Scipio Town Council Minutes of meeting

July 15th, 2021 7pm

Members present: Mayor: Pam Sheridan- Council Members: Jim, Bryce, Casey Hatch & (Absent)-Dallen Treasurer- Linda S., Clerk- Rebecca B.

- 1. **Minutes of June Meeting:** These were read over by each council member. Casey made motion to accept with the changes made, 2nd by Bryce. All in favor.
- 2. **Invoices and Receipts for June:** Linda went over these. Had a big invoice from Jackson Well Excavating and Ensign Eng. She explained some of the loans we were getting as well. Made a new PTIF for the pioneer Cemetery with \$23,493.00 from donations. The ARPA Fund (cares act) is new PTIF with \$19,646.00. Talked about opening a new PTIF for fire department. Bryce made motion to accept, 2nd by Casey. All in favor
- 3. **Streets:** Because Rasmussen's are very busy, Bryce contacted 2 more departments about doing the roads. They are all booked up so whoever can get to us first we will go with. The mower is having some problems so Gail looked into getting it fixed vs a new one. It will cost around \$1500 to fix the old one or around \$5000 for a new one. Council voted to fix the old one for now this year.
- 4. **Water Department**: There is a water leak by Brad and Kandi's on main street that needs to be looked at. Pam reported on the well Project Update, they finished building the new well house. They will do the roof soon. Rocky Mountain Power did a survey, they will create a bid for us. We put in for a supplemental CIB Grant for power costs. In August we will ask for a grant amount of \$353,000. Pam wrote a letter to the Governor about old power and not getting the service we pay for and the expense of it. Not sure it will do any good but worth a shot.
- 5. **New Business/ Old Business**: Pam got a bid from Penny's for \$6,400 to clean up trees on 500 N. 100 E. Council voted all in favor of this project. This should also work for in kind money for fire reduction.
- 6. **Fire department and Ambulance:** Casey reported that they are continuing to improve the fire department, have gotten new hoses, connections, etc. The remodel and install of new washer and dryer they will hold off on getting in for a bit due to the economy and high costs. Aug. 18th is the fire district meeting/dinner and Scipio is hosting it at the community center. They will take the fire truck to the games in the park on the 24th again. Casey reported the fire department burned the rodeo grounds and it went well. The Ambulance will get a separate PTIF and still waiting for the defibrillators.
- 7. **Parks and Cemetery:** Jim reported they have been pulling out the old sprinklers and will store them in the town shed. Also, will talk to someone about fixing the rodeo grounds pavilion, painting, and other repairs needed. Will try to get the slide at the church park fixed before the 24th.
- 8. **Events:** Casey will be in charge of games in the park. May need to order more prizes and Linda will get about 200 \$1 dollar coins for the races. Need to ask the Young Men and Women to help with the games. Council will ride in a float for the parade. Pam will get it ready. The town

will donate \$750.00 towards the meat.

- 9. **Public Comment:** There was a broken fire hydrant reported by Austin Monroe's house on main street, also, one by Robert Thatcher's. Will try to get parts and get those fixed. The community center was left unlocked. Bryce will get going on the new locks and keyless entry system. We will use money from the cares act funds we received for the new locks.
- 10. **Adjourn:** Jim made motion to adjourn, 2nd by Bryce. All in favor. Time was 7:54 pm.