

Minutes for the Town of Twin Bridges Regular Council Meeting

Tuesday, March 11, 2025, 7:00 p.m.

The meeting was called to order at 7:42 p.m. In attendance were Interim Mayor, Matt Greemore, and Council members Councilor Scott Holbrook, Councilor Jordan High, Councilor Nolan Frandsen and Councilor JB Klyap was in attendance.

The Pledge of Allegiance was said.

There was no comment on Non-Agenda items.

New Business:

Sheriff department is servicing between 15-20 calls per month. Abandoned vehicles and traffic stops. Target patrols are happening and investigating stolen vehicles. Satellite offices in Sheridan and Ennis. The building at the airport is also being moved into by the police. Discussion about 17 mills was briefly discussed and they would like Lori to meet with the county attorney and the council to complete MOU.

McCallie School Memo of Understanding Great west had discussed in detail prior to the regular council meeting.

Great West Update on MCEP and RRG funding project to replace water tank. May 2024 did a per, and they are considering while we wait for funding. They believe they will inform us in March.

New Business License Frandsen Countryside Greenhouse LLC Greenhouse/Nursery and bedding plants motion to approve business license by Councilor JB seconded by Councilor Jordan all in favor motion carried. All in favor motion carried.

DNRC Arbor Day/Tree board established, and we have contacted Hannah who oversees this area. Grants DNRC Arbor Day/Tree board and grants Discussion on 3 public members are participating. Training will be in March for how to trim and tend to trees. Will contact Hannah tomorrow to discuss funding and appropriate location of trees.

Twin Bridges school is still an open discussion for housing.

Bank erosion with Frank Reid and council it continues to keep eating away at the bank and it will get into the dyke within a year or two. Rick contacted the highway department, core, and great west to address the erosion. The island will need to be addressed, and we need to Riprap the riverbank to stop the erosion.

Water/Sewer lines issues we have several sewer lines, and a water line freeze up. They had to contract a company from Helena to unfreeze the line. We need to find out utility easement, the line was dug in years ago from the property owner which is on one of the issue properties. The owner and town will need to address the issue and fix it. One property had a bow removed and will get extended to prevent the freeze.

Summer water billing, we need to have a work meeting to figure out the bills. Tuesday the 25th at 7pm will be the meeting to discuss.

Library Council member approval Councilor Scott motioned seconded by Councilor Jordan to pass the list. all in favor motion carried. All in favor motion carried.

High Peaks Credit Union Credit Card for Joe Patritti with 2000-dollar limit. A motion was made by Councilor Nolan seconded by Councilor JB. All in favor motion carried. All in favor motion carried.

Old Business:

Event ordinance permits Gathering data from other communities will have a work meeting.

Water meters was discussed as Core & Main new meters with antennas costs in comparison to Neptune. We were provided with prices by Core & Main and we have now gotten price quotes from Neptune. Master meters are not reading and the promises that were made have not been kept. Motion to draft letter to master meter to return the equipment. Will attach the continuation of this to the 25th meeting

Subdivision committee to review standards of the zoning. Work meeting needs to be had to review other counties' zoning and recruit committee members. Will await until we get more standardized information.

SCADA/Pumps/Controls-SRF Loan reviewing fail safe and verifying that it will work with our system.

Reports:

The Sheriff's report was presented.

The Madison County Planning Board Report was presented for the Growth Policy, floodplains, and subdivision regulations.

The Library Directors report discussed.

The Fire Department had minimal calls and conducted training with a live fire. Thursday the department will renew their CPR cards.

Rick was away on a training however he gave us information on Rural water is coming down to conduct training in April.

Worked on maintenance of vehicles. Water sample and DMR report are being worked on. Equipment inspections on all implements. Conducted Safety inspections IAW OSHA. The scissor lift is being repaired.

The attorney gave her an update.

Interim Mayor, Matt Greemore Continuing have been fixing problems as we find them. Matt has been trying to find someone to fill the mayor position.

The Town Clerk discussed previous minutes that need to be signed, past due bills, checks to be issued. Accounting issues are now being worked on to fix issues that have been found. Checks and paperwork have been signed. Motion to approve consent agenda by Councilor Scott, seconded by Councilor Nolan all in favor motion carried.


Consent agenda event ordinance and planning review combined working meeting.
Reaching out to the community for members to participate. Motion by Councilor
Scott seconded by Councilor JB.

The next regular meeting is scheduled for April 8, 2025.

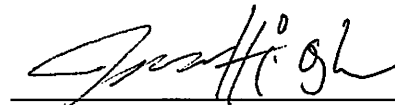
Councilor Nolan moved to adjourn Councilor Scott Seconded. All voted yes.

Meeting adjourned 09:17PM.

ATTEST:



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