City of Souris July 13, 2020

Call to Order.

Present: Mayor Steve Patterson; Aldermen Veda Nicholsen, Willy Murch, Jennifer Fontaine, Anthony Lindquist; Auditor Pat Olson; Public Works James Condit

Oaths of Office:

Mayor Steve Patterson, Aldermen Veda Nicholsen & Anthony Lindquist were sworn in

June minutes approved by unanimous consent

Financials:

All accounts were reviewed

Ordinances:

Comments from the Mayor:

Reports:

Park:

Campground:

Cemetery: James sprayed at sign, filled in grave that sunk in & planted grass seed on another grave Public Works: James will investigate mosquito-kill options & pricing

Skunks in town: no motion made

Bulk/Residential Water: Letters will go out to delinquent residents

Sewer: Pumps are constantly working

RR Property:

Unfinished Business:

- Mayor Patterson made a motion to purchase up to \$500 for disk & \$1000 for pull behind mower for new John Deere Roll call vote: Alderman Nicholsen: aye Alderman Murch: aye Alderman Fontaine: aye Alderman Lindquist: aye. Motion carried
- 2. Paint shelter Tabled
- 3. James mowed nine (9) lots for three (3) separate parties to be special assessed

New Business:

- 1. Alderman Nicholsen made a motion to approve the City Budget.
 - Roll call vote: Alderman Nicholsen: aye Alderman Murch: aye Alderman Fontaine: aye Alderman Lindquist: aye. Motion carried
- 2. Health Inspector arrived to inspect chimney on 207 Dakota St. 30-day action required to resolve issue
- Corrective actions at lagoon following inspection:
 James requested pump & spray unit to kill cattails
 James will fix the fence on the southern end of lagoon
- 4. 24 fruit trees will be ordered for 2021 Forest Grant
- 5. Alderman Murch made a motion to spend up to \$500 to get materials required (for the foundation) to move the warming Shack into Park. Seconded. Motion carried
- 6. Letter will be sent to a resident in regard to vicious dog

Announcements:

1. Next meeting will be held Monday, August 3, 2020 at 7.00p at City Hall

Bills:

Alderman Murch made a motion to pay bills. Seconded. Motion carried

As there was no further business before the Council, Mayor Patterson adjourned the meeting