

ROLL CALL:

Present:

Mayor
Council Members

Verlin Janssen
Lonnie Warner
Jay Richeson
Aaron Colwell

Not Present:

J Buddenberg

Assistant City Attorney
City Administrator
City Clerk

Colten Venteicher
Gary Greer
Misty Bussinger

Press: *Gothenburg Leader* – Ellen Mortensen

Also present: Shane Gruber-Building & Facility Director, Randy Olson-Police Chief, Tim Schweitzer, Jenny Schweitzer, Jason Rudolf, Shawn Boyd, Shawn Herfel, Sandra Jacobsen.

Mayor Janssen opened the meeting at 5:30 p.m. Advance notice and a copy of the agenda were given to the Council and members of the press. City Council meetings are conducted in accordance with the Open Meetings Act, a copy of which is available for public inspection on the north wall of the Council Chambers.

PUBLIC HEARINGS:

None.

CONSENT AGENDA:

Colwell moved, Richeson seconded, approving the consent agenda that included:

- a) City Council minutes – April 15
- b) Park & Recreation Board Minutes – April 16
- c) Cemetery Board Reports -April
- d) Treasurer Report- April
- e) Police Report – April

Roll call vote: Yea –Warner, Richeson, Colwell. No – none. Absent and not voting- Buddenberg. Motion carried.

CLAIMS:

Richeson moved, Warner seconded, allowing payment of claims against the General Fund \$110,824.07; Special Funds \$4,988.19; Enterprise Fund \$162,352.19; April 30 payroll of \$63,160.41 and Payroll Transmittals of \$28,881.96. Roll call vote: Yea –Warner, Richeson, Colwell. No – none. Absent and not voting- Buddenberg. Motion carried.

Claims Codes: Bu- Building Upkeep, Eq-Equipment, Ex-Expense, Ma-Maintenance, Mi-Mileage, Misc-Miscellaneous, Re-Repairs, Se-Service, Su-Supplies, Ut-Utilities, CI-Capital Improvement, GU-Grounds Upkeep, Reim-Reimbursement, Tax-Tax, Ps-Personnel, Du-Dues.

General Fund Claims: DARCA Inc. -\$14,317.34 Ma; Amaruq Enviromental Services \$14,842.50 Gu; AT&T Mobility II LLC \$608.40 Ut; Blue Cross Blue Shield \$48,496.02 Ps; Central Valley Sandblasting LLC \$29,615.00 CI; Charter Communications Holdings LLC \$150.02 Ut; Helena Agri-Enterprises, LLC \$1,141.28 Gu; LCL Truck Equipment Inc \$426.29 Re; Midwest Radar & Equipment \$120.00 Re; Mutual of Omaha \$1,347.15 Ps; Stericycle Inc. \$175.38 Se; Vestis \$37.98 Se; Hartford Life and Accident Insurance Com \$1,128.15 Ps; ALL STAR AUTO GLASS \$39.95 Re; Amazon Capital Services, Inc \$615.46 Bu, Gu, Misc, Re, Su; Beverly Bogle Louthan, P.C. \$600.00 Se; Casey Metzger \$3,075.00 CI; City of North Platte \$5,115.55 Se; Dawson Public Power District \$42.95 Ut; Eakes Inc. \$15.19 Su; Franzen Inc. \$553.60 Bu; Fyr-Tek \$110.00 Re; Hicken Lumber and Home Center Inc \$92.04 Misc, Re; Home Works Inc. \$318.40 Bu; Hometown Leasing \$186.49 Ex; Ideal Linen \$78.05 Se; Kirks Trenching & Septic Service LLC \$2,849.06 CI;

LandMark Implement Inc. \$3,597.54 Re; Nebraska Water Experts LLC \$40.80 Bu; NSG Logistics LLC \$970.82 Ma; Paulsen Inc. \$889.70 Re, Ma; Pinpoint Holdings Inc \$468.37 Ut; Platte Valley Communications of Kearney \$168.75 Se; Pony Express Chevrolet Buick \$54.10 Re; Public Works Division \$4,521.20 Ut; RT ACE, LLC #18157 \$249.12 Su, Ma, Bu; S & S Auto Parts Inc \$841.55 Re, Su; Syndicate Publishing LLC \$287.62 Ex; WAM Inc. \$45.93 Re; YMCA of the Prairie \$1,226.00 Ps.

Special Fund Claims: Gothenburg Improvement Company \$4,059.02 Ex; First Concord Benefits Group \$929.17 Ps.

Enterprise Fund Claims: Ben & Miranda Melton \$158.42 Reim; Cauty Golter \$79.46 Reim; Chuck Titkemeier \$290.96 Reim; Elizabeth Fair \$79.88 Reim; Emily Collins \$129.26 Reim; Luis Cordova \$19.15 Reim; Mikael Harrop \$115.33 Reim; Mike Eberle \$17.67 Reim; LandMark Implement Inc. \$3,597.56 Re; Allied Systems, Inc. \$14,282.00 CI; AT & T Mobility II LLC \$203.05 Ut; Credit Management Services Inc. \$138.76 Misc; Electric Pump \$3,821.50 Ma; Gothenburg Memorial Hospital \$233.00 Misc; Municipal Supply Inc. \$3,061.12 Ma; Quadient Finance USA Inc. \$554.52 Misc; Stericycle Inc. \$175.38 Se; Vestis \$138.36 Se; All Anderson Electric \$206.15 Ma; Amazon Capital Services \$771.78 Ex, Su, Re; Blackburn Mfg. Co. \$373.05 Su; City of Gothenburg \$96,086.50 Reim, Tax, Ex; Consolidated Electrical Distributors Inc. \$2,057.16 Ma; Dutton-Lainson Company \$7,036.87 Ma, Su; Eakes Inc. \$511.63 Ex; Environmental Analysis South Inc. \$484.81 Se; Franzen Inc. \$282.95 Ma; Hicken Lumber and Home Center Inc \$300.30 Ex, CI, Ex; Hydro Optimization & Automation Solution \$1,237.50 Ma; Island Supply Welding Co \$105.60 Ma; Kirks Trenching & Septic Service LLC \$2,849.06 CI; Nebraska Water Experts LLC \$61.20 Bu; NSG Logistics LLC \$1,666.69 Gu; Paulsen Inc. \$1,156.50 Re; Pony Express Chevrolet Buick \$785.08 Re; RT ACE, LLC #18157 \$328.44 Ma, Su, CI; S & S Auto Parts Inc \$503.68 Su; WAM Inc. \$137.76 Re; Wesco Distribution Inc \$9,407.08 Ma; Public Works Division \$7,861.52 Ut; State of Nebraska \$783.00 Se; Syndicate Publishing LLC \$262.50 Se.

Payroll Transmittals: INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE \$19,789.24 Tax; EMPOWER RETIREMENT \$8,432.22 Ps; NEBRASKA CHILD SUPPORT \$348.01 Ps; South Dakota Division of C \$126.92 Ps; Credit Management Servis \$185.57 Ps.

COMMUNITY COMMENTS:

None.

DISCUSSION ITEMS:

Randy Olson discussed the Appointment of Police Officer-Tim Schweitzer. Tim recently graduated from the academy and will be field training.

Warner moved, Colwell seconded to approve Appointment of Police Officer-Tim Schweitzer. Roll call vote: Yea –Warner, Richeson, Colwell. No – none. Absent and not voting- Buddenberg. Motion carried.

Chief Olson discussed Resolution 2025-6 No Parking at Hospital 20' North and South of driveways.

Richeson moved, Colwell seconded to approve Resolution 2025-6 No Parking at Hospital 20' North and South of driveways. Roll call vote: Yea –Warner, Richeson, Colwell. No – none. Absent and not voting- Buddenberg. Motion carried.

City Administrator Greer discussed Resolution 2025-7 Gothenburg Trail Maintenance and Development Policy. This policy was discussed in a previous meeting and will help with determination of responsibility for trails.

Warner moved, Richeson seconded to approve Resolution 2025-7 Gothenburg Trail Maintenance and Development Policy. Roll call vote: Yea –Warner, Richeson, Colwell. No – none. Absent and not voting- Buddenberg. Motion carried.

Chief Olson discussed Resolution 2025-8 Railroad Crossing Closure. This crossing is no longer needed with the new paved roads as now have access to what was needed, and the city crew will do the work once the agreement with the railroad is complete.

Richeson moved, Colwell seconded to approve Resolution 2025-8 Railroad Crossing Closure. Roll call vote: Yea –Warner, Richeson, Colwell. No – none. Absent and not voting- Buddenberg. Motion carried.

Shane Gruber discussed bids for Air Handler Units. The city received two bids, one from Eustis Plumbing \$119,134.00 which didn't include removal and the other from Cozad Services \$111,324.95.

Richeson moved, Colwell seconded to approve Cozad Services bid for \$111,324.95. Roll call vote: Yea –Warner, Richeson, Colwell. No – none. Absent and not voting- Buddenberg. Motion carried.

City Administrator Greer discussed Ordinance 1045 Roll Off Box Permit. This will be a permit that allows roll off providers outside the franchise agreement to provide roll offs for citizens. This will be an annual permit and will be separate from the dumpster permit which will also be required if on city right of way.

City Clerk Bussinger read AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF GOTHENBURG AMENDING THE PROVISIONS OF THE GOTHENBURG CODE OF ORDINANCES FOR TITLE V CHAPTER 51 ADDING REQUIREMENTS RELATED TO PROVISION OF ROLL OFF BOX SERVICE IN THE CITY AND REQUIRING A PERMIT, REPEALING PARTS OF ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HERewith AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

Richeson moved, Warner seconded to approve first reading of Ordinance 1045 Roll Off Box Permit. Yea –Warner, Richeson, Colwell. No – none. Absent and not voting- Buddenberg. Motion carried.

Warner moved, Colwell seconded, to adjourn the meeting at 5:52 p.m. Yea –Warner, Richeson, Colwell. No – none. Absent and not voting- Buddenberg. Motion carried.

Verlin Janssen
Verlin Janssen, Mayor

Misty Bussinger
Misty Bussinger, City Clerk