

CITY OF GARRISON
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
Monday, March 4, 2024

The regular meeting of the Garrison City Council was held Monday, March 4, 2024, at 6 pm. The meeting was held at the Garrison Public Library. Mayor Flickinger presided. Council members present: Robert Decker, Al Lindsey, Doug Kearns, Tina Rommann, and Marvin Trimble. Absent: None. City Clerk, Angela Dague recorded the minutes.

- Rommann moved to approve the agenda, seconded by Lindsey. Ayes: All. Nays: None. Motion carried.
- Trimble moved to approve the consent agenda, seconded by Kearns. Ayes: All. Nays: None. Motion carried.
 - Minutes of the Regular Meeting dated February 5, 2023
 - Minutes of the Budget Work Session dated February 19, 2024
 - Financial Reports
 - Claims List dated March 4, 2024
- The City of Garrison presented Kylee Kirchner a certificate of recognition of her winning 2024 State Bowling Champion
- Public Comment
 - Heidi Kirchner asked about snow removal in alleys.
- Council heard department reports.
- Business Items:
 - Agreement with Fire Department
 - Trimble moved to approve a 25% payment increase to the Garrison Fire Department for their services to the community, seconded by Rommann. Ayes: All. Nays: None. Motion carried.
 - Sewer rate discussion
 - Lindsey proposed to change the structure of the sewer rate from first 5000 to first 1500 gallons and an additional cost per 1000 gallons, with cost the same for residential and commercial, seconded by Decker. Ayes: All. Nays: None. Motion carried.
 - All residents will be billed for sewer usage, storm drainage and sewer debt regardless of water usage status.
 - Farmer's Mercantile sidewalk
 - The Council determined they cannot fundraise for the Mercantile but will look for grants that may help in the cost of Mercantile's sidewalk repair.
 - Registration fee for Lead Class for Operator by Affidavit
 - Decker moved to approve paying the full \$100 fee for the lead class if Garrison is the only city he services, and half of the cost if he services another town, seconded by Rommann. Ayes: All. Nays: None. Motion carried.

Lindsey moved to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Decker. Ayes: All. Nays: None. Motion carried. There being no further business before council, Mayor Flickinger adjourned the meeting at 8:06 pm.

MAYOR:

ATTEST:

Garrett Flickinger

Angela Dague, Clerk

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