

(Subject to Approval)
CITY OF SWISHER, IOWA
SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
JANUARY 17, 2023

Call to Order: Mayor Christopher Taylor called Special Council Meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. on January 17, 2023 at Swisher City Hall, Swisher IA.

Council Present: Mary Gudenkauf, Kris Heims, Kody Pudil, Michael Stagg. Attended by Zoom: Rebekah Neuendorf. Absent: Kody Pudil. Kody Pudil arrived at 6:02 p.m.

Also present: City Clerk/Finance Officer Tawnia Kakacek, Public Works Superintendent Justin Fields, Library Directory Laura Hoover and Communication Coordinator Julie Persons.

Agenda: Motion by Stagg, seconded by Heims to approve the agenda. Call for vote. All ayes. Motion carried. Absent: Pudil.

Resolution No. 2023-04—Approve Election Ballot Verbiage for Municipal Water: After review, Stagg moved, seconded by Heims, to approve Resolution No. 2023-04 entitled “RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING PLACEMENT OF A PROPOSAL AT A SPECIAL ELECTION ON MARCH 7, 2023 TO ESTABLISH A MUNICIPAL WATERWORKS UTLITY”. Kody Pudil arrived. Roll call vote. Ayes: Gudenkauf, Heims, Neuendorf, Pudil, Stagg. Nays: None Resolution No. 2023-04 passed.

Budget 2023-24: Hoover went over the library budget. Mayor, Council and Staff went over the proposed budget. Pudil requested to have city clerk check into yard waste yardies. Gudenkauf noted Alliant offers grants for trees, Kakacek will send this to Parks & Recreation Committee for the park areas and city staff can look at other city properties. Discussion of concreting dugouts, purchasing mini-hoe, ION doing maintenance schedule, replacing city copier, etc. Council made few changes to proposed budget and Kakacek will submit changed budget for the January 24th meeting.

Adjournment: Motion by Stagg, seconded by Pudil to adjourn. Call for vote. All ayes. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 7:57 p.m.

Tawnia Kakacek, City Clerk/Finance Officer

Christopher Taylor, Mayor