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On Monday September 25, 2023, at 7:00 p.m. Mayor Ralph Kingan led the Pledge of Allegiance and called the regular Town Council meeting to order with the following being present, Mayor Ralph Kingan, Councilman Doug Schrader, Councilman Justin Robb, Councilman Michael Phipps, Councilman Jason Lembke and Clerk/Treasurer Barbara Craig. **CONSENT AGENDA:** Councilman Schrader made a motion to approve the Consent Agenda. Items approved under the Consent Agenda include the regular meeting minutes conducted on September 11, 2023. Approval of Vouchers in the amount of \$65,316.15 including payroll. Councilman Phipps seconded the motion. Motion carried with all ayes. **DISCUSSION:** Patricia Neeley the Athletic Director of the Wright JR/SR High School discussed with the Town Council sponsorship for the Wright Boys and Girls Coal Miners Classic to be held December 8-9, 2023, in Wright. Cora Wright talked about wanting yearly memberships for the Ag Complex, council will check into this. Attorney Rick Erb discussed contracts for long term users at the Wright Community Center and Multipurpose buildings, talked about the training and roles of elected officials. **REPORTS:** Noah Messick with HDR gave an update on the Chip Seal project and the Town Hall generator and Old Ropers Club, Oct 30, 2023, for retainage to Bituminous Paving. Chris Roemmich, Maintenance Superintendent, gave the Public Works report. **Approval of Vouchers including payroll is as follows:** Arizona Machinery, LLC-2023 john deere/snow blade-41,925.00; Black Hills Energy-gas for town buildings-632.57; Cinderella Service, LLC-cleaning contract/town hall cleaning-2,090.68; HDR Engineering-town generator/chip seal project/old ropers club -4,253.75; Nate Schelling-golf pro retainer-1,620.00; Powder River Energy Corp-town electricity-11,157.00; Premier Map Company-maps-380.00; Richard Erb Jr, P.C.-attorney/town/court-3,257.15. Payroll-8/28/23-9/10/23-13,313.91; Payroll Taxes 8/28/23-9/10/23-4,083.23; AFLAC-1,171.56. Empower Trust- Great West-Annuity-employee retirement-1,311.19; Guardian- 105.24; VSP-94.33. **MAYOR'S COMMENTS:** None. **CONFLICT CLAIMS:** None. **CITIZEN COMMENTS:** None. **WRITTEN COMMENTS:** None. **CONTRACTS:** None. **APPOINTMENTS:** None. **UNFINISHED BUSINESS:** None. **NEW BUSINESS:** Councilman Robb made a motion to approve advertising for the Boys and Girls Basketball Tournament in the amount of \$2,000.00 to be held December 8-9, 2023, at the Wright Junior Senior High School. Councilman Schrader seconded the motion. Councilman Lembke abstained. Motion carried with ayes from Councilman Phipps and Mayor Kingan. Request to approve the first reading of Ordinance 2023-06. Councilman Schrader made a motion to approve the first reading, Councilman Phipps seconded the motion. Motion carried with all ayes. **ANNOUNCEMENTS:** The Town Hall and all Town Facilities will be closed Monday October 9, 2023, for Columbus Day. The next Town Council meeting will be held October 10, 2023. **ADJOURNMENT:** With no further business Mayor Ralph Kingan adjourned the meeting at 7:57 pm.

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TOWN OF WRIGHT, a Municipal Corporation

Mayor, Ralph Kingan

ATTEST:

Clerk/Treasurer, Barbara Craig