

**CITY OF BUFFALO CITY SPECIAL MEETING-
MONDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2019-MUNICIPAL BUILDING – 7:00 PM**

The regular meeting of the City of Buffalo City Common Council was called to order by Mayor Russ Lorenz at 7 p.m. Roll call: Jeannie Czaplewski, Larry Johansen, Ben Holien and Kevin Mack. Also present City Superintendent Stan Meier. Motion Holien, second Johansen to approve minutes from the previous meeting. All yes, motion carried.

Cemetery- Concrete for columbarium will not be put in this fall. Lorenz said the plan will be to get it in early spring so the columbarium can be set before Memorial Day. Cemetery committee meeting next week to discuss rates and policies.

Recreation – Concrete for shed at ballfield will be poured at the same time as the cemetery concrete next spring.

Building – Five permit since last meeting. Discussed possible projects without permits.

Health and Safety – Third Street property has been taken down and cleaned up. Committee keeping an eye on progress on 19th Street property. Owner has contacted the mayor requesting more time for clean up. Lorenz gave him until November 1st.

Public Works – Mack asked about putting additional stop signs up along Herman Street to slow down traffic. Council discussed moving radar signs to Herman and also potentially budgeting for more signs.

Riverfront – Clerk made final inspections. All that were contacted except one have made progress or contacted the clerk and are working on cleaning up their leased spaces. One signed for letter and has not made any changes to the leased space that includes debris on the riverbank and in the water. Clerk will send a letter informing him his leased riverfront space has been revoked.

Tri-Community Fire Board – Meier told the council one of the department heaters is not working. Council went and looked at the heating units in the station and agreed the old units should be replaced. Money will need to come out of the City’s fire savings account for now since it is not in the budget.

BBC – Czaplewski said the county recycle committee and BBC boards will both be meeting in the next two weeks.

Superintendent – Meier thanked Mack for helping him late on a Sunday after a storm blew a tree across Herman Street. He is continuing to take down infected ash trees. Riverfront trees are all down and four remain the park.

Clerk – Reviewed upcoming meeting dates.
Motion Mack, second Holien to pay the bills. All yes, motion carried. Motion Mack, second Johansen to adjourn. All yes, motion carried.

Russell Lorenz, Jr., Mayor

Jenny Ehlenfeldt, Clerk

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