

Inwood City Council
July 8, 2024

Inwood City Council met in regular session on Monday, July 8, 2024 at 6:30 pm in the Council Chambers. Mayor Becca Bixler presided. Council Members present: Mark Timmerman, Shannon Faber, Jordan Huyser, Chad Evans, and Rick Rozeboom. Also present: Scott Blom, Marv Arp, Natalie Bohlke, and Jamie Van Beek.

Jamie Van Beek presented his monthly maintenance report. Van Beek discussed how he handled all the storm water during the heavy rains in June. Scott Blom was present to visit Council about purchasing 2 2-inch trash pumps for \$1000 from Scott. Motion by Timmerman, second by Timmerman, second by Evans to approve purchase of 2 2-inch trash pumps from Scott Blom. Carried 5-0.

Thank you to all who volunteered their help during the heavy rains in June. We appreciate all your time and work!

Residents are reminded that water in your basement and sump pump water should be pumped outside, not down the sanitary sewer drain. Excess water draining into the sanitary sewer causes a lot of problems for other homes.

Visu Sewer has completed their project to clean and televise the storm sewer on Oak Street. Jamie Van Beek will review the video again. There are areas of the storm sewer that may need to be replaced and/or repaired.

Marv Arp met with Council Members concerning the drainage of storm water on Douglas Street and Rebecca Lane. Marv had several pictures of the drainage and discussed areas of concern. Storm sewer mains should be included with any new development.

Cody Ver Steeg, Brian Blankespoor, Willy Wiekamp, and Jon Wiekamp met with Council members about the tractor pull that was held in Inwood on June 7. The Tractor Pull was a great success. There were more than 600 people attending and there were 123 hooks. The group discussed updating the ball park lights.

Thank you to the many 4th of July Celebration volunteers. The Inwood 4th of July Celebration had another great year.

Natalie Bohlke presented her monthly report. Natalie continues to keep the website updated.

Motion by Rozeboom, second by Timmerman to approve the Consent Agenda which includes the minutes from June 10, Treasurer's report, and list of bills for payment. Carried 5-0.

Alliance Comm	Telephone service	\$272.47
AB Auto	Spark plugs	19.87
Badger Meter	Service	398.58

Century Business	Annual contract	445.55
Chesterman	Concessions	151.50
Tony De Smet	Reports	250.00
DGR	Engineering	2290.47
Erv's Repair	Stands	330.00
Foundation Lab	Lab tests	33.00
GNR Plumbing	Repairs	105.00
Hawkins	Supplies	3608.24
Herm's Sanitation	Garbage	11470.78
Hiller Lumber	Lumber	56.41
Ia DNR	Water Supply	101.82
Inwood Hatchery	Supplies	81.30
Iowa League	Annual dues	938.00
Iowa Rural Water	Registration	180.00
IPERS	Payroll	2464.43
Lil Chubs	Fuel	471.32
Lyon Rural Water	Water	5530.95
Lyon County Title	Abstract	500.00
Mid American	Utilities	7030.57
Oak Street Station	Fuel, concessions	1472.57
One Office	Supplies	117.49
Panther	Sweatshirts	287.50
ProChem	Supplies	239.23
Rec Supply	Steps, tubes	903.62
Thomas Mfg	Picnic tables	4608.00
True Value	Supplies	557.71
US Treas	Payroll	5955.82
West Lyon Herald	Publications	315.16
Woods Fuller	Legal fees	495.00
A&B Business	Library contract	603.33
Alliance Comm	Library telephone	83.83
Baker & Taylor	Books	1285.91
Barnes & Noble	Books	23.99
Overdrive	Annual fee	522.72
Carol Vander Kolk	Janitor	60.00

Jenn Jenson arrived to talk to Council about what Manna Market has been doing to help other communities after the June flood. Manna Market has sent supplies to Rock Rapids, Hawarden, George, and Canton.

Garage Girls asked the Council to consider a request to close a portion of East Adams Street adjacent to The Garage for a private party on Saturday, August 3rd. The area will be fenced off for picnic tables. Motion by Timmerman, second by Huyser to introduce and move for adoption Resolution #11-24, Resolution to Authorize closing a portion of the 100 block of East Adams Street on Saturday, August 3, 2024. AYES: Rozeboom, Evans, Huyser, Faber, and Timmerman. Resolution passed and approved.

Motion by Rozeboom, second by Evans to adjourn. Carried 5-0.

Carol Vander Kolk, City Clerk