

City Council Proceedings

The City of Plankinton met in special session on Monday, May 20, 2019. Mayor John J Staller called the meeting to order at 6:30 pm. Roll call recorded the following members present: Pam Vissia, Brad Kehn, Susan Steele, Jim Hinckley & Terry Schuldt. City employee present was Jeanette Smith. City Attorney Janes D Taylor, P.C. & Ryan J Loker, Associate Law Clerk were present. Representing South Dakota Mail was Gayle VanGenderen.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

No public comments were noted.

Kehn moved to approve the amended agenda, with a second from Vissia. All voted aye, motion carried.

Steele & Schuldt gave an update regarding lifeguards for the upcoming season. Steele moved to employ Andrew Stange as a third year lifeguard at the rate of \$11.50/hour, with a second from Kehn. All voted aye, motion carried. Steele then moved to correct the wage for Taylor Westendorf from \$12.00/hour to \$11.75/hour due to an error in years served. Hinckley seconded the motion. All voted aye, motion carried.

At 6:40 pm, the Mayor asked for a motion to enter executive session, per SDCL 1-25-2(1) & SDCL 1-25-2(3). Kehn moved, with a second from Hinckley. All voted aye, motion carried.

At 7:17 pm, the Mayor declared to enter back into regular session, with no action taken.

Kehn moved to immediately terminate the employment of Vern Hill as Utility Supt, per Employee Handbook Policy 8.5 Misconduct. Reimbursement of accumulated vacation & sick leave will be at the employee's salary rate per his last day of employment, as per Employee Handbook Policy. Hinckley seconded the motion. All voted aye, motion carried.

Steele moved to appoint Chance Boyd as Electrical Supt, with a second from Kehn. All voted aye, motion carried.

The Mayor adjourned the meeting at 7:20 pm.

Signed: John J Staller, Mayor

Attest: Jeanette Smith, Finance Officer