

October 15, 2018

The Aurelia City Council met in regular session on October 15, 2018. Mayor Suhr called meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. with roll call as follows:

Present: Nelson, Stroud, Johnson, Baker, Suhr

Absent: Redig

Also Present: Messerole, Mark Sangwin, Brian Flikeid, Courtney Bruce & Valerie Bryant – Day Care, Steve Peterson – Aurelia Star

Northwest Iowa League of Cities meeting Thursday, October 18, 2018; King’s Pointe, Storm Lake, IA.

Nelson made motion to approve consent agenda, second by Stroud. All members present voting “aye”, motion carried.

Minutes of previous meetings
Clerk/Treasurer & Investment Reports
Bills Payable
Police Report

<u>September Revenues</u>		<u>September Disbursements</u>	
Property Taxes	30,125.45	General Fund	25,616.33
Local Option Sales Tax	8,505.62	Special Revenue	3,923.81
Licenses & Permits	80.00	Local Option Sales Tax	312.94
Use of Money & Property	1,259.91	Road Use Tax	25,869.38
Road Use Tax	15,030.43	Debt Service	0.00
State & Local Grants	2,175.00	Capital Project	0.00
Water Utility	14,342.77	Expendable Trusts	0.00
Sewer Utility	14,129.72	Water Utility	16,417.31
Sanitation	9,247.55	Sewer Utility	14,187.05
Storm Water Utility	456.04	Sanitation	8,969.59
Other Fees & Charges	0.00	Storm Water Utility	2,729.00
Special Assessments	617.32	Transfers Out	4,208.50
Miscellaneous	1,972.03	Total	102,233.91
Transfers In	4,208.50		
Total	102,150.34		

<u>October Bills Payable</u>		
ACCO	chlorine for well	159.00
Aurelia Electric	utilities	3,910.14
Aurelia Mun. Utilities	garbage collection & assessment	4,436.32
Bomgaars	contractor bags, Wieland clothing	139.98
Cardmember Service	Library books, CEU’s	1,333.85
Casey’s	fuel	449.42
Cherokee Auto Parts	tail light maroon truck	20.95
Cherokee Co. Extension	Sangwin & Wieland Pest Management	70.00
Cherokee Co. Solid Waste	contract	5,090.45
Chronicle Times	1-year subscription – Library	94.00
Clover POS	POS – CC bar	80.90

CNA	faithful honesty bond	100.00
Crescent Electric	LED bulbs	147.12
Data Technologies	annual license fee	227.30
Del's Garden Center	oak tree	359.20
Doll's Distributing	beer for CC bar	101.75
First Financial	2 months POS fees, CC bar	88.92
Garbage Hauling Service	roll off dumpster & hauling fees	1,343.14
Hy-Vee	CC bar supplies	116.11
I-State Truck Center	2006 sander/plow truck	49,050.00
IDNR	annual water use permit	134.00
IMFOA	Messerole – CMC recertification	50.00
Iowa Workforce Dev.	3 rd qtr. 2018 unemployment	42.84
Jack's Uniforms	police clothing	129.95
Johnson Brothers	beer for CC bar	56.40
Julius Cleaners	laundry & entrance mats	78.60
Messerole, Barb	mileage to meetings	180.25
MET	water, wastewater, & pool tests	523.00
MicroMarketing	library books	41.00
Mid-America Publishing	legals	288.25
MidAmerican Energy	gas utility	140.38
Northside Tire	tire repair	115.88
Nuvera	phone & internet	999.12
One Office Solution	office supplies	458.72
Plunkett's	pest control, City Hall, CC, Shop	120.05
Postmaster	postage for billing	245.25
R. J. Thomas, Mfg.	signs – beverage choices – CC bar	162.01
Steve's Window Service	clean CC windows	40.00
Sunbelt Insurance	water loss & water/sewer line protection	921.40
Treasurer, State of Iowa	3 rd qtr. 2018 sales tax	92.00
United Bank of Iowa	chg for statement – to be refunded	3.21
U S Cellular	Fire Dept. cell phone	100.07
Verizon Wireless	cell phones	301.58
Walmart	cleaning supplies	<u>112.05</u>
	TOTAL	72,654.56

Courtney Bruce & Valerie Bryant, representatives from Aurelia Day Care, appeared before Council for an annual update. Day Care currently has 69 children enrolled and several on a waiting list. After further discussion, Nelson made motion to donate \$10,000.00 to Aurelia Day Care, second by Johnson. All members present voting “aye” motion carried.

Public Works Report was reviewed. Street sweeping; planted 6 trees in park; fall lagoon discharge; picked up plow/sander truck; pumped water out of pool. Johnson requested the current “Welcome” banners come down.

- A. 417 E. 3rd Street has been demolished, total costs incurred to date \$4,669.51
- B. Sealed bids for 1988 Chevrolet Kodiak Diesel truck were opened. Bid from Tom Mummert in amount of \$3,050; and bid from Mel Kruse in amount of \$1,500. After further discussion, Nelson made motion to approve sale of 1988 Chevrolet Kodiak Diesel

truck to Tom Mummert for \$3,050; second by Baker. All members present voting “aye” motion carried.

- C. Sangwin discussed with Council cleaning approximately 15 blocks of sewer lines, spending around \$6,000. Council agreed this would be regular preventive maintenance.

Police Report was reviewed. “What You Don’t See” trailer will be in Aurelia Friday, October 19, 2018 at Aurelia School.

Baker made motion to approve **Resolution #18-16 “Fireworks Ordinance”**, and set public hearing for November 19, 2018, second by Stroud. Roll call vote “aye” Stroud, Baker, Johnson “nay” Nelson. Motion carried 3-1. Redig Absent.

Johnson made motion to approve **Resolution #18-18 “Authorizing 28E Agreement with Marcus, Iowa, Regarding Law Enforcement Services”**, second by Baker. Roll call vote “aye” Johnson, Baker, Stroud, Nelson “nay” none. Motion carried. Redig absent.

Clerks Report was reviewed.

Baker made motion to approve renewal of liquor license for Aurelia Golf Club, second by Nelson. All members present voting “aye” motion carried.

Renewal of current Wellmark Blue Cross & Blue Shield Health Insurance was discussed. After further discussion, Nelson made motion to approve renewal of Wellmark Blue Cross & Blue Shield, Plan EnhancedBlue 2000, second by Baker. All members present voting “aye” motion carried.

No Landfill report was given.

There being no further business to discuss, meeting was adjourned.

Gene Suhr, Mayor

Barb Messerole, City Clerk