

**BRIDGER TOWN COUNCIL MINUTES FOR A REGULAR MEETING  
HELD ON JUNE 1, 2021**

The June 1, 2021 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 Dustin Taylor, Shala Cullum (via phone), Mark DeRudder and Doug Asbury. Others present were Craig Lundvall, KC Hickock, Library Director Krystal Zentner, Attorney Ray Kuntz, Police Chief Mike Buechler, Public Works Director Randy Novakovich and Clerk Kirstin Sweet.

The first item on the agenda was public comment. It was brought up that the Jim Bridger Days Derby and Truck Pulls failed to turn in an application for their special event. Clerk Sweet informed the council that she had spoken with the coordinators of those events and that they will be on the agenda for July. At that time the council can choose to waive the "2 meetings before the event" rule to allow the event on shorter notice.

Next on the agenda was the approval of the minutes from the May 4, 2021 regular meeting, the May 4 public hearing and the May 11 public hearing for a change of use application. Councilman DeRudder motioned to approve all three sets of minutes. The motion was seconded by Councilman Taylor. The motion carried with the votes as follows: Councilman Taylor – 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 the claims. Councilman Asbury made a motion to approve the claims including check #33193 to #33228. Also, electronic checks #-98286 to #-98283. The motion was seconded by Councilman Taylor. The motion carried with the votes as follows: – aye, Councilwoman Cullum – aye, Councilman DeRudder – aye and Councilman Asbury – aye. Councilman Taylor

Next on the agenda was the Payroll Summary. Councilman DeRudder motioned to approve the payroll summary including check #33189 to #33192. Also, electronic checks #-86599 to #-86569. Councilman Asbury seconded the motion. The motion carried with the votes as follows: Councilman Taylor – aye, Councilwoman Cullum – aye, Councilman DeRudder – aye and Councilman Asbury – aye.

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

The next item on the agenda was special events applications. There were two applications. The first was for Bridger Youth Rodeo for a rodeo on July 10, 2021. Mayor Shultz read the application. A motion to approve the application was made by Councilman Asbury, seconded by Councilman DeRudder. The motion carried with the votes as follows: Councilman Taylor – aye, Councilwoman Cullum – aye, Councilman DeRudder – aye and Councilman Asbury – aye. The second application was from the Jim Bridger Days Committee for the annual celebration on July 16-18, 2021. Mayor Shultz read the application. A motion to approve the application was made by Councilman Taylor, seconded by Councilman DeRudder. The motion carried with the votes as follows: Councilman Taylor – aye, Councilwoman Cullum – aye, Councilman DeRudder – aye and Councilman Asbury – aye.

The next item was the change of use application that was presented at the May 11, 2021 public hearing. Attorney Kuntz and Clerk Sweet explained how the process has been reviewed and the changes they suggest be put in place going forward. The first application will not be considered appropriate and the property owners will be contacted and advised of the changes to the process.

The next item on the agenda was Resolution #234 which was a resolution to finalize the Town's rate increases and changes. Mayor Shultz read the resolution. Councilwoman Cullum made a motion to approve the resolution. The motion was seconded by Councilman Asbury. The motion carried with the votes as follows: Councilman Taylor – aye, Councilwoman Cullum – aye, Councilman DeRudder – aye and Councilman Asbury – aye.

The next item of business was Resolution #235 to call for an election. Mayor Shultz read the resolution. Councilman DeRudder made a motion to approve the resolution. The motion was seconded by Councilman Taylor. The motion carried with the votes as follows: Councilman Taylor – aye, Councilwoman Cullum – aye, Councilman DeRudder – aye and Councilman Asbury – aye.

Attorney Kuntz updated the council

Judge Kraft was not present and had not left stats for review.

Library Director Zentner updated the council on the library board positions that will need to be appointed or re-appointed at the July meeting.

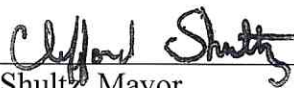
Public Works Director Novakovich updated the council on summer help and the swimming pool.

Chief Buechler presented his stats for the month of May.

Clerk Sweet had nothing to report.

Mayor and Town Council: Councilman DeRudder asked about the draft noise ordinance. Attorney Kuntz is working on it and will present it at a later meeting.

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 Taylor – aye, Councilwoman Cullum – aye, Councilman DeRudder – aye and Councilman Asbury – aye. Meeting adjourned at 7:34 pm.

  
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Clifford Shultz, Mayor

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Kirstin Sweet, Town Clerk