

**MARCH 17, 2025**

The Aurelia City Council met in regular session on March 17, 2025. Mayor Weathers called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. with roll call as follows:

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

Council Members Absent: none

Also Present: Steph McSparran, Mark Sangwin, Brian Flikeid, Dustin Wieland, Kim Huseman, Michael Pertzborn, Diane Weathers, Les Todd

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

Minutes of previous meeting/Clerk/Treasurer & Investment Reports/Bills Payable

<b>FEBRUARY REVENUES</b>	
Property Tax	\$2,631.59
Local Option Sales Tax	\$12,683.00
Use of Money & Property	\$2,303.23
Road Use Tax	\$9,766.83
Water Utility	\$27,417.40
Sewer Utility	\$14,723.34
Landfill/Garbage	\$10,041.89
Storm Water Utility	\$471.00
Licenses & permits	\$55.00
Miscellaneous	\$5,769.00
Other Fees & Charges	\$600.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$86,4628.28</b>

<b>FEBRUARY DISBURSEMENTS</b>	
General Fund	\$23,735.71
Road Use	\$3,171.86
Special Revenues	\$5,682.76
Water Utility	\$10,696.41
Sewer Utility	\$4,899.38
Sanitation Utility	\$9,701.95
Expendable Trust	\$308.32
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$58,196.39</b>

<b>MARCH COUNCIL - BILLS PAYABLE</b>		
Aurelia Electric	utilities	\$3,673.90
Aurelia Utilities	garbage customers	\$4,565.50
AgState	fuel,diesel	\$579.51
AT&T Firstnet	cell phone,hotspot	\$218.78
Bomgaars	anti-freeze,supplies	\$52.41
Builders Sharpening	saw chains,parts	\$110.97
Cardmember Services	books,fuel,prime,registration	\$1,569.43
Carquest	shop supplies,fuel hose	\$48.50
Cherokee Chronicle Times	legal publications	\$96.60
Cherokee Co Solid Waste	monthly assessment	\$5,090.45
Clover	pos fees cc	\$74.79
Connor Beeck Window	window cleaning	\$50.00
Document Depot	shredding	\$24.50
Doll Distributing	beer	\$203.10
First Financial	pos fees cc	\$33.33
Foundation Analytical	water/ww testing	\$16.50
FP Mailing	postage	\$907.00
HomeServe	water,sewer loss ins	\$1,251.60

HyVee	liquor,bar supplies	\$543.75
IAMU	water member dues	\$635.00
Illinois Casualty Co	dramshop insurance bar	\$900.00
IMFOA	annual dues	\$50.00
ISG	water tower/well eng fees	\$397.00
Johnson Brothers	beer	\$113.25
Julius Cleaners	mats cleaning cc	\$55.62
Mark Sangwin	fuel	\$72.70
MidAmerican	utilities	\$619.08
Napa Auto Parts	oil filter	\$9.27
Nuvera	phone,internet svc	\$794.78
One Office	business cards	\$29.35
Plunkett's	pest control	\$227.02
North Lake Truck Repair	dumptruck repairs	\$1,047.23
Plumbing & Heating	water thread sealant	\$13.33
Storm Lake Times	legal publications	\$93.00
Tree Lancing Services	tree removal	\$1,200.00
Verizon	cell phone,hotspot	\$87.94
VisualEdge IT	copier contract	\$74.81
<b>TOTAL:</b>		<b>\$25,530.00</b>

Michael Pertzborn discussed insurance for the upcoming year. The City of Aurelia received a dividend check this year from EMC. Insurance is going up approximately 6.3%.

Redig made motion to approve insurance renewal with Stille, Pierce, & Pertzborn FY25/26, second by Bruce. All members present voting "aye". Motion carried.

Diane Weathers and Les Todd spoke about lights for down town Main St buildings. Aurelia Economic Development received a Legacy grant for \$5,000.00 for the lights. This will be tabled until it is presented to the Utility Board.

Cody Galvin was absent. Denny Weathers and Les Todd talked about pickleball courts costs and upkeep. The subject was tabled until next month's regular council meeting.

Public Works Report was given.

Redig made motion for Honeysuckle Lane sewer main extension, second by Fassler. All members present voting "aye". Motion carried.

Police report was given.

Clerks report was given.

Redig made motion to approve Resolution 25-04 "**Resolution Setting Time and Place for a Public Hearing to Sell Real Estate in Aurelia, Iowa**", second by Bruce. All members present voting "aye". Motion carried.

Lifeguard applications were tabled until March 24 special council meeting.

Redig made motion to keep current pricing at the pool for the 2025 season, second by Bruce. All members present voting "aye". Motion approved.

Nelson made motion to approve a family pool pass for the Aurelia Daycare Fundraiser, second by Johnson. All members present voting "aye". Abstained: Bruce.

Landfill report was given.

There being no further business to discuss, meeting was adjourned at 8:35 p.m.

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Dennis Weathers, Mayor

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Stephanie McSparran, City Clerk