

JUNCTION TOWN BOARD
MONDAY JULY 11, 2022
JUNCTION TOWN OFFICE
6:30 P.M.

PRESENT: Mayor Greg Pearson
Councilman Sherm Buck
Councilman Coy Morrison
Councilmember Jodi Hurdsman
Councilmember Lori Taylor
Town Clerk – Teresa M Pearson
Town Resident – Shane Morrison
Tyson Jewks – Ensign Engineering

Mayor Greg Pearson called the meeting to order at 6:32 P.M.

Minutes for the June 2022 meeting were reviewed.

MOTION: Made by Councilman Sherm Buck to accept the minutes.
SECONDED: Councilmember Jodi Hurdsman
VOTE UNANIMOUS

Councilman Sherm Buck wanted to discuss the drag races that are scheduled. The clerk stated that the races cannot be discussed because she was not contacted about putting it on the agenda. He was under the impression that he did not need to contact the board because he is over the airport and stated that the clerk is changing the rules.

Time was turned to Tyson Jewks to report on the water project. He stated that there was nothing new with the environmental study. The papers with GEM have all been docu-signed. The state will need to see a stamped set and will compare on what to design for the new tank. The information and packets are ready to go to bid as soon as things get all finished up. Once the environmental study is signed and passed and the Division of Drinking water signs off it will run in the newspaper for a couple of weeks. Then they will open bids here at the Junction Town hall by request of the Town Board. Tyson will get the overall maps done and bring to the next meeting.

The tablet for the new radio read meters would not work so he is getting a new tablet.

Councilman Sherm Buck discussed the cemetery. He was wondering about not flying the flag at all times because it tears easily. Councilmember Jodi Hurdsman will get him the dates of when the flag should be put up and not have it up all the time since it is not lit up.

Councilman Sherm Buck then reported on the airport. He stated that he cannot get a hold of Ryan Savage with Savage Surveying for the crack seal at the airport. The funding from Piute Special Service District was a concern but Mayor Greg Pearson will talk to them about it. Tyson Jewks stated that he would be able to contact the state about it and see what information he can get.

Councilmember Lori Taylor reported on the park. She was approached by Toni Jensen to remove the weeds and grass in front of the restrooms and add gravel. This would be on both sides of the building.

MOTION: Made by Councilman Sherm Buck to approve the rock on both sides of the restrooms at the park.

SECONDED: Councilmember Lori Taylor

VOTE UNANIMOUS

There is a section of land up in the flat that is being used as a dump site. This is considered private property. The town will get a hold of the property owner and let them know but will also put up a no dumping sign.

Mayor Greg Pearson reported on the water. He stated that it is running at 40 gallons per minute. The vent outlet at first crossing was turned but it is fixed now. The overdue water bills were discussed. The clerk will send letters to those on the list and a disconnect notice.

Mayor Pearson then reported on the fire department. He stated that there are some big fires in the state.

Councilmember Jodi Hurdsmann reported on the 4th of July celebration. She stated that the numbers were smaller this year but a profit was made.

Councilman Coy Morrison reported on the roads. He stated that the road by the water leak on 100 North will need to be patched. He was wondering if the weed sprayer truck was fixed to get the weeds along the roads in town sprayed.

Current Building Permits were discussed. The Soffe property would like to get power to their place. They plans were submitted to the Planning and Zoning Committee and passed off by them.

MOTION: Made by Councilman Coy Morrison to approve the Soffe's for power.

SECONDED: Councilman Sherm Buck

VOTE UNANIMOUS

Town Clean-up was discussed. It will be July 16th by appointment. The clerk will get a flyer hung up reminding town residents to sign up.

The curb strip on Main Street was discussed. Mayor Greg Pearson will check with the UDOT person in Town and report on it next month.

Water fees were a concern. The board needs to figure something out because the water fund is not showing a profit. We need to recover some costs. Members were to look into some options and report on them next month.

The grader tire still needs to be fixed. Councilman Coy Morrison will take it off and Councilman Sherm Buck will take it down to get fixed.

The financial statement and bank statement for the month of June were available for review.

ORDER: Claims were available for the July payroll and accounts payable which goes from Check # 11617 to Check # 11648.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:56 P.M. by Mayor Greg Pearson.

MOTION: Made by Councilman Sherm Buck to adjourn the meeting.
SECONDED: Councilmember Jodi Hurdsmen
VOTE UNANIMOUS

ATTEST: Greg Pearson
Mayor Greg Pearson

ATTEST: Teresa M Pearson
Clerk – Teresa M. Pearson