



CITY COUNCIL AGENDA

Wednesday, July 5, 2023 at 7:00 p.m.
Springfield City Hall
170 North 3rd Street

CALL TO ORDER

- Public announcement that a copy of the Nebraska Open Meetings Law is posted in the entry to the meeting room
- Roll call
- Pledge of Allegiance

CONSENT AGENDA

All consent agenda items are approved in one motion unless removed by a Council Member. Removed items will be placed under the Regular Agenda for consideration and action by the Council.

1. Approve Minutes of the June 20, 2023, Council Meeting
2. Approve Claims and Payroll
3. Approve Pay Application No. 9 in the amount of \$82,783.19 to Judd Bros. Construction Co. for services performed on Municipal Water Well and Improvements
4. Approve Pay Application No. 10 in the amount of \$96,538.31 to Judd Bros. Construction Co. for services performed on Municipal Water Well and Improvements
5. Waive Springfield Municipal Code §6-333 Misdemeanors; Loud, Unnecessary Noises, allowing for the discharge of fireworks by Wild Willy's Fireworks for the Legion Baseball District Tournament at the end of July
6. Consider requests from the Sarpy County Agricultural Society to waive the noise ordinance, close Railroad Avenue from Main Street to Spruce Street for handicap accessible parking, place a temporary stop sign on Main Street at the fairgrounds entrance, allow parking on the city lot west of the Community Building, waive the large animal ordinance, and allow members of the Sarpy County Agricultural Society and authorized volunteers to operate golf carts on city streets during the Sarpy County Fair to be held August 2-6, 2023

REGULAR AGENDA

1. Sarpy County Sheriff's Monthly Service Report

2. Todd Neitzel, 250 N. 7th Street – Dispute water bill charge and request an adjustment
3. **Tabled June 20, 2023.** Consider approval of **Resolution 2023-12** entering into a contract amendment with Olsson for engineering services associated with the construction of the Buffalo Park restroom facility and shade structure and Urban Park shade structure
4. Consider approval of **Resolution 2023-14** to approve a Memorandum of Understanding between Sarpy County and the City of Springfield to establish a cooperative relationship regarding ownership, operational control, repair, and maintenance of outdoor warning sirens
5. Consider approval of **Resolution 2023-15** to approve an Interlocal Cooperation Agreement between Sarpy County and the City of Springfield regarding outdoor warning sirens
6. **Tabled June 20, 2023.** Discuss Kent Maystrick’s annual review and consider a proposed merit increase
7. Discuss Heath Shemek’s annual review and consider a proposed merit increase

DEPARTMENT REPORTS

1. Water & Sewer Department – Mike Neitzel
2. Library & Community Building – Michael Herzog
3. Parks Department – Kacie Murtha
4. Street Department – Dan Craney
5. Mayor’s Report – Bob Roseland
6. City Staff Reports

BUDGET WORK SESSION

1. Consider projects and review expenditures and revenues for the FY2023-2024 budget

The Mayor and City Council reserve the right to adjourn into executive session per Section 84-1410 of the Nebraska Revised Statutes.

ADJOURNMENT

MINUTES

A regular meeting of the Mayor and Council of the City of Springfield, Nebraska was held at 7:00 o’clock p.m. on Wednesday, July 5, 2023, at City Hall. Present were Council Members: Mike Neitzel, Michael Herzog, Kacie Murtha, Dan Craney. Absent: Mayor Bob Roseland. Council President Kacie Murtha presided as Mayor. Notice of this meeting was given in advance by posting in three public places, one of the designated methods of giving notice. Notice of this meeting was given in advance to the Mayor and all Council Members and a copy of their receipt of notice is attached to these Minutes. Availability of the

agenda was communicated in the advance notice and in the notice to the Mayor and Council of this meeting. All proceedings hereafter shown were taken while the convened meeting was open to the public. Council President Kacie Murtha publicly stated to all in attendance that a current copy of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act was available for review and indicated the location of such copy posted in the room where the meeting was being held.

Consent Agenda

Motion by Herzog, seconded by Neitzel, to approve the Consent Agenda. AYES: Neitzel, Herzog, Craney. NAYS: None. Motion carried.

Claims and Payroll:

Check #	Account ID	Account Description	Debit Amount	Name
General				
47245	7185-10-10	Lodging-Gen	44.36	Barb Henninger
47245	7240-10-10	Mileage-Gen	87.51	Barb Henninger
47291	6080-10-10	Health Insurance-Gen	5,837.02	Blue Cross Blue Shield of Nebraska
47276	7455-10-10	Internet-Gen	197.75	Charter Communications
47233	7045-10-10	Prof Svcs-Tech Support-Gen	672.00	Core Technologies, Inc
47239	7480-10-10	Janitorial-Gen	240.00	Executive Janitorial Corporation
47288	7205-10-10	Subscriptions-Gen	5.00	First National Bank of Omaha
47288	7045-10-10	Prof Svcs-Tech Support-Gen	17.11	First National Bank of Omaha
47288	8010-10-10	Office Supplies-Gen	35.88	First National Bank of Omaha
47288	7330-10-10	Telephone-Gen	290.76	First National Bank of Omaha
47240	9010-10-10	Office Equipment-Gen	88.42	Five Points Bank
47240	8140-10-10	R&M Equipment-Gen	126.29	Five Points Bank
47249	7030-10-10	Prof Svcs-Planning-Gen	998.75	JEO Consulting Group, Inc.
47256	7320-10-10	Natural Gas-General	46.00	Metropolitan Utilities District
47290	7270-10-10	Insurance-Gen	284.23	Nebraska Assigned Risk Pool
47264	7310-10-10	Electricity-Gen	260.48	OPPD
47268	7046-10-10	Prof Svcs-Building Inspector	19,213.01	Sarpy County Building Inspector
47269	7060-10-10	Animal Control-Gen	403.00	Sarpy County Fiscal Administrator
47270	7050-10-10	Law Contract-Gen	9,771.00	Sarpy County Treasurer
47272	7020-10-10	Prof Svcs-Legal-Gen	710.00	Seidler & Seidler, P.C.
47278	8030-10-10	Supplies-Gen	19.77	Springfield Ace Hardware
47279	7270-10-10	Insurance-Gen	59.33	Travelers
47289	7270-10-10	Insurance-Gen	284.23	Travelers
47283	7280-10-10	Laundry-Gen	116.16	Walkers Uniform Rental
47265	7340-10-10	Waste Disposal-Gen	29.43	Waste Connections of Nebraska, Inc
Total			39,837.49	
Sales Tax				
47288	9089-15-10	Community Events-Sales Tax	176.00	First National Bank of Omaha
47242	9089-15-10	Community Events-Sales Tax	33.59	Kathleen Gottsch
Total			209.59	
Library				
47227	8060-20-10	Books/Videos/Maps-Lib	113.94	Amazon Capital Services
47287	6084-20-10	Aflac-Lib	26.40	Ameritas Life Insurance Corp.
47229	8060-20-10	Books/Videos/Maps-Lib	51.04	Baker & Taylor
47291	6080-20-10	Health Insurance-Lib	971.72	Blue Cross Blue Shield of Nebraska
47277	7455-20-10	Internet-Lib	48.00	Charter Communications
47233	7330-20-10	Telephone-Lib	50.00	Core Technologies, Inc

47250	8060-20-10	Books/Videos/Maps-Lib	48.96	Kid's Reference Company, Inc.
47271	7480-20-10	Janitorial-Lib	300.00	Marcie Schmieder
47256	7320-20-10	Natural Gas-Lib	46.00	Metropolitan Utilities District
47254	8060-20-10	Books/Videos/Maps-Lib	89.79	MicroMarketing, LLC
47290	7270-20-10	Insurance-Lib	124.15	Nebraska Assigned Risk Pool
47264	7310-20-10	Electricity-Lib	273.45	OPPD
47274	8060-20-10	Books/Videos/Maps-Lib	121.78	Smart Apple Media
47226	9062-20-10	Security System-Lib	80.00	The ADT Security Corporation
47279	7270-20-10	Insurance-Lib	25.92	Travelers
47289	7270-20-10	Insurance-Lib	124.15	Travelers
47265	7340-20-10	Waste Disposal-Lib	34.71	Waste Connections of Nebraska, Inc
Total			2,530.01	
Library Restricted				
47227	8070-21-10	Library Supplies-Lib Rest	234.62	Amazon Capital Services
47230	8070-21-10	Library Supplies-Lib Rest	124.50	Brodart Co.
47241	8060-21-10	Books/Videos/Maps-Lib Rest	161.47	Cengage Learning Inc/Gale
47232	8060-21-10	Books/Videos/Maps-Lib Rest	91.68	Center Point Large Print
47235	8070-21-10	Library Supplies-Lib Rest	126.70	Demco
47238	8070-21-10	Library Supplies-Lib Rest	146.27	Eakes Office Solutions
47240	9010-21-10	Office Equipment Lib Rest	93.51	Five Points Bank
47254	8060-21-10	Books/Videos/Maps-Lib Rest	87.39	MicroMarketing, LLC
47259	8070-21-10	Library Supplies-Lib Rest	14.00	Nebraska Library Association
47266	8070-21-10	Library Supplies-Lib Rest	149.17	Quill Corporation
Total			1,229.31	
Park				
47291	6080-30-10	Health Insurance-Park	1,325.76	Blue Cross Blue Shield of Nebraska
47231	8120-30-10	Fuel-Park	376.22	BRP Investments
47236	9040-30-10	Tools & Misc Equip-Parks	29.80	Dultmeier Sales
47237	7350-30-10	Rental-Park	295.00	Eagle Services
47288	8030-30-10	Supplies-Park	32.47	First National Bank of Omaha
47246	9040-30-10	Tools & Misc Equip-Parks	25.94	Home Depot Credit Services
47247	8140-30-10	R&M Equipment-Park	224.54	Hotsy Equipment Co.
47248	8160-30-10	R&M Grounds-Park	2,214.22	Jensen Gardens
47251	8130-30-10	R&M Building-Park	190.00	Langfeldt Overhead Door Inc.
47290	7270-30-10	Insurance-Park	182.95	Nebraska Assigned Risk Pool
47264	7310-30-10	Electricity-Park	766.53	OPPD
47275	7290-30-10	Uniform Allowance-Park	115.50	Special Tee's Screen printing
47278	8030-30-10	Supplies-Park	6.59	Springfield Ace Hardware
47278	8130-30-10	R&M Building-Park	15.53	Springfield Ace Hardware
47234	8080-30-10	Promotional Materials-Park	580.00	The Cosgrave Company
47279	7270-30-10	Insurance-Park	38.19	Travelers
47289	7270-30-10	Insurance-Park	182.95	Travelers
47265	7340-30-10	Waste Disposal-Park	201.34	Waste Connections of Nebraska, Inc
Total			6,803.53	
Community Building				
47276	7455-40-10	Internet-Community Bldg	72.98	Charter Communications
47239	7480-40-10	Janitorial-Community Building	230.00	Executive Janitorial Corporation
47252	8030-40-10	Supplies-Community Bldg	59.58	Menards
47253	8130-40-10	R&M Building-Community Bldg	84.98	Menards
47256	7320-40-10	Natural Gas-Community Bldg	47.26	Metropolitan Utilities District
47290	7270-40-10	Insurance-Community Bldg	96.38	Nebraska Assigned Risk Pool

47264	7310-40-10	Electricity-Community Bldg	281.62	OPPD
47279	7270-40-10	Insurance-Community Bldg	20.12	Travelers
47289	7270-40-10	Insurance-Community Bldg	96.38	Travelers
47283	7280-40-10	Laundry-Community Bldg	171.92	Walkers Uniform Rental
47265	7340-40-10	Waste Disposal-Community Bldg	76.37	Waste Connections of Nebraska, Inc
Total			1,237.59	
Water				
47287	6084-50-20	Aflac-Water	9.75	Ameritas Life Insurance Corp.
47291	6080-50-20	Health Insurance-Water	643.42	Blue Cross Blue Shield of Nebraska
47231	8120-50-20	Fuel-Water	83.15	BRP Investments
47249	9155-50-20	GIS-Water	854.70	JEO Consulting Group, Inc.
47284	9090-50-20	New Well-Water	82,783.19	Judds Bros. Construction Co.
47284	9090-50-20	New Well-Water	96,538.31	Judds Bros. Construction Co.
47255	7420-50-20	Testing-Water	168.28	Midwest Laboratories
47257	8030-50-20	Supplies-Water	1,580.85	Municipal Supply
47290	7270-50-20	Insurance-Water	303.83	Nebraska Assigned Risk Pool
47261	7200-50-20	Dues-Water	400.00	Nebraska Rural Water Association
47286	7330-50-20	Telephone-Water	234.33	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunication
47260	7420-50-20	Testing-Water	18.00	NE Public Health Environmental Lab
47262	9090-50-20	New Well-Water	5,788.44	Olsson
47263	7430-50-20	Digger's Hotline-Water	43.38	One Call Concepts, Inc.
47264	7310-50-20	Electricity-Water	1,791.17	OPPD
47275	7290-50-20	Uniform Allowance-Water	16.50	Special Tee's Screen printing
47279	7270-50-20	Insurance-Water	63.43	Travelers
47289	7270-50-20	Insurance-Water	303.83	Travelers
Total			191,624.56	
Sewer				
47287	6084-60-30	Aflac-Sewer	9.75	Ameritas Life Insurance Corp.
47291	6080-60-30	Health Insurance-Sewer	3,535.95	Blue Cross Blue Shield of Nebraska
47231	8030-60-30	Supplies-Sewer	10.38	BRP Investments
47231	8120-60-30	Fuel-Sewer	244.26	BRP Investments
47281	8140-60-30	R&M Equipment-Sewer	168.21	HD Supply, Inc
47249	9155-60-30	GIS-Sewer	854.70	JEO Consulting Group, Inc.
47255	7420-60-30	Testing-Sewer	247.65	Midwest Laboratories
47290	7270-60-30	Insurance-Sewer	228.69	Nebraska Assigned Risk Pool
47264	7310-60-30	Electricity-Sewer	3,008.98	OPPD
47275	7290-60-30	Uniforms Allowance-Sewer	44.00	Special Tee's Screen printing
47282	8140-60-30	R&M Equipment-Sewer	1,658.90	The Waldinger Corporation
47279	7270-60-30	Insurance-Sewer	47.74	Travelers
47289	7270-60-30	Insurance-Sewer	228.69	Travelers
Total			10,287.90	
Street				
47291	6080-70-40	Health Insurance-Street	2,596.78	Blue Cross Blue Shield of Nebraska
47231	8120-70-40	Fuel-Street	682.62	BRP Investments
47276	7455-70-40	Internet-Street	215.96	Charter Communications
47243	8225-70-40	R&M Street Signs&Posts-Street	78.81	Grainger
47244	8090-70-40	Asphalt & Concrete-Street	11,927.28	Harm's Concrete
47246	8030-70-40	Supplies-Street	132.43	Home Depot Credit Services
47256	7320-70-40	Natural Gas-Street	99.62	Metropolitan Utilities District
47258	8030-70-40	Supplies-Street	74.70	Mill Creek Auto Parts
47258	8140-70-40	R&M Equipment-Street	400.82	Mill Creek Auto Parts

47290	7270-70-40	Insurance-Street	413.27	Nebraska Assigned Risk Pool
47286	7330-70-40	Telephone-Street	150.64	Nebraska Technology & Telecommunication
47264	7310-70-40	Electricity-Street	2,493.49	OPPD
47267	8150-70-40	R&M Vehicle-Street	4,404.83	Rod Lee Trucking LLC
47273	8215-70-40	R&M Streets & Alleys-Street	210.00	Silex Group, LLC
47275	7290-70-40	Uniform Allowance-Street	133.00	Special Tee's Screen printing
47278	8130-70-40	R&M Building-Street	10.77	Springfield Ace Hardware
47278	8140-70-40	R&M Equipment-Street	14.98	Springfield Ace Hardware
47278	9040-70-40	Tools & Misc Equip-Street	58.58	Springfield Ace Hardware
47279	7270-70-40	Insurance-Street	86.27	Travelers
47289	7270-70-40	Insurance-Street	413.27	Travelers
47280	8090-70-40	Asphalt & Concrete-Street	2,020.00	Travis Moore Construction
47283	7290-70-40	Uniform Allowance-Street	20.52	Walkers Uniform Rental
47265	7340-70-40	Waste Disposal-Street	63.64	Waste Connections of Nebraska, Inc
Total			26,702.28	
Keno				
47228	9174-80-70	Keno CB Project	266.00	American Playground Company
47253	9174-80-70	Keno CB Project	94.90	Menards
47278	9174-80-70	Keno CB Project	100.14	Springfield Ace Hardware
Total			461.04	
		Water Deposit Refunds	1,822.72	
		Payroll	69,991.17	
		VOYA Retirement ER	7,793.34	
		Medical Reimbursement	3,278.08	

Agenda Item 1: Lt. Wrigley reviewed the Sarpy County Sheriff's Monthly Service Report. He reported the Dogs with the Deputies on June 22 went great and was well attended. He said that the Sarpy County Sheriff's Department will have the Sarpy County Fair staffed with plenty of law enforcement presence, and he is hoping for good weather.

Agenda Item 2. Todd Neitzel, 250 N. 7th Street, was present to dispute his water bill charge for May 2023. He said that month he was charged for using 24,000 gallons of water, but his family's average is only 4,000 gallons. He said his family is not watering the lawn, they have not had any parties, they do not have a pool and he does not believe he has any leaks. Neitzel noted that he installed a new toilet downstairs approximately six months ago and installed a new toilet upstairs approximately one and a half years ago. In addition, the shower in the basement has been capped off so it is not used. Neitzel is questioning if the meter is working correctly. Kathleen Gottsch, City Administrator, stated that the city's meter manufacturer has advised city staff that when a meter is no longer working it no longer reads the water going through the meter. In this case, the meter was detecting water going through the meter and it is working properly. She also pointed out that Neitzel's residence did not have a working water meter from July 2020 through March 2022 when Neitzel was directed by the city to install a new meter. At that time, the city paid for and provided Neitzel with the new meter which he was required to install. Gottsch noted that numerous residents have requested amendments to their water rates for usage they claimed they did not use only to find out that the owners did in fact find a leak. Neitzel said that he does not care what the city has previously done. He only cares about his current situation. Herzog reiterated Gottsch's comments regarding previous resident requests. Neitzel inquired how the city reads the meters. Gottsch said that the meters are read electronically which eliminates human error. Council considered the information provided. Motion by Craney, seconded by Herzog, to not amend Todd Neitzel's water bill charge. AYES: Herzog, Craney, Murtha. ABSTAIN: Neitzel. NAYS: None. Motion carried.

Agenda Item 3. Motion by Herzog, seconded by Craney, to table agenda item 3, regarding approval of **Resolution 2023-12** entering into a contract amendment with Olsson for engineering services associated with the construction of the Buffalo Park restroom facility and shade structure and Urban Park shade structure, until the August 1, 2023, Council meeting. AYES: Neitzel, Herzog, Craney. NAYS: None. Motion carried.

Agenda Item 4. Council Member Herzog introduced **Resolution 2023-14** and moved its adoption. Council Member Neitzel seconded the foregoing motion and on roll call on the passage and adoption of said resolution, the following voted YEA: Neitzel, Herzog, Craney. The following voted NAY: None. Whereupon the Council President serving as Mayor declared said motion carried and said resolution passed and adopted. A true, correct and complete copy of said resolution is as follows:

**RESOLUTION
2023-14**

**RESOLUTION APPROVING A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN SARPY COUNTY AND
THE CITY OF SPRINGFIELD REGARDING OUTDOOR WARNING SIRENS**

WHEREAS, Sarpy County and the City of Springfield wish to enter into a Memorandum of Understanding to establish the cooperative relationship between the parties regarding the ownership, operational control, repair and maintenance of outdoor warning sirens; and

WHEREAS, the City of Springfield shall maintain ownership of the siren(s), pole(s), and all attached components and shall remain responsible for all costs associated with the operation, repair, and maintenance of their siren(s); and

WHEREAS, Sarpy County agrees to operationally control the siren(s) on behalf of the city; and

WHEREAS, Sarpy County and the City of Springfield agree to the policies established in the Sarpy County Outdoor Warning Siren Policy Guide which is attached to the Memorandum of Understanding.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Governing Body of the City of Springfield, Nebraska that the Memorandum of Understanding with Sarpy County regarding outdoor warning sirens, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit "A," is hereby approved.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Governing Body of the City of Springfield, Nebraska that the Mayor is authorized to enter into said Memorandum of Understanding.

Introduced and Passed this 5th day of July, 2023.

City Council Member Herzog moved the adoption of said resolution.
City Council Member Neitzel seconded the motion.

Record of Vote:

Ayes: Neitzel, Herzog, Craney

Nays: None

Abstain: None

Absent: Mayor Bob Roseland was absent, so Council President Kacie Murtha presided as Mayor.

Resolution adopted, signed and billed as adopted.

Approved: Robert Roseland, Mayor
SEAL
Attest: Kelly Shemek, City Clerk

Agenda Item 5. Council Member Herzog introduced **Resolution 2023-15** and moved its adoption. Council Member Neitzel seconded the foregoing motion and on roll call on the passage and adoption of said resolution, the following voted YEA: Neitzel, Herzog, Craney. The following voted NAY: None. Whereupon the Council President serving as Mayor declared said motion carried and said resolution passed and adopted. A true, correct and complete copy of said resolution is as follows:

**RESOLUTION
2023-15**

**RESOLUTION APPROVING AN INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN SARPY COUNTY AND
THE CITY OF SPRINGFIELD REGARDING OUTDOOR WARNING SIRENS**

WHEREAS, Sarpy County and the City of Springfield wish to enter into an Interlocal Agreement regarding the ownership, operational control, upgrades, repair and maintenance of outdoor warning sirens; and

WHEREAS, the City of Springfield presently owns and maintains multiple outdoor warning sirens; and

WHEREAS, through a Memorandum of Understanding, the City of Springfield has agreed to relinquish operational control of its outdoor warning sirens to Sarpy County, and Sarpy County has agreed to operationally control the City's outdoor warning sirens on behalf of the City; and

WHEREAS, Sarpy County is pursuing an upgrade to the current outdoor warning siren system to include improvements to siren security, functionality, and reliability; and

WHEREAS, Sarpy County agreed to fund one-hundred percent (100%) of the cost of such improvements, which will remain owned and maintained by the City.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Governing Body of the City of Springfield, Nebraska that the Interlocal Agreement with Sarpy County regarding outdoor warning sirens, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit "A," is hereby approved.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Governing Body of the City of Springfield, Nebraska that the Mayor is authorized to enter into said Interlocal Agreement.

Introduced and Passed this 5th day of July, 2023.

Record of Vote:

Ayes: Neitzel, Herzog, Craney

Nays: None

Abstain: None

Absent: Mayor Bob Roseland was absent, so Council President Kacie Murtha presided as Mayor.

Resolution adopted, signed and billed as adopted.

Approved: Robert Roseland, Mayor
SEAL
Attest: Kelly Shemek, City Clerk

Agenda Item 6. Motion by Herzog, seconded by Neitzel, to table agenda item 6, regarding Kent Maystrick's annual review and proposed merit increase, until the July 18, 2023, Council meeting. AYES: Neitzel, Herzog, Craney. NAYS: None. Motion carried.

Agenda Item 7. Motion by Herzog, seconded by Neitzel, to table agenda item 7, regarding Heath Shemek's annual review and proposed merit increase, until the July 18, 2023, Council meeting. AYES: Neitzel, Herzog, Craney. NAYS: None. Motion carried.

Department Reports

Agenda Item 1. Neitzel reported that staff are waiting for more bids to fix the water leak on N. 3rd Street. If the original contractor is unable to assist, a new contractor will need to be called in so the issue can be resolved for the homeowner. Water meters are being replaced and Andie Ledenbach, Assistant City Clerk/Utility Billing Clerk, and Heath Shemek, Sewer/Water Operator, are doing great with this project.

Agenda Item 2. Herzog reported that the library has started their summer reading program and plans to add a new bench outside the library. Herzog also reported that the Springfield Days duck race raised \$2,000, and the used book sale raised over \$300. Also, the Wildlife Encounters and Night Sky programs were both well attended.

Agenda Item 3. Murtha reported that the communication boards will be installed next week, and the disc golf signs will be installed afterward.

Agenda Item 4. Craney reported that he spoke with Bryan Cherry, Street Commissioner, regarding concrete pours at 3rd and Maple Streets. Craney also stated that Cherry has started tarring the streets and is hoping to get a new tar machine this coming budget year.

Agenda Item 5. Mayor Roseland did not report.

Agenda Item 6. Gottsch reported that we are having some issues with banner brackets not being in the best shape and needing to be replaced. Elliott Smart, Director of Vehicles/Equipment/Buildings, obtained a bid from Lutz Welding in the amount of \$2,400 for the fabrication of forty new banner brackets. Andie Ledenbach, Assistant City Clerk/Utility Billing Clerk, researched banner brackets online through Amazon and found they were more expensive than Lutz Welding's bid. Council directed staff to proceed with Lutz Welding. Gottsch reported that when Hentges was working on the Sewer Agency's sewer main installation off Platteview Road they damaged the road and plan to repair it; however, Platteview Road will have to be closed for one day to complete the work. Sarpy County does not want heavy semi-truck traffic on 132nd Street as it is not rated for that weight, so Hentges is trying to reconfigure detours.

Council discussed the FY 2023-2024 Budget.

Adjournment

Motion by Neitzel, seconded by Herzog, to adjourn. AYES: Neitzel, Herzog, Craney. NAYS: None. Meeting adjourned at 8:40 p.m. Motion carried.

I, the undersigned, City Clerk for the City of Springfield, Nebraska, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of proceedings had and done by the City Council on July 5, 2023; that all of the subjects included in the foregoing proceedings were contained in the agenda for the meeting, kept continually current and readily available for public inspection at the office of the City Clerk; that such agenda items were sufficiently descriptive to give the public reasonable notice of the matters to be considered at the meeting; that such subjects were contained in said agenda for at least twenty-four hours prior to said meeting; that at least one copy of all reproducible material discussed at the meeting was available at the meeting for examination and copying by members of the public; that the said minutes from which the foregoing proceedings have been extracted were in written form and available for public inspection within ten working days and prior to the next convened meeting of said body; that all news media requesting notification concerning meetings of said body were provided advance notification of the time and place of said meeting and the subjects to be discussed at said meeting; and that a current copy of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act was available and accessible to members of the public, posted during such meeting in the room in which such meeting was held.

Kelly Shemek
City Clerk