

Regular Meeting
March 10, 2025
7:00 p.m.

CALL TO ORDER: Mayor Pat Showalter called the Council meeting to order at 7:03 p.m. with Council members present, Scott Corsair, Jeff Werth, Mike Tyrell, and Cindy Fuentes-Ummel. Others present were City Superintendent Richard Hall and City Clerk Debbie LeDoux. Council member Bev Hall was absent.

COMMUNICATIONS: Communications were presented and acknowledged.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Cindy Fuentes-Ummel moved to approve the minutes as presented, seconded by Jeff Werth. Motion carried unanimously.

OLD BUSINESS: 1. The street project was discussed. Work will begin this week on Bellevue between Austin and Foos Ave.
2. The gas company has received the go ahead from the corporate office to proceed with lowering the gas lines that were discussed at the last meeting. Contractors are in town and work is beginning and will be able to proceed in concert with the street project.
3. City Cleanup is scheduled for April 25. Mitch's Trash Service, Ness County Road & Bridge, GBTA, Lane-Scott and H-D Oilfield will again be assisting.

NEW BUSINESS: 1. AdamsBrown will be doing a full audit of the City accounts. An accountant will be on-site on March 20 to go through documents with Debbie. Council authorized Debbie to sign the agreement letter and send it back to AdamsBrown.
2. A request was received from the railroad to have the City of Bazine provide financial assistance with repairs of railroad crossing on Main Street. An estimate of costs has not been received, but the Council does not foresee agreeing to providing any assistance as funds are not available due to the Street and Sewer Improvement project.

VOUCHERS: Scott Corsair moved to approve vouchers with the addition of check #9878 for \$133,735.39 to Morgan Brothers Construction. Cindy Fuentes-Ummel seconded. Motion carried unanimously.

ADJOURNMENT: At 8:50 p.m., Jeff Werth moved to adjourn the meeting. Cindy Fuentes-Ummel seconded. Motion carried unanimously.