City of Taylor, North Dakota

May 14, 2018 at 7:15 pm at City Hall

The regular City Council meeting was called to order by Mayor Russ Myran.

Council Members present: Ray Fettig, Daryl Jurgens, Emory Vaagen and Travis Christensen.

Visitors: Coree Hofland, Glenn Gullickson, Ryan and Ashley Rebel, Sue and Paul Larsen, Vicki Solemsaas, DeAnn Paulson, Ron and Lucy Luff.

The minutes of the April 10, 2018 City Council meeting were approved as read.

Ashley Rebel, representing Camp Recreation, requested permission to light off fireworks between June 4th and 11th, within city limits if there is not a burn ban in place. The fire department will supervise the 20 minutes shows. Daryl Jurgens moved to approve this request seconded by Emory Vaagen. MC

A letter stating the Taylor Rural Fire Department would be no longer in charge of the Opera House was submitted.

Community members present stated their desire for the Opera House to stay functional as a community rental. Several grants available were discussed. Daryl Jurgens moved to approve the City of Taylor to assume the responsibility to operate the Opera House as a rental for the community, seconded by Ray Fettig. MC

Coree Hofland, Paul and Sue Larsen, Vicki Solemsaas, with Emory Vaagen and Lisa Aune being the City representatives agreed to form a committee that would be looking for grants and funding for the repairs needed to the Opera House.

April financial report was approved as read. Emory Vaagen moved to approve the May bills, seconded by Travis Christensen. MC

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| **GENERAL** | 8296 | Lorna Oconnor | $500.00 |
|  | 8297 | Lisa Aune | $900.00 |
|  | 8298 | Ross Myran | $900.00 |
|  | 8299 | Richardton Merchant | $15.23 |
|  | 8300 | Lisa Aune | $45.96 |
|  | 8301 | MDU | $117.84 |
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| **HIWAY** | 8304 | Jurgens Operating | $500.00 |
|  | 8301 | MDU | $247.46 |
| **OPERA HOUSE** | 8305 | MDU | $46.78 |
| **WATER** |  |  |  |
|  | 8302 | SW Water Authority | $1,554.93 |
|  | 8301 | MDU | $241.42 |
|  | 8298 | Ross Myran | $550.00 |
| **SEWER** |  |  |  |
|  | 8298 | Ross Myran | $550.00 |
|  | 8301 | MDU | $303.42 |
| **GARBAGE** |  |  |  |
|  | 8303 | MGM Sanitation | $3,368.00 |

Snow removal bids for the 2018-19 season will be opened at the June 14th meeting.

ND Department of Health inspected the water and sewer systems.

The 2017 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report is finished and posted.

The next meeting date will be moved to Thursday June 18, 2018, Ray Fettig moved to adjourn at 8:30pm seconded by Daryl Jurgens. MC

These minutes are being published subject to review and revision of the governing board.

Russ Myran, Mayor Lisa Aune, Auditor