City of Newdale

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April 1, 2021  
8:00 p.m.  
  
  
**City Council Meeting**  
Present: Dal Schwendiman, Joseph Powell, Chad Stevens, Raymonda Furness, John Briggs, Susan Lott, Dick Dyer, Rick Miller, Kevin Harris, Rob Cromwell, Myka Brown and Mark Layton from ITD

The Pledge of Allegiance was repeated, and a prayer given by Raymonda Furness.

Joe Powell made a motion to accept the minutes for February 4, 2021. Raymonda Furness seconded with corrections. All voted affirmative.

Chad Stevens made a motion to pay the bills submitted for the month of April 2021, Raymonda Furness seconded, all voted affirmative.

Myka Brown from ITD told the City Council about the upcoming project on Hwy 33. HK Contractors was the low bid and are expected to begin the last week of May of the First week in June. They will be stopping traffic an using a pilot car. The plan is to add 5-foot shoulders along the way and to finish before harvest. Mr. Dyer spoke with them about placing sleeves under the road to allow for future piping to be put in place.

Rick Miller from The Development Company discussed playground equipment purchasing. We discussed the project budget and the Council was given ranking sheet to fill out for the Playground contract.

Rob Cromwell from Forsgren Assoc discussed the park project. They have sent out five (5) sets of bid documents. We will hold a bid opening on April 13, 2021 at 4:00 pm.

The water meter at Mendoza’s home was frozen. John thawed the pipes, removed the meter and put a pipe in it temporarily.

Dick Dyer spoke with the Council about the work to be done on Highway #33 this summer and the impact on the City. He also went over the Annual Wastewater Reuse Report sent to DEQ.

The Council discussed the Easter Egg Hunt, there is still snow on the ground so we will have no Easter Egg Hunt this year and use the funds that we would have used towards the fireworks.

The Council discussed forming a volunteer committee to oversee special projects and events in the city.

The Council discussed city clean-up and decided that we would not hold an event here in the city and provide dumpsters due to the high cost but that we would utilize the Fremont County Landfill. They have offered to take our yard waste for free during a designated week.

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Joe Powell made a motion to adjourn, Raymonda Furness seconded.  Meeting adjourned 9:54 pm.

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Mayor – Dal Schwendiman City Clerk – Susan Lott