January 9th 2025 Davenport City Council Meeting

Present: Mayor Lotzer, Aldermen Leslie, Hanson, Beauclair, Auditor Roster, City maintenance, Steve Hans. Not present Alderman Gjestvang. Guests: Sheriff's Deputy Phil Sasso-Lundin, Mike Bushaw. Eric Larson, Interstate Engineering.

Meeting called to order at by Mayor Lotzer at 7:00 pm. Pledge of Allegiance said.

Deputy Sasso-Lundin introduced Bushaw as Davenports new Sheriff's deputy liaison. Presented area activity report.

Larson, Interstate Engineering, followed up on repairs to the 3 pumps at pumphouse to correct constant running. Interstate will submit the bill to CC Steel and there should be no cost to the city.

Minutes were read. Motion made to accept by Alderman Hanson to accept, seconded by Alderman Leslie, passed. Expense bills were presented for consent to pay. Motion made to pay by Alderman Beauclair, seconded by Alderman Hanson, passed.

1/9/2025 Consent bills to be paid

Ottertail Power Co.	2042.45
Cass Rural Water	1563.43
Steve Hans	784.10
Mark Roster	2090.75
Carol Mitchell	146.61
Fat Man Trash	1504.00
City of Fargo	14.00
MLGC	96.51
City Utilities Office	74.50
Cass county Reporter	117.59
ND One Call	5.95
Park Board	282.44
Lies, Bullis and Hatting	40.00
IRS 4th Qtr	TBD
State Tax Comm 4th Qtr	TBD
Job Service 4th Qtr	TBD
WSI for 2025	TBD
US Treasury	129.06
City of Fargo	48.72
Oscar Hanson	105.00
Great Plains Site works	6630.49
City Parcels Property tax	98.72
NEW BUSINESS.	

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FM Rugby requested a permit to hold meat raffles at Supper club. Motion to grant made by Alderman Leslie, seconded by Alderman Hanson, passed.

Discussion of waterline breaks, curb stop repairs. Mayor has researched how other area towns charge for repairs. Discussion followed. More information will be sought for further discussion. Discussion about curb stop locations for new development. The city will work with Midwest Inspection Services about location for ease of future repairs if needed.

Auditor tasked to get a contract quote for annual service of pumphouse generator from Butler. Alderman Beauclair will get a quote from a company he knows.

OLD BUSINESS:

Alderman Hanson brought forth contact information about getting outlets on several city light poles for Christmas decorations. Will do follow up and present info next month.

Discussion ensued about the new owner of the apartment buildings having not left any contact information, despite reaching out to them via email. The auditor stated the utility bill was sent to River Rock Property Management, as usual. Discussion revealed they may no longer handle the property. Action tabled to see what takes place this month.

Motion to adjourn made by Alderman Leslie, seconded by Alderman Hanson. Passed Adjourned at 7:54

Next meeting, Monday February 3rd, 2025, at 7pm, Community Center Faithfully submitted: Mark Roster, Auditor