

Barrett City Council Meeting Minutes
Monday, January 13, 2025
5:00 p.m.
Barrett City Office

Present: Mayor-Michelle Jenson; Council-Aaron Ray, Katie Hauglie, Susie Sieben, Mike Moss; Clerk/Treasurer-Marita Rhude; Guests-Shawn Riley

Absent: Public Works Superintendent-Jason Wendt

Mayor Jenson called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m.

The Oath of Office was taken to Mayor Michelle Jenson and Councilmembers Susie Sieben and Mike Moss.

Ray made a motion to approve the agenda as presented, seconded by Moss. MCU

Sieben made a motion to approve the December 9, 2024, regular city council meeting minutes, seconded by Hauglie. MCU

Hauglie made a motion to approve the annual appointments: Justin Anderson for City Attorney, Star Bank as Official Depository, Grant County Herald as Official Newspaper, Sieben as Deputy Mayor, Ray as Deputy Clerk/Treasurer, Jenson and Hauglie as check signers, Jenson, and Hauglie as personnel committee, seconded by Moss. MCU

Sieben made a motion to set the regular council meeting date as the second Monday of the month at 5:00 p.m. with the next legal business day as the alternative date if the 2nd Monday falls on a legal holiday, seconded by Ray. MCU

The council discussed snow removal on private sidewalks within town.

Sieben made a motion to approve the Pay Equity Report as presented, seconded by Moss. MCU

Hauglie made a motion to approve a 3-year contract with the Grant County Sheriff's Department for 2025-\$43,813.09. The agreement will remain open for negotiation for the years 2026 and 2027 not to exceed a 3% increase, seconded by Sieben. MCU

Sieben made a motion to pay bills in the amount of \$28,022.54, Check #20476 to Check #20507, seconded by Moss. MCU

Ray made a motion to adjourn at 5:16 p.m., seconded by Moss. MCU

Respectfully Submitted: _____ Marita Rhude, Clerk/Treasurer

Approved by: _____ Michelle Jenson, Mayor