

**BRIDGER TOWN COUNCIL MINUTES FOR A REGULAR MEETING
HELD ON JULY 10, 2018**

The July 10, 2018 meeting of the Bridger Town Council was held at 108 South D Street in Bridger. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited, and the meeting was called to order by Mayor Shultz at 7:00 pm. Council members present were George "Butch" Wilm, Shala Cullum, Mark DeRudder and Doug Asbury. Others present were: Scott Boggio, Dana Zier, Delphine Coon, Eva Havens, Judge Bert Kraft, Attorney Hope Freeman, Chief Mike Buechler, Public Works Director Tim Goldsberry and Clerk Kirstin Sweet.

The first item on the agenda was public comment. Scott Boggio spoke to the council regarding his run for Carbon County Commissioner. Clerk Sweet informed the council that John Smith wanted to be present to comment on the PRCA Rodeos but was unable to attend. Clerk Sweet passed along the information. Mr. Smith was happy with the way the four rodeos went and would like to come back next year. He has some suggestions of ways to improve the rodeo grounds and would like to help with that process.

Next on the agenda was the approval of the minutes from the June regular meeting. Councilman DeRudder motioned to approve the minutes with the correction to Councilman Wilm's name. The motion was seconded by Councilman Cullum. The motion carried with the votes as follows: Councilman Wilm – aye, Councilwoman Cullum – aye, Councilman DeRudder – aye and Councilman Asbury – aye.

The next item of business was the approval of claims. The department heads answered questions regarding claims. Councilwoman Cullum moved to approve the claims with the associated check numbers #31381 to #31428. Also, electronic checks # -98463 to # -98458. The motion was seconded by Councilman DeRudder. The motion carried with the votes as follows: Councilman Wilm – aye, Councilwoman Cullum – aye, Councilman DeRudder – aye and Councilman Asbury – aye.

The next item was the Payroll Summary. Councilwoman Cullum motioned to approve the Payroll Summary including check numbers #31341 to #31349 and #31355 to #31380. Also, electronic checks # -87676 to # -87640. The motion was seconded by Councilman Wilm. The motion carried with the votes as follows: Councilman Wilm – aye, Councilwoman Cullum – aye, Councilman DeRudder – aye and Councilman Asbury – aye.

Committee reports was the next item on the agenda. No committee reports.

Correspondence was the next agenda item. A letter from Lovetta Lee was read by Mayor Shultz. Some discussion was had regarding abandoned property.

Next on the agenda was zoning applications. One application was submitted after the deadline for the agenda but Clerk Sweet asked the council to look at it and be sure that it was submitted in error. The council agreed that it was only replacement of an existing item thus no zoning application was needed. The first application was from Pastor Craig Lundvall for a fence at 116 S C St. The Mayor read the application, the council reviewed. A motion to approve was made by Councilwoman Cullum, seconded by Councilman Asbury. The motion carried with the votes as follows: Councilman Wilm – aye, Councilwoman Cullum – aye, Councilman DeRudder – aye and Councilman Asbury – aye. The second application was from Glen Stamm for a carport at 201 N D St. The Mayor read the application and the council reviewed. A motion to approve was made by Councilman Wilm, seconded by Councilman DeRudder. The motion carried with the votes as follows: Councilman Wilm – aye, Councilwoman Cullum – aye, Councilman DeRudder – aye and Councilman Asbury – aye. The third was from Phil Lambert for a new house on S 2nd St, address to be determined. The Mayor read the application and the council reviewed. A motion to approve was made by Councilman DeRudder, seconded by Councilwoman Cullum. The motion carried with the votes as follows: Councilman Wilm – aye, Councilwoman Cullum – aye, Councilman DeRudder – aye and Councilman Asbury – aye.

Next on the agenda was special events applications. The first was from Jim Bridger Days Committee for July 20 – 21, 2018. Mayor Shultz read the application and the council reviewed. Discussion regarding security was had. The Bridger Police Department will provide security, not the Sheriff's department. Motion to approve the application, with the modification to waive the no smoking law from 9 pm to 2 am, was made by Councilwoman Cullum. The motion was seconded by Councilman DeRudder. The motion carried with the votes as follows: Councilman Wilm – aye, Councilwoman Cullum – aye, Councilman DeRudder – aye and Councilman Asbury – aye. The second application was also from Jim Bridger Days Committee for August 18, 2018. The Mayor read the application and the council reviewed and discussed. A motion to approve the application, with modification of removing the no smoking ban from 9 pm to 2 am, was made by Councilwoman Cullum, seconded by Councilman Wilm. The motion carried with the votes as follows: Councilman Wilm – aye, Councilwoman Cullum – aye, Councilman DeRudder – aye and Councilman Asbury – aye. The third application was from Becky Harper for a party at the Civic Center. Mayor Shultz read the application and the council reviewed and discussed.

Mayor Shultz marked the proof of insurance box as that would be required for the event. A motion to approve the application with amendments was made by Councilwoman Cullum, seconded by Councilman DeRudder. The motion carried with the votes as follows: Councilman Wilm – aye, Councilwoman Cullum – aye, Councilman DeRudder – aye and Councilman Asbury – aye.

Wells Fargo Stage Coach cabin location was next on the agenda. Dana Zier was present to discuss the relocation of the Wells Fargo Stage Coach building. It is within a house on S 2nd Street right now but needs relocated due the house being torn down. Mrs. Zier would like to place it in Veteran Park. The building would be given to the Town. Motion to allow the placement of the building in Veterans park at a location to be determined by the Public Works Department was made by Councilman Wilm, seconded by Councilwoman Cullum. The motion carried with the votes as follows: Councilman Wilm – aye, Councilwoman Cullum – aye, Councilman DeRudder – aye and Councilman Asbury – aye.

Next Dana Zier spoke to the council regarding the irrigation ditch that runs through Jim Bridger Park. Zier's would like to put underground pipe in place of the open ditch. Zier's would buy the pipe to be put underground if the town would install it for them. Discussion was had regarding the Town doing the work when it is the ditch owners responsibility to pay for and install the pipe. The council informed Zier's that they would need to do the work themselves and replace or repair any affected Town property.

Next was the 2nd reading of Ordinance #37 Zoning 080. Attorney Freeman read the ordinance. Motion to approve the second reading was made by Councilman DeRudder, seconded by Councilman Asbury. The motion carried with the votes as follows: Councilman Wilm – aye, Councilwoman Cullum – aye, Councilman DeRudder – aye and Councilman Asbury – aye.

Next was the 2nd reading of Ordinance #38 Zoning 100. Attorney Freeman read the ordinance. Motion to approve the second reading was made by Councilwoman Cullum, seconded by Councilman Wilm. The motion carried with the votes as follows: Councilman Wilm – aye, Councilwoman Cullum – aye, Councilman DeRudder – aye and Councilman Asbury – aye.

Next was the 2nd reading of Ordinance #39 Zoning 110. Attorney Freeman read the ordinance. Motion to approve the second reading was made by Councilman DeRudder, seconded by Councilman Wilm. The motion carried with the votes as follows: Councilman Wilm – aye, Councilwoman Cullum – aye, Councilman DeRudder – aye and Councilman Asbury – aye.

Next was the 2nd reading of Ordinance #40 Zoning 120. Attorney Freeman read the ordinance. Motion to approve the second reading was made by Councilwoman Cullum, seconded by Councilman Wilm. The motion carried with the votes as follows: Councilman Wilm – aye, Councilwoman Cullum – aye, Councilman DeRudder – aye and Councilman Asbury – aye.

Next was the 2nd reading of Ordinance #41 Zoning 130. Attorney Freeman read the ordinance. Motion to approve the second reading with changes of officer to administrator was made by Councilman DeRudder, seconded by Councilwoman Cullum. The motion carried with the votes as follows: Councilman Wilm – aye, Councilwoman Cullum – aye, Councilman DeRudder – aye and Councilman Asbury – aye.

Next was the 2nd reading of Ordinance #42 Zoning 140. Attorney Freeman read the ordinance. Motion to approve the second reading was made by Councilman Asbury, seconded by Councilman DeRudder. The motion carried with the votes as follows: Councilman Wilm – aye, Councilwoman Cullum – aye, Councilman DeRudder – aye and Councilman Asbury – aye.

Next was the 2nd reading of Ordinance #43 Zoning 150. Attorney Freeman read the ordinance. Motion to approve the second reading was made by Councilwoman Cullum, seconded by Councilman Wilm. The motion carried with the votes as follows: Councilman Wilm – aye, Councilwoman Cullum – aye, Councilman DeRudder – aye and Councilman Asbury – aye.

Next was the 2nd reading of Ordinance #44 Zoning 155. Attorney Freeman read the ordinance. Motion to approve the second reading was made by Councilman Asbury, seconded by Councilman DeRudder. The motion carried with the votes as follows: Councilman Wilm – aye, Councilwoman Cullum – aye, Councilman DeRudder – aye and Councilman Asbury – aye.

Next was the 2nd reading of Ordinance #45 Zoning 160. Attorney Freeman read the ordinance. Motion to approve the second reading was made by Councilman Wilm, seconded by Councilwoman Cullum. The motion carried with the votes as follows: Councilman Wilm – aye, Councilwoman Cullum – aye, Councilman DeRudder – aye and Councilman Asbury – aye.

Next was the 2nd reading of Ordinance #46 Zoning 170. Attorney Freeman read the ordinance. Motion to approve the second reading was made by Councilman DeRudder, seconded by Councilman DeRudder. The motion carried with the votes as follows: Councilman Wilm – aye, Councilwoman Cullum – aye, Councilman DeRudder – aye and Councilman Asbury – aye.

Next was the 2nd reading of Ordinance #47 Zoning 175. Attorney Freeman read the ordinance. Motion to approve the second reading was made by Councilwoman Cullum, seconded by Councilman Wilm. The motion carried with the votes as follows: Councilman Wilm – aye, Councilwoman Cullum – aye, Councilman DeRudder – aye and Councilman Asbury – aye.

Next was the 2nd reading of Ordinance #48 Zoning 180. Attorney Freeman read the ordinance. Motion to approve the second reading was made by Councilman Asbury, seconded by Councilman DeRudder. The motion carried with the votes as follows: Councilman Wilm – aye, Councilwoman Cullum – aye, Councilman DeRudder – aye and Councilman Asbury – aye.

Next was the 1st reading of Ordinance #49 an Ordinance Amending Ordinance #36. Attorney Freeman read the ordinance. Motion to approve the first reading was made by Councilman Asbury, seconded by Councilwoman Cullum. The motion carried with the votes as follows: Councilman Wilm – aye, Councilwoman Cullum – aye, Councilman DeRudder – aye and Councilman Asbury – aye.

Attorney Freeman explained to the council that ordinance 12.12 Encroachments is not being enforced. If we are not going to enforce this ordinance, then we should repeal it. If we want to repeal this or change it, we should have a public hearing. Discussion was had regarding signs in the public right away whose authority to remove them.

Judge Kraft presented his stats for the month of June.

Library Director Zentner was not present.

PWD Goldsberry had nothing to report.

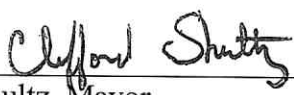
Chief Buechler presented stats for the month of June.

Clerk Sweet had nothing to report.

Mayor Shultz reported that we received the bids for Broadway Ave resurfacing. They will be reviewed and decisions will be made.

There being no further business Councilwoman Cullum motioned to adjourn. The motion was seconded by Councilman Asbury. The motion carried with the votes as follows: Councilman Wilm – aye, Councilwoman Cullum – aye, Councilman DeRudder – aye and Councilman Asbury – aye. Meeting adjourned at 9:18pm.

ATTEST:


Cliff Shultz, Mayor


Kirstin Sweet, Town Clerk

