Scipio Town Council

Minutes of Meeting

December 19th, 2024-7pm

Members present: Mayor: Tom Memmott- Council Members; Bryce Monroe, Richard Probert, Kasey Brunson, Jed Wasden also: Clerk- Rebecca Bond, Treasurer- Linda Stephenson

Prayer & Pledge: Jed W. offered the prayer; the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Tom

- 1. **Minutes of November Meeting**: Council looked over minutes. Kasey made a motion to accept the minutes, 2nd by Bryce. All in favor.
- 2. **Invoices and Receipts** -November- Linda went over these. Council had a copy to look at. Richard made a motion to accept, 2nd by Bryce. All in favor.
- 3. **Fee Schedule-** Linda gave a copy of the fee schedule to council to look over and change anything if needed. We will post it and if any changes need to be made, we will have a public hearing. Also reported that the audit went well.
- 4. **Planning and Zoning**: Cathy reported that they had the new subdivision ordinance ready and asked if the town would like to adopt this new ordinance to have something in place so we do not have to keep the states ordinance at this time and if we see changes needed, we could do it in the proper manner. Bryce made a motion, all in favor? Kaseyyes, Richard-Yes, Bryce-yes, Jed-yes.
- **5. R6- Jess Peterson:** Talked about a few grants. Looked into a shade over the playground and that's not eligible. There is another one that is competitive but it is for playground equipment. It opens Jan 13 to March 17 if we want to try to put in.
- 6. **Ambulance**: no one
- 7. **Fire department**: Casey Draper reported they balanced the budget with county. Can get capital purchases Jan 1. Structure truck has been repaired by round valley ag. In January they will have a business meeting- structure of organization, chief and assistant chief.
- 8. Ensign: Kelly Chappell-Tabled -CDBG closing
- 9. **Water Department**: Richard reported that the water tested good this month. Will do a lead and copper test in the spring.
- 10. **Streets/Fitness Center**: Bryce reported that he contacted Todd with enterprise electric to come look at the few electrical problems that need to be fixed. Fitness center is picking up. Getting a lot of good use.
- 11. **Parks & Cemetery**: Jed reported he will get the gopher baiting done. Theres a grant opens Feb 1 to May 31, it's a small maintenance grant if we are interested.
- 12. Events & Museum: Kasey helped changed the furnace filter at the museum.
- 13. **Mayor**: Water rate increase, want to have a public meeting in January to get public input on this. We need to raise the rates and want to do a yearly 3% increase.
- 14. **Christmas Lights Contest Winners:** Russell & Kristen Monroe 1st, Mike & Amber Monroe 2nd, Kenny & Shauna Noland 3rd. They will receive a credit on their water bill.
- 15. Public Comment: None
- 16. Adjourn: Bryce made a motion to adjourn, 2nd by Kasey. All in favor. Time was 7:56 pm.