

City Council Meeting Minutes – January 15, 2025

1. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Sergio Orozco called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. in Council Chambers.

Council Present- Matthew Schuh, Mike Bjornstad, Jackie Hentges, Paul Anson, and Esiquio “Zeke” Martinez.

Staff Present- Sergio Orozco, Mayor; Matt West, Public Works Lead; and Ariana Cruz, Deputy Clerk.

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Mayor led the Flag Salute.

3. AGENDA CHANGES

Presentation by the Brewster, Bridgeport and Pateros Senior Center.

Motion- Accept the agenda as amended adding the Brewster, Bridgeport and Pateros Senior Center presentation.

Motion/Schuh; Second/Hentges; Approved/5:0

4. PUBLIC COMMENT

Leslie Robb presented a project proposal for Berryman Park. They would like to put a plaque for historical significance. The friends of the library would pay for it, with guidance from the city to complete this project.

5. PRESENTATIONS

- a. Brewster, Bridgeport and Pateros Senior Center – Klair Wilks, President for the senior center presented what the senior center does and would like to see the City of Bridgeport consider entering into an agreement with them to support the center.

6. CONSENT AGENDA

- a. Meeting Minutes; December 18, 2024
- b. Voucher Approval

Vouchers Presented	Check #s	Amount
12/31/24 Payroll Checks	15643 – 15666	\$ 20,117.59
12/31/24 Payroll EFTs		\$ 18,835.41
December 2024 EFTs		\$ 8,645.98
January 2025 EFTs		\$ 9,928.65
December 2024 Vouchers	15641 & 15642	\$ 225.00
December Open Period 2024	15694 - 15706	\$ 43,183.32
January 2025 Vouchers	15667 - 15693	\$ 217,720.36
	Total	\$ 318,656.31

Motion- Accept the Consent Agenda, as presented.

Motion/Schuh; Second/Hentges; Approved/5:0

7. REPORTS

a. Committee Reports

- Finance & Personnel- Hentges & Schuh
Nothing to currently report.
- Parks & Public Works- Bjornstad & Anson
Nothing to currently report.
- Fire & EMS- Martinez
Reported fire trucks will be having maintenance done in Omak by PRO-Tech. Rescue rig is turning on a lot easier since being plugged in.

b. Staff Reports

- Public Works-
Update to cameras at parks and recycle center, currently working with Douglas County PUD and LocalTel. In the works with Mid Valley pest control on tree carvings.
- Clerk/Treasurer-
Waterworth is in motion, getting data and information over to the team to start using the system, have another meeting with them January 29th. Cross training has begun for the office for 2025.
- Mayor-
None
- Bridgeport School Student Representative- Not present.

8. DISCUSSION

a. Real Property Surplus

Minor Discussion – Property located on Foster Creek Ave was discussed. Mayor Orozco will be working with a listing agent to get an estimate of the value for property, as this will be discussed at the next meeting. Potentially an executive meeting to discuss in depth.

b. Bridgeport Municipal Code 8.10, Nuisance Table

c. Block wall fencing and retaining walls Table

9. ACTION ITEMS

a. Teamster Contract

Motion- Approve the Teamster Contract as presented.

Motion/Schuh; Second/Hentges; Discussion/None; Approved/5:0

b. Ordinance 25-01, HRA (VEBA)

Motion- Approve Ordinance 25-01, 2025 HRA (VEBA) as presented.

Motion/Schuh; Second/Hentges; Discussion/None; Approved/5:0

c. G&O General Services, Supplemental #9

Motion- Approve G&O General Services, Supplemental #9 as presented.

Motion/Hentges; Second/Bjornstad; Discussion/Yes; Approved/5:0

d. G&O- TIB crack seal supplement

Motion- Approve G&O- TIB crack seal supplement as presented.

Motion/Schuh; Second/Hentges; Discussion/Yes; Approved/5:0

e. VEBA contact

Motion- Approve VEBA contract as presented.

Motion/Schuh; Second/Hentges; Discussion/None; Approved/5:0

10. COUNCIL COMMENTS

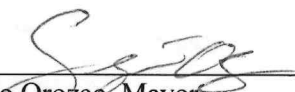
Council member Schuh will be in Las Vegas attending the AWC AGRiP conference in March.

11. ADJOURNMENT

Motion- Move to adjourn meeting at 8:10 p.m.

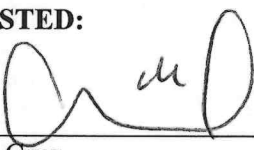
Motion/Schuh; Second/Bjornstad; Discussion/None; Approved/5:0

APPROVED:



Sergio Orozco, Mayor

ATTESTED:



Ariana Cruz
Deputy Clerk