment facility, pumphouse-wells, service info, GMC check, shop cleaning, service leak turned off, monitoring wastewater collection

systems, plowing snow, changed fluids in backhoe and grader, maintenance grader, backhoe, john deere, cleaned tools, dump run, cleaned vehicles, shop and rugs, sorted files and paperwork, safety compliance check, curb stops, checked and opened culverts, drainage ditches, cleaned Miller Park, cleaned ally's.

9. **Consent Items**

A. **Permission to Build:**

-**Alan Brownell**, 1102 Montana Street, would like to put up an mud room 7'x18' and attach to garage. The application was reviewed by the zoning board. The zoning board recommended approval to build to The Town Council. Mayor Wunderlich called for a motion to approve the permission to build for Alan Brownell. Alderman N. Bukoveckas moved to approve the permission to build; Alderman R. Bukoveckas seconded. Mayor Wunderlich called for discussion. None heard. Mayor Wunderlich called for a vote on the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

B. **Regular Business Claims:**

Mayor Wunderlich called for motion to pay the bills. Alderman N. Bukoveckas moved to pay the bills; Alderman S. Nelson seconded. Mayor Wunderlich called for discussion. None heard. Mayor Wunderlich called for a vote on the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

C. **Business Licenses:**

Christopher McCormick, McCormick Handyman Services, 28 Dupuyer Ave. Valier, MT 59486. Has applied for business license. Mayor Wunderlich called

for a motion to approve the business license application for McCormick Handyman Services. Alderman N. Bukoveckas moved to approve the business license application; Alderman S. Nelson seconded. Mayor Wunderlich called for discussion. None Heard. Mayor Wunderlich called for a vote on the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

10. Announcement.

Next regular Town Council meeting will be held on Monday December 9, 2019 at 7:00 pm at the Valier Civic Center. Mayor Wunderlich handed out a letter from Hardin, Mayor Joe Purcell, asking for donations for the Hardin High School band to participate in the 4th of July 2020 Parade in Washington, D.C. to represent the state of Montana. Letter and donation sheet are available in Town office.

11. Adjourn.

There being no more business to come before the Town Council, Mayor Wunderlich adjourned the meeting. Meeting adjourned at 7:35pm.

ATTEST:

Glenn Wunderlich, Mayor

Andrea Bowie, Deputy Clerk/ Treasure

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