

FORT PIERRE CITY COUNCIL  
APPROVED MINUTES  
SPECIAL MEETING  
Wednesday, October 2, 2024

The Special Meeting of the Fort Pierre City Council was held at the Stanley County Courthouse Commission room and called to order by Mayor Hanson at 5:15 pm. Members in attendance for Roll Call were Bernhard, L Cronin, R Cronin, Deal, Iversen, and Kenzy. Official in attendance was Heezen, Powell, and Tibbs.

**Approval of Agenda.** L Cronin moved and Deal seconded to approve the agenda. Motion passed on Voice Vote.

**Conflict of Interest Declarations.** No Conflict of Interest was declared.

**Authorization to Advertise for Water Storage Project.** Hanson informed council that today she received the letter from DANR commending Fort Pierre for the effort to upgrade its water infrastructure, informing the City that they were approved for a 30 year \$2,470,434 Drinking Water SRF loan at 3.75% interest for the Drinking Water Storage project. She spoke of the Utility Committee meeting on Monday, with Jake Fitzgerald, West River/Lyman Jones Rural Water manager, being present along with Austin Hoellein and Dennis Odens, Bartlett and West engineers. She reminded them of the meeting with City of Pierre officials for the possibility of a pipeline across the river as an emergency/additional water source. R Cronin moved and Deal seconded to not go to bid for the Water Storage Tank project at this time until options are explored/confirmed for a long term water supply and what it will cost the tax payers. Motion passed with L Cronin, R Cronin, Deal and Kenzy voting aye and Bernhard and Iversen voting nay.

**Adjournment.** Mayor Hanson adjourned the meeting at 6:01 pm.

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Gloria Hanson, Mayor

ATTEST:  
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Roxanne Heezen, Finance Office