

FROMBERG TOWN COUNCIL MINUTES REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING

HELD ON OCTOBER 11, 2022

The October 11, 2022 meeting of the Fromberg Town Council was held at 118 W River Street in Fromberg. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited, and the meeting was called to order by Mayor Tim Nottingham at 7:00 pm. Council members present were Bill Gruel, Dave Stapleton and Nate Caton. Others present were Clerk Lacey Breeding, PWS Jay Carter, Steven Blank, Jerry Hall, Tina Foust, Tami Lynn, Tammy Taylor, Niki Elliot, Marge Taylor and Attorney Kyle Moen. Missing was Councilman Lister.

First on the agenda was to be a report from the Carbon County Sheriff about happenings in town for the previous month of September. There was no Sheriff present at this time so Mayor Nottingham stated that the sheriff section would be postponed until later in this meeting.

Next was public comment and began with Marge Taylor requesting updates correcting water charges for a building in town that is a public place and also houses residents. Clerk Breeding updated Taylor on her progress and on-going research into the matter. Discussion was had about the utility rates paid to the Town.

Next Councilman Stapleton made a motion to approve the minutes for September 2022 with stipulation that further detail into the appointment of the Emergency Coordinators for the town be added in. Councilman Gruel gave a second and the motion was carried out as follows: Councilman Gruel, -aye, Councilman Caton, -aye and Councilman Stapleton, -aye.

Following that was the approval of claims for the month of September. First there was a discussion on a bill that had been submitted by the Fromberg School with a decision to get further details and breakdowns of the bill before sending a check. Councilman Caton then made a motion to approve the claims and Councilman Stapleton gave a second. The motion was carried with votes as follows; Councilman Gruel, -aye, Councilman Caton, -aye and Councilman Stapleton, -aye.

Councilman Stapleton made a motion to approve the payroll and Councilman Caton seconded the motion. The motion was carried with votes as follows; Councilman Gruel, -aye, Councilman Caton, -aye and Councilman Stapleton, -aye.

It was decided that there would be no Sheriff report given within this current meeting.

First topic of business was the approval of Resolution #516 requesting the BARSAA Funding for 2023. Mayor Nottingham read the

resolution allowed which followed with a motion of approval from Councilman Stapleton. Councilman Caton followed with a second and the motion was carried out as follows: Councilman Gruel, -aye, Councilman Caton, -aye and Councilman Stapleton, -aye.

Next Mayor Nottingham gave the details about the upcoming Fall Cleanup due to take place October 25, 2022.

The final topic of new business was regarding a contracting agency wanting to rebuild one of the houses badly damaged by the flood in June 2022. Steven Blank with Western Baptist Mission Service gave the details on the home rebuild and provided plans to the council. He then asked what was required to be in compliance with the town. It was planned for a special meeting to be held on October 14, 2022 to approve the flood permitting and zoning permit.

Attorney Moen reminded everyone about the informational government class that would take place on the 19<sup>th</sup> of October. The meeting would be held at Fromberg Town Hall at 6pm and would be open to the public.

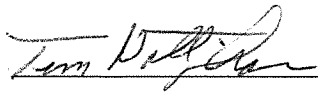
Next was updates from the Town's Public Works department. Councilman Stapleton asked for an update on the replacement door for the town shop that had been previously ordered and purchased. Discussion was had about the time frame of the project completion. Next, discussion was had about what to do with the old town truck that was recently replaced. There were no decisions made and discussion would have to be continued at another time.

Next, Clerk Breeding gave updates on progress and issues that had been had with the FEMA process that the town is still dealing with. Clerk Breeding then, expressed her opinion on the importance of the town getting a new zoning map made. Discussion was had on how to go about getting that accomplished.

Last on the agenda was Mayor/Council comment. Councilman Stapleton asked for an update on the funding that was to be received from the Stillwater Mine. Discussion was had on deciding what to use the funds for. It was decided to add the topic to the special meeting to be held on October 14, 2022.

The next regular meeting was set for November 8, 2022 and there being no further business, Councilman Caton made the motion to Adjourn the meeting, seconded by Councilman Gruel. The motion to Adjourn was carried out with votes as follows: Councilman Gruel- aye, Councilman Caton and Councilman Stapleton- aye.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:25 p.m.



Tim Nottingham, Mayor

Attest:



Lacey Breeding/Clerk