

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

The Thermopolis Town Council met in regular session on November 19, 2024, at 7 pm at Town Hall. Present were Mayor Adam Estenson, Council members John Dorman Sr., Rachel Hughes, Dusty Lewis and Bill Malloy (via phone). Also, present were Mayor/Codes Administrative Assistant Jim Jeunehomme, Clerk/Treasurer Tracey Van Heule, Public Works Director Basil Sorensen, Police Chief Pat Cornwell, Town Engineer Anthony Barnett, and Town Attorney Marshall Keller.

AGENDA: Following the pledge of allegiance, Dorman made a motion, seconded by Hughes and carried to approve the agenda with the addition of an Oath of Office under the Police Department.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT: Dorman made a motion, seconded by Malloy and carried to approve the financial statement for October 2024.

OATH OF OFFICE: Mayor Adam Estenson administered the oath of office to Jonathan Bartlett, a new police officer.

DEPARTMENT REPORTS: Barnett noted the landfill well sampling was completed, a sanitary survey is in progress at the water plant, and he is waiting on paperwork from WYDOT for the next step with the transfer station. Sorensen noted the crew has been working on the Roundtop Road.

TOWN ATTORNEY: SECOND READING OF AN ORDINANCE REVOKING FLUORIDATION IN THE WATER SUPPLY: Keller read the proposed ordinance which would remove the addition of fluoride to the water supply. Hughes noted her Dentist recommended the addition of fluoride in the water. Discussion ensued. Dorman made a motion and seconded by Lewis to approve the second reading of the ordinance. Voting aye were Estenson, Malloy, Dorman and Lewis. Hughes voted no. Motion carried.

MAYOR & COUNCIL: Lewis made a motion, seconded by Dorman and carried for Hughes to be the voting delegate at the WAM winter conference. At 7:20pm Lewis made a motion, seconded by Hughes and carried to adjourn. The next Council meeting is December 3, 2024, at 7pm.

ATTEST:

Tracey Van Heule, Clerk/Treasurer

Adam R. Estenson, Mayor