

December 20, 2021

The Aurelia City Council met in regular session on December 20, 2021. Mayor Suhr called meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. with roll call as follows:

Council Members Present: Redig, Johnson, Nelson, Fassler, Baker

Council Members Absent: None

Also Present: Mark Sangwin, Dustin Wieland, Steph McSparran, Brian Flikeid, Dave Johnson, Kim Huseman, Courtney Bruce, Doug Harms

- Redig made motion to approve consent agenda, second by Fassler. Roll call vote: “aye”: Redig, Nelson, Johnson, Fassler, Baker; “nay”: none. Motion carried.

Minutes of previous meetings

Clerk/Treasurer & Investment Reports/Bills Payable

Police Report

NOVEMBER REVENUES	
Property Taxes	\$13,428.62
Other Local Option Tax	\$27,542.48
Licenses & Permits	\$390.00
Use of Money & Property	\$2,703.74
Other State Grants/Reimb	\$239.16
Road Use Tax	\$8,496.28
Water Utility	\$13,882.71
Sewer Utility	\$11,621.88
Landfill & Garbage	\$9,240.34
Storm Water Utility	\$478.00
Other Fees and Charges	
Special Assessments	\$212.80
Miscellaneous	\$962.70
TOTAL:	\$89,198.71

NOVEMBER DISBURSEMENTS	
General Fund	\$24,185.45
Road Use Tax	\$5,997.99
Special Revenues	4,010.74
Local Option Sales Tax	
Expendable Trust	
Water Utility	\$24,385.53
Sewer Utility	\$10,357.97
Sanitation Utility	\$9,640.55
TOTAL:	\$78,578.23

DECEMBER COUNCIL - NOVEMBER BILLS PAYABLE		
Aurelia Electric	utilities Nov 2021	\$3,941.71
Aurelia Star	annual subscription	\$35.00
Aurelia Utilities	garbage customers Nov 2021	\$3,828.50
Axon Enterprise	evidence storage	\$486.75
Bomgaars	clips,light,gloves,jeans,heater	\$160.23
Book Systems	annual hosting renewal	\$1,290.00
Cardmember Services	postage,books,water tablets	\$1,023.27
Cherokee Co Auditor	election fee	\$891.40
Cherokee Co Secondary Roads	blacktop services bridge on M21	\$9,270.00
Cherokee Co Solid Waste	November assessment	\$5,090.45
Classy Mini Storage	black dirt	\$327.40
Clover	December pos payment cc	\$63.49
First Coop	emergency diesel,fuel Nov	\$2,171.56
First Financial	November cc fees	\$27.85
Foundation Analytical	water/wastewater testing	\$213.50
FP Mailing Solutions	postage for meter	\$900.00

Frank Dunn	street hole patch	\$651.00
GCC Alliance Concrete	cement Main St	\$626.50
Hinkhouse Hearing	hearing tests	\$60.00
HomeServe	water loss,water/sewer line protection	\$1,027.90
HyVee	bar supplies,coffee	\$196.67
IDALS	pesticide license renewal	\$15.00
Iowa League of Cities	mayor association dues	\$30.00
Iowa Poetry Association	lyrical Iowa 2021	\$9.00
Iowa Police Chiefs Association	2022 dues	\$125.00
Jack's Uniforms	name tape, badge patch	\$17.50
Julius Cleaners	tablecloths,mats cc	\$84.85
Micro Marketing	cd cases lib	\$36.00
MidAmerican	street lighting	\$395.16
Nuvera	internet,phone Dec 2021	\$654.01
One Office Solution	paper,calendars	\$114.91
Plunkett's Pest Control	pest control cc,ch	\$121.87
Steve's Window Svc	window cleaning cc	\$45.00
Storm Lake Times	legal publications	\$520.78
USA Bluebook	hardhats,wire,gauges	\$260.64
US Cellular	cellphone fd	\$83.80
Vector	liability insurance	\$449.09
Verizon	cell phones Dec 2021	\$257.92
Walmart	office cleaning supplies	\$145.96
Wittgraf Law Firm	legal services	\$20.00
Zupke, Debra	refund cc rental	\$30.00
TOTAL:		\$35,699.67

- Police report was reviewed.
- Clerk's report was reviewed.
- Public Works Report was discussed.
- Discussed hiring different tree company's services for trees left from the tornado.
- Generator for Community Center was discussed.
- Water rate study was discussed.
- Redig made motion to approve ISG proposal, second by Baker. Roll call vote: "aye": Nelson, Baker, Fassler, Johnson, Redig; "nay": none. Motion carried.
- Nelson made motion to approve Mike's Electronics proposal, second by Johnson. Roll call vote "aye": Fassler, Nelson, Johnson, Baker, Redig; "nay": none. Motion carried.
- Redig made motion to approve bad debt write offs, second by Johnson. Roll call vote: "aye": Baker, Redig, Johnson, Fassler, Nelson; "nay": none. Motion carried.
- Budget workshop was scheduled for January 10, 2022 at 5:30 p.m.

- Motion made by Johnson to approve compensation to employees for work after the tornado, second by Baker. Roll call vote: “aye”: Johnson, Baker; “nay”: Redig, Nelson, Fassler. Motion denied.
- Discussed meeting protocol.
- Gene Suhr was sworn in as Mayor.
- New council members Courtney Bruce, Sue Johnson, Roman Redig, Brent Fassler, were sworn in.
- Landfill report was discussed.

There being no further business to discuss, meeting was adjourned at 7:50 p.m.

Gene Suhr, Mayor

Steph McSparran, City Clerk