

Regular Meeting
July 10, 1989

The regular meeting of the Conrad City Council was called to order by Mayor Bill Gearhart at 7:00 P.M. in the Council Chambers.

Council members present: Sanderson, Schiebel, Reece, King, Lutes
Others present: Dave Colin, Gary Moler, Bob Kruse

The minutes of the June 12th meeting were approved.

The treasurer's report was approved in a motion by Sanderson, second by Reece. Carried.

The finance committee presented the following bills:

Leonard Tranbarger	TV & VCR/Fire Dept.	618.00
Iowa State University	Fire school	50.00
Shane Tiernan	Bldg. permit	15.00
Lance Higgins	Labor	197.92
City of Conrad's Bond Cking. Acct.	Coupon payment	412.50
Econofoods	Distilled water	10.86
Reva Ladehoff	Cleaning	12.00
Conrad Public Library	Budget allotment 1st 1/2	15,005.00
Conrad Public Library	Copies	48.70
Shane Tiernan	Bldg. permit	15.00
Bill Gearhart	Mayor's salary	450.00
Lance Higgins	Labor	94.33
Kathy Grant	Treasurer's salary	175.00
Ken Sanderson	Council salary	91.15
Dorothy King	" "	92.50
Verne A. Reece	" "	238.18
Alan Schiebel	" "	92.50
Robert Lutes	" "	67.50
First State Bank	Fed WW & SS 6/89	1,893.46
Bill Hartwig Excavating	Rock/Walnut St.	177.39
Bill Hartwig Excavating	Payment #1/San. Sewer	16,557.66
Treasurer, State of Iowa	IA WH 6/89	265.60
IPERS	IPERS 6/89	698.96
First State Bank	Annual fee/public funds	300.00
Iowa Electric Light and Power	Bills 6/89	1,917.65
Lindaman Labs	Water test	29.50
Iowa State University	Training book/Fire Dept.	16.00
Grundy County Engineer	Posts & flags/stop signs	106.00
Schiebel Electric	Relay/South lift station	71.10
Jeff King Construction	Change door knobs	110.57
Conrad Sales Co., Inc.	Adjust PTO/tractor	39.15
NAPA Auto Parts	Supplies	16.87
Diamond Products	Yellow traffic paint	113.70
RGC Printing	Tkt. books & billing cards	184.65
Clapsaddle-Garber Associates	June services	1,117.57
Kibby Hardware	Supplies	68.84
Marshall Office Supply	Supplies	36.72
Cessford Construction	Roadstone/Walnut St.	145.89
GTE North	Bills 6/89	201.20
Conrad Record	Publication 6/89	73.22
Moler Sanitation	9 mo. @ 7.50(rate increase)	67.50
Kliebenstein, Heronimus, Schmidt, Geer	May & June '89	472.50
Radio Communications	Repair Fire Dept. radio	45.00
Radio Communications	Antenna, cable & power supply	298.00
Utility Equipment Co.	Hydrant hose & brass nipples	51.16
Conrad Pharmacy	Supplies	24.64
Water Products Company	Supplies	41.14
Bob's Farm Center	Diesel fuel	2.98
League of Iowa Municipalities	Annual membership fee	295.00
Casey's General Store	Gas & misc.	121.53
Grundy County Auditor	Landfill 7/89	838.34

~~Grundy County Auditor~~ Error No check

Motion by King, second by Reece that the above bills be accepted and warrants drawn on the same. Carried.

Total revenue for June 1989: \$95,223.04
 General - 14,127.29 Road Use Tax - 4,198.07
 Sewer - 596.91 Debt Service - 32,777.07
 Water - 43,066.66 '87 St. Assmt. - 457.04

The following building permits were issued:

Lee Hogle	Home	\$60,000
JoeAnn Ennenga	Rebuild garage	1,000

Gary Moler reported the following:

- The company no longer makes the pump like the one at the south lift station. He can get a similar one.
- The portable submersible pump is worn out. Can purchase a new Zoeller for \$481 or a used one for \$225. Reece made a motion to purchase the new pump, second by Schiebel. Carried.
- Had clutch on tractor adjusted - will need a new clutch before winter.
- Trees on Jim Gould property on Church St. need to be trimmed. Gary will talk to Jim.
- Bill Hartwig is finished with Walnut St. sanitary sewer line. Will start on water line on Monday.
- Painters will start on new water tower tomorrow.

The Council received a bid of \$22.00 an hour for electrical work from Schiebel Electric and a bid of \$24.50 an hour for welding, metal fabrication and mechanical work from Gearhart Machine and Welding. These bids were accepted in a motion by Lutes, second by King. Carried.

A Class B beer permit was approved for the American Legion (August 1, 1989 through March 31, 1990) in a motion by Reece, second by Schiebel. Carried.

Dave Colin asked that the Fire Department be allowed to order the new style approved helmets. Sanderson made a motion to purchase 11 helmets at \$75.00 each. Second and carried.

Mayor Gearhart announced that the First Responders have purchased a used ambulance to use for their emergency vehicle. Only the two or three people on call will respond to a call unless more are called on to come.

As of July 1st the Beaman First Responders are not covered by insurance. Having them join Conrad's Fire Department and being covered by Conrad's insurance was discussed. No decision was reached at this time. Mayor Gearhart will discuss possibilities and guidelines with Don Kliebenstein. He was also asked by the council to contact Dave Crow to tell the Beaman First Responders that they are off duty for now.

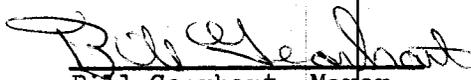
~~A handicap accessible ramp for the library was discussed. It was agreeable with the council to have Larry Olson look at the situation.~~

The council agreed to install a hydrant, which will be furnished by Cliff Wilson, at the Methodist Church Park. Alan Schiebel stated he will furnish the trenching and wire for an electrical outlet there also.

The following were also discussed:

- Old city dump being abused
- Conrad Cooperative dumping chemicals in the storm sewer - DNR was contacted.
- Removing hydrants at Jim Sharp's and Bob Zern's - the clerk is to check with Don Kliebenstein. Council is in favor of removing them.

Motion to adjourn by Reece, second by Sanderson. Carried.


 Bill Gearhart, Mayor

Attest: 
 Carol Whipple, Clerk