

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

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

Council Members Absent: none

Also Present: Steph McSparran, Brian Flikeid, Dustin Wieland, Mark Sangwin, Jackie Bleil, Kim Huseman, Carrissa Harvey

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

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

NOVEMBER REVENUES		NOVEMBER DISBURSEMENTS	
Property Tax	\$184,762.54	General Fund	\$29,452.88
Local Option Sales Tax	\$14,950.96	Road Use	\$3,116.55
Use of Money & Property	\$629.00	Special Revenues	\$5,892.48
Road Use Tax	\$10,813.71	Water Utility	\$6,433.11
Water Utility	\$27,800.40	Sewer Utility	\$5,993.80
Sewer Utility	\$15,630.20	Sanitation Utility	\$9,770.95
Landfill/Garbage	\$10,117.64	Local Option Sales Tax	\$4,084.66
Storm Water Utility	\$474.00	Water Bond Sinking	\$508,314.06
Licenses & permits	\$40.00		
Miscellaneous	\$291.50		
Other Grants/Reimburse	\$2,209.67	TOTAL	\$573,058.49
Insurance Settlements	-\$58,745.00		
TOTAL	\$208,974.62		

NOVEMBER COUNCIL - BILLS PAYABLE		
Aurelia Electric	utilities	\$2,428.87
Aurelia Utilities	garbage customers	\$4,692.00
Aurelia Lumber Co	shingles,silicone	\$357.89
AgState	fuel,diesel	\$403.39
AJS	battery dump truck	\$362.78
Ame's Auto Body	deer accident repairs	\$450.00
AT&T Firstnet	cell phone,hotspot	\$260.11
Arnold Motor	air,fuel,oil filters,auto supplies	\$308.88
Blacktop Service	water leak street patch	\$500.00
Bomgaars	wrench,spade,tools	\$129.54
Builders Sharpening	equipment rental	\$225.00
C&B Operations	payloader oil filter	\$28.01
Cardmember Services	books,fuel,postage	\$921.59
Cherokee Chronicle Times	legal publications	\$411.71
Cherokee Co Solid Waste	monthly assessment	\$5,090.45
City of Menville	code enforcer fees	\$931.83

Clover	pos fees cc	\$112.24
Connor Beeck Window	window cleaning	\$100.00
Crary Huff	legal fees	\$2,682.34
Del's Garden Center	trees	\$2,484.60
Deer Valley Mechanical	sewer extension Honeysuckle	\$3,457.03
Door Pro	install fire station door	\$1,000.00
First Financial	pos fees cc	\$27.85
Foundation Analytical	water/ww testing	\$104.50
FP Mailing	postage	\$907.00
Gworks	annual licnse and support FY2027	\$4,800.00
Hallett Materials	road gravel	\$227.67
HomeServe	water,sewer loss ins	\$1,244.00
IDALS	cert renewal	\$15.00
Iowa One Call	locates	\$63.00
Iowa Rural Water Assoctn	annual membership	\$315.00
Julius Cleaners	mats cleaning	\$111.24
MidAmerican	utilities	\$118.92
MLS Landscaping	seed ditch	\$1,500.00
Northwest Fire	annual inspection	\$70.00
Nuvera	phone,internet svc	\$777.51
Old Dominion Brush	street sweeper brushes	\$553.87
One Office	office supplies	\$109.73
Plumbing & Heating Wholesale	water main break supplies	\$228.16
Power Solutions	security system repair	\$114.00
Royal Publishing	state track ad	\$200.00
SCE	shear ring sewer	\$156.75
Simmering Cory	cds codifiction	\$8.00
Steph McSparran	mileage Des Moines	\$173.50
Stryker Sales	electrode replacement defibrilators	\$184.00
Subsurface Solutions	GPS maps annual subscription	\$221.00
True North	fire fighters AD&D renewal	\$332.50
US Dept of Treasury	reimbursement slfrf	\$478.99
Utility Equipment	water repair parts	\$2,614.18
Van Wert	install software	\$100.00
Verizon	cell phone,hotspot	\$76.96
VisualEdge IT	copier contract	\$62.21
TOTAL:		\$43,233.80

Nelson made motion to open public hearing Ordinance 717 ***“An Ordinance Amending the Code of Ordinances of the City of Aurelia, Iowa, by Amending Chapter 92 “Water Rates” Aurelia, Iowa”***, second by Bruce. All members present voting “aye”. Motion carried.

Carrissa Harvey spoke about Hometown Pride. MidAmerican Trees Please Grant Program was discussed and the council agreed to go ahead with the project. Carissa will update next month.

Fassler made motion to approve Haselhoff Construction payment application #3 in the amount of \$332,382.79, second by Johnson. All members voting “aye”. Motion carried.

Public works report was given.

Police report was given.

Clerk report was given.

Employee health insurance renewal was tabled until December 15 council meeting.

Nelson made motion to close public hearing Ordinance 717 ***“An Ordinance Amending the Code of Ordinances of the City of Aurelia, Iowa, by Amending Chapter 92 “Water Rates” Aurelia, Iowa”***, second by Fassler. All members present voting “aye”. Motion carried.

Nelson made motion to approve first reading Ordinance 717 ***“An Ordinance Amending the Code of Ordinances of the City of Aurelia, Iowa, by Amending Chapter 92 “Water Rates” Aurelia, Iowa”***, second by Bruce. All members present voting “aye”. Motion carried.

Nelson made motion to waive 2nd and 3rd readings Ordinance 717 ***“An Ordinance Amending the Code of Ordinances of the City of Aurelia, Iowa, by Amending Chapter 92 “Water Rates” Aurelia, Iowa”***, second by Johnson. All members present voting “aye”. Motion carried.

Bruce made motion to approve water tower and well project bond counsel services contract with Dorsey and Whitney in the amount of \$35,000.00, second by Fassler. All members voting “aye”. Motion carried.

Fassler made motion to approve Resolution 25-15 ***“Resolution to fix a date for a public hearing on proposal to enter into a Water Revenue Loan and Disbursement Agreement and to borrow money thereunder in a principal amount not to exceed \$601,300”*** second by Bruce. All members present voting “aye”. Motion carried.

Fassler made motion to approve Aurelia Electric budget, second by Johnson. All members present voting “aye”. Motion carried.

Resolution 25-16 ***“Resolution Setting Time and Place for a Public Hearing to Sell Real Estate in Aurelia, Iowa”*** was tabled until December 15 meeting.

Roman Redig was sworn in as Mayor.

Sue Johnson and Brent Fassler were sworn in as Council Members.

Landfill report was given.

There being no further business to discuss, meeting was adjourned at 7:59 p.m.

Roman Redig, Mayor Pro-Tem

Stephanie McSparran, City Clerk