

TOWN OF HUDSON
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333 SOUTH MAIN STREET
HUDSON, WY 82515
September 13, 2022

Mayor Anderson called the Regular Town Council Meeting to order at 6:00p.m. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited, and roll call was announced.

Governing Body Present: Mayor Mike Anderson, Councilmembers, Brady Hamilton, Archie Hanson, and Mary Anne Robeson were in attendance. Councilmember Zeke Bonella joined the meeting at 6:05. A Quorum was declared.

City Staff Present: Water Treatment Plant Director, Don Rood; Clerk-Treasurer, Kathy Shoopman; Maintenance Worker, Kim Houle; and Town Attorney Rick Sollars

Audience: Mary Fenton, Keith Oler, Elizabeth Schultz, Tim Pawol, Dave Houle, Michael Dabich, Seth Wood, Brian Linton, Daniel Svilar, Jeff Gee, Helen Wilson.

Public Comments:

Mayor Anderson recognized Michael Dabich. Mr. Dabich addressed the council about the damage done to his real property from June when the Van Life group was staying in Hudson. Mr. Dabich was told that the vans were on his private property, and he went up to check it out. He spoke to Josiah Roe who was the individual in charge of the event. Josiah told Mr. Dabich that he hired someone to brush hog the area for the vans. Mr. Dabich reported that he told them they were on private property and were trespassing. The one van on his property moved off of it. Mr. Dabich called the sheriff's department and reported that the deputy basically told him he had no recourse because his property was not posted as no trespassing. Mr. Dabich went on to state that he spoke to Mayor Anderson about who gave the van lifers permission to be on his property. He posted no trespassing signs, and one was vandalized. He showed the council the sign that had been vandalized. Mr. Dabich stated the van lifers did bring an economic boost to Hudson and that they did not leave a mess, but they had no business being on his private property. He feels that he was treated unfairly. They had no business being on his personal property and he does not believe the mayor has done his job.

Helen Wilson from the Wind River Visitor's Council then addressed the council. Ms. Wilson introduced herself and stated that the Wind River Visitor's Council helped out with the van life event. She stated that the mowing was a mistake. She stated that Josiah Roe had offered to reimburse Mr. Dabich for his trouble, he has offered to hire a landscaper to repair the damage to his property and has offered to do whatever he could to make amends. Mr. Dabich had not responded to any of Josiah's offers. Ms. Wilson provided statistics from the event of how many participants stayed after the event and stated that approximately \$623 per person was spent in Fremont County during the four-day event for a total of \$143,993.00 spent in Fremont County. Josiah has tried to reach out to make amends. Mr. Dabich stated that the whole incident was mishandled and stated he doesn't want anything from the town. He further stated that he will not be a lucky any longer. Mr. Dabich then thanked the council for their time and left the meeting.

Tim Pawol was next to address the council. He addressed the council about several items. He first asked if there was any headway being made regarding getting the DOT to put in a crosswalk

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across the highway to the post office. Mayor Anderson responded that he has left messages with the DOT supervisor and has not received a return call yet. Mr. Pawol further stated that the approach onto the highway needs to be ground down as his wife's car almost high centers on it when she pulls out. Mr. Pawol next inquired about when the trees would be taken care of and trimmed. Mayor Anderson responded that he spoke to the tree service the day before and they stated they would probably be out next week.

Mr. Pawol next wanted to address rumors that he heard that stated not all the Grant monies the town receives is being used where it needs to be used. Mayor Anderson reported on the current grants the town has and is currently working on. There is a grant from the Business Ready Council to put a water line into Frank's Butcher Shop. These grants are restricted for certain items and may not be used for other purposes. The grants are all a part of the minutes. The town is working on a new grant to repair the lagoons. It has not been approved yet. Mayor Anderson also reported there is also a Loan application into the State Revolving Loan program through the Lands and Investment Board for new water meters, repairs and upgrades to the treatment plant and leakage detection. This loan application will go before the board in October.

Mr. Pawol then spoke about the Neighborhood Watch program he is a part of and would like to have it put into the newsletter. Ms. Shoopman advised him to get her the information and she will put it into the newsletter and gave him the deadline for inclusion in next month's newsletter.

Mayor Anderson next asked if there were any other public comments. As there were no more on the agenda.

Seth Wood asked to address the council. Seth is a contract operator for the town for the Sewer Lagoons. He stated that there are serious issues at the Lagoons. There is a large infiltration of fresh water into one of the water mains out on the old highway that is filling one cell of the lagoons. Seth explained that there is a collapsed line, and it will require either a new main line or a new liner. Until it is fixed, the town cannot meet the requirements for the lagoons. Kim Houle, the town's maintenance worker, stated that the lagoon system has been in place since the 1970's and there is now more water than it was designed to handle. She stated the town has been out of compliance with DEQ for awhile but are now in compliance. The high turnover in the maintenance position led to no records to research on the lagoon status.

Councilman Bonella asked what needs to be done? Seth Wood responded that the main line needs to be repaired as soon as possible. The lagoon can die without the proper infiltration. There is a quote from Environmental Dynamics in the council packets to review the lagoon system.

Councilman Hanson asked how long the system has been having problems. Seth stated it sat empty for close to two years and there is a possible short circuit in the line design. He suggested there be a barrier (baffle) installed to separate Cell number 1 from the rest of the lagoon. The aeration may be able to be fixed as a short-term Band-Aid but there is not enough air in Cell 1. The finer the bubbles, the better and this has not been maintained properly for years. Seth stated that the liner was put in some 15 years ago and they have been digging out a lot of trash as well

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as bad grease in the lines. The priority now would be to fix the line and make a plan to redo the system over the next two years to get it up to date with the DEQ requirements. He stated that the town is on the DEQ radar as we have had three inspections in the last two months. Seth stated that the inspection from Environmental Dynamics would cost \$9,950 to inspect the system and probably another \$10,000 to fix the aerators. Councilman Bonella thanked him for his opinion and time.

Danny Svilar next wanted to speak to the council. Mr. Svilar wanted to speak up for the van lifer event. He stated that business owners in Hudson said that the van lifer participants were fantastic. Danny stated that he felt Mr. Dabich's daughter was rude and yelling at the van life participants. He stated that the whole story needed to be told and this event was a great opportunity for the town. Mr. Svilar apologized to Helen Wilson for the trouble and thanked the council for their time and stated he hopes the Van Life Event will become a yearly thing for Hudson. Mr. Pawol interjected that he did not want them to come back.

There being no further public comments, Mayor Anderson moved on with the agenda.

Consent Agenda:

Mayor Anderson asked if there were any questions or concerns regarding the minutes of the August council meeting, the minutes of the special public hearing, the financial report, and payment of bills. There were none noted.

Minutes: correction or approval of the minutes of the August Council Meeting and correction or approval of the Special Public Hearing Minutes from August 25. There were no corrections.

Financial Report: questions regarding the August financial report. There were no questions or comments.

Motion: Councilmember Brady Hamilton made a motion to approve the consent agenda of council minutes, special public hearing minutes, financial report, and payment of bills and claims, and Councilmember Archie Hanson seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

MAYOR'S REPORT:

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FCAG

The major issue with FCAG is the ambulance issue. The county has signed a contract and is looking for the towns to help support the short fall. The county has decided to support the ambulance with ARPO funding. This is a short 2 year solve. The state is trying to address this issue. This year's legislators have funded a statewide grant to start planning to address the issue. The state has been divided up into several regions and each region could apply for a planning grant Our region seems quite large, and first blush would a lot of various issues. At the last ambulance meeting several alternatives were discussed

- A mill levy on the property tax.
- Bringing back the food sales tax

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- A Sales tax restricted to rural health care
- A health care district

Shoshone has started the process of starting their own ambulance service

Any further discussions will continue in the new year

FEMA

We have completed the removal of the HESCO barriers and sent notification of such to FEMA and WOHS. We continue to work on a long-term solution. FEMA has accepted final report.

Water Treatment plant

Voc. Rehab has notified us that John Nations has been approved to start his training. John has run the plant several weekends on his own and is progressing in his training. Within the next month or so he should be taking his class1 test

Wyoming Business Council Funding

Engineering group is hiring engineer to start the process and should have bid documents done within the next 30 days.

Hudson Economic Recovery Organization (HERO)

WE had the first community meeting May 5,2022 and had thirteen people there. This was just for information purposes and passed out the application package.

- Existing businesses given preference
- The grants will require a match from the business
- The grants will be reimbursable. We will pay from submitted invoices up to the award
- The business will have a year to expend the funds

We have 3 applications, and the Committee is set up to meet in September

SRFA funding.

We have filed the Loan application and have received a review back from SLIB and are in the final steps.

ARRPA funding

We have filed for funds to fix the lagoon. Discussed with SLIB the second turn of funding would not require a match and provide funding for planning. However, this funding is no longer available due to other municipalities getting larger chunks of the monies.

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CLERK – TREASURER REPORT

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Elections are just around the corner! The General Election is November 8th.

We have completed the contract for the Business Ready Grant for the waterline project for Frank's Butcher Shop. The engineers are getting the ball rolling.

We have submitted everything SLIB has requested and are in the final steps of the loan package. I believe we need one more publication and we are complete.

We had our fiscal audit the first week of September and it has been submitted to the state. Once again, Hudson passed. It was my first audit, and I can tell you I was nervous, but she was great to work with and very understanding of my learning curve. I managed to find everything she asked for and only had to call in Sharon for payroll questions from before I started working for the town.

Teresa has left and moved on to work elsewhere. We are missing her, and I am trying to get up to speed on her job. Mike has hired Helen Gordon to help out and she is catching on quickly. Kim will take over the meter reading responsibilities.

We have a utility rate study being completed and will be looking into a rate increase in the future for more revenue.

I am working on cleaning up the vault room in my spare time. It is a long process, because I have very little spare time. Customers are learning to look to the glass office for me. I have found this move has given me more time to work on projects and reports without as many interruptions.

I will be attending a two-day Caselle training in Salt Lake October 25-26. I am excited for the additional knowledge about the system with more focus on grants and budgeting, as well as networking with my peers throughout the states. I've signed up for several classes that will help my understanding of the Treasurer part of my duties and the Utility management part of the program.

I continue to work on the new town website when time permits. I'm hoping to have it ready to go live in October.

There have been several complaints about speeding through town, and dogs running loose again this month.

We have had several people request time on the agenda for various matters. It looks like we will have a very busy meeting this month.

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Water Treatment Plant Report to Council

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The Treatment Plant Produced 2,533,300 Gallons in for the Month of August 2022, averaging 81,719 gallons per day. So far for the Month of September we're averaging 99,833 gallons per day due to extremely hot temperatures.

The August Bacteriological sample was taken on August 16 and received by the state health lab in the necessary time frame. The testing report was satisfactory with free and total chlorine residuals recorded. Rad's and DBP sampling took place in August and reports from the lab have arrived this month.

The CCR for 2021 was completed and posted. It was late, due on July 1, but is completed after finding the data necessary for the report. Most of the information is now available for completion of the 2022 report with my sampling and testing data reports from Energy Labs being completed this year.

Rad's and DBP sampling took place in August and reports from the lab have arrived this month.

Another failure on a control valve on LPM #1 has shut down the train until another solenoid valve can be replaced. I hope to have that resolved before the council meeting.

Suez has agreed with EPA and has ok'd replacement of single membrane cassettes instead of having to purchase and replace entire membrane train. I've received the bid for 6 replacement cassettes for replacement and having spares on hand. It is a shocking \$20,240. It would certainly make sense for an American manufacturer to pick up the technology and licensing for membrane production. I've forwarded the bid to everyone involved. LPM #2 is out of compliance until the faulty cassettes are replaced. It can't be kicked down the road.

A reasonable yearly purchase makes sense from a budgeting standpoint to keep ahead of any membrane issues in the future.

Suez has also bid on reprogramming all the new PLCs in the plant and restoring the programs the way they were originally designed for operation of both membrane skids. This should take care of some of the glitches that are occurring with the operation. There has been tinkering with programming in the past that makes absolutely no sense.

The new VFD #2 installation was completed and the issue with the pump discharge valve not opening was indeed found that the motor was not coming up to speed with my digital tachometer. We found there was an error in programming of the PLC by ITCET that was resolved at no charge by Jerry Cox from ITCET.

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I've received estimates from two tank cleaning diving services. Midwest was less costly and was selected to do the project. I hope it can be scheduled before the weather turns as it is well overdue.

We've overhauled the permanganate feed system and should have the pink water issues resolved and safety in mixing the solutions addressed. Lab and visual observations of the feed system is being addressed.

I'll be setting up training for routine lab testing with John and Justin this month. I'm working on making minor changes for the original lab spreadsheets that were never utilized at the plant.

The plant is now in a condition of being clean, organized and acceptable for tours if desired.

My distribution license should be renewed this month. I'm stressing that there are several items needing addressing for maintenance that has been kicked down the road for years that can't be ignored any more if I'm designated as the distribution in responsible charge. Bad valves, curb stops etc. My fear of a worst-case scenario is having to shut the entire distribution system down for a major repair. This would mean no water for all residents until the repairs were made, then several days with a boil order in place.

My vacation week off the week of August 22 was good. Justin and John did a good job in keeping things going. It was a good learning experience for both.

Monthly Maintenance Report

For the month of Aug

September council

Week of 8-1 – 8-5-22

Continued repairs at lagoon and daily logs of Blower hours. Met with Kyle town engineer RE: Lagoon changes and upgrade requirement due to failed lift station and poor upkeep and breakdown of aeration system discussed changing out main truck line for cell #1 to steel due to being with in 50 ft of Blowers and to replace main truck line and type of aeration for all cells possible installation of baffle in cell one to slow retention time for better treatment of raw sewage. Running the influent line on out side and then in at far end due to failed influent line currently used and most likely causes a short circuit issue as discussed in last council meeting we had issue with well house and tank running dry that supplies irrigation to cemetery which resulted in failed pump due to running dry. Bub Parker helped diagnose issue again a thank you to his devotion to our town. We also had an issue with our blowers this week that required a electrician to come in and fix while he was here to fix the issue on the tank that communicates with well house. Also, gathering information for DMR's with Brian Linton back up operator. We also changed out all our locks to access the gates to one set of locks to limit the number of keys Patrick construction and Kyle town engineer met at lagoon on the 5th and to replace broken t

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section will be around \$10,000 dollars. Note will attempt to repair to try and stretch out use to replace instead or repair only to change out system at latter date if we can
Week 8-8 -8-12

This week we are still trying to replace the pump to cemetery several trips to Riverton due to pump not being the same as we removed, Mayor did the pump purchase and all the back and forth to get the right one. We still have code on the blowers which we don't know how to clear or the meaning of it Seth Wood operator in charge right now has not determine course of action if possible to clear. Took E Coli sample with Seth on Monday and went to Riverton with it so has to know where to drop off and, on the way, back we lost the wheel on the Hwy to the dodge thankfully no one was hurt. Also found all abandoned and out of compliance vehicles in town need to determine what to do about it. Of course the council meeting was this week also We had a shift in the upper tank on Blower one not sure what caused the shift but seems we got it to stabilize and not move any more. Found where the new pavement on New York that a man hole was paved over this was on the ninth pump finally installed at cemetery purged lines of air and then we have an electrical issue Electrician Jerry Cox was called and he will fix on the 11th and it was don and we got it up and running setting timers for 4 day a week with a longer run time to green up grass for being off for so long. Found excess fat and debris in sewer on Ohio and second about three feet of stuff treated with acid found cracked manhole between Indianan and Illinois on 2nd installed new tire on diesel lawn mower called school to verify them not cooking there for would not cause excess build up in the sewer they do not so follow up to have notice given in newsletter. Shut gate to land fill and locked due to cows done monthly labs for lagoons met with town engineer to discuss covered manhole was told that basically the warranty is up so I suppose we will have to leave it until there is an issue marked side of road with a t post to make it easier to find next time. Installed t post up and lagoon to help stabilize trunk line coming out of building removed strap from holding it all together or that is what we though to find out it was due to an air leak that wasn't adjusted right through flange adjusted after 2 plus hours got air leak fixed Now DEQ will not have that issue with us. On the 11th Joshua and I move concrete blocks to the future gas and diesel tank area where Mike thought would be a good place by water plant then we are to line and place gravel in but we are 6 blocks short of completion Mayor was informed. Made order for necessary equipment to perform duties and testing at lagoon so a Gas meter was ordered a PH meter was ordered and other equipment to gather samples and also safety harness to climb water towers to make repairs to sending unit for well house. Notice on the 12th that it appeared we had an issue going on at lagoon with higher than normal levels in cells called Seth wood he said to adjust effluent to 4 inches. Cleaned up Basketball court of debris and tables etc.. two pick up loads of junk removed and all garbage removed at parks and cemetery Joshua left to go back to teach this week will miss his help .
Week of 8-15 – 8-19

Monday the 15th lagoon to high on cell 1 and two low on cell 2 and 3 called Seth Wood adjusted effluent removed duct tape from break in preparation of attempted repair. Marked tree on Ohio for limb removal. 8:30 am DEQ inspection Seth showed up also and also Imperial pumps came also to repair lift station fixed a gate up by the ball field that was cut ran all new wire and poles installed new lock after I cut old lock off. Met with Kyle city engineer possible water leak on 2nd and Illinois due to sinking road and valve and breaking of concrete undetermined so far still investigating. We have since found no water leak just bad compaction from company that did the road. Started to try to patch for temporary fix on t joint at lagoon aeration since that we did three application total got a 2 cfm bump but still leaking so now instead of -1 we are now +1 serviced blower and electric

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motors at blower house blower two electric motor was filthy but is now clean and up and running no issues we upped the cemetery watering schedule; due to two week down time to 5 days in a row and now we are back on a Monday Wednesday. and Friday. Schedule and back to looking nice and green

Started to investigate a jump in our fresh water influent at lagoon effecting our labs found partial block on Missouri and forth this is an area I would like to discuss verbally to council easier than to write it all out. Had to check out some tree on 1st street that the home owner thought was the towns it they where not of course she was disappointed due to them needing attention we had another issue at well house the pipe with the injector for chemical has a hole in it we exercised the valve to shut it down and called City Plumbing to make repair due to size of pipe and mixed pipe connections filled hole from drain of tank with pea gravel and now we know what the valve does it is the drain on water tower to clear at winter. Made adjustment to toilet at Library due to tank leaking got it to stop most likely due to none use for so long.

On the 18th called Seth Wood due to my concern on blockage of the cells and this being the possible reason cell 1 was much higher than cell 2 & 3 started getting things put together to get DMR's filed. Fixed a tire on the diesel lawn mower on the 19th and talked Josh in to helping one more time on Friday to get the cemetery mowed we got it a big thanks for his help we got it done by 12:40 had to open Effluent levels to 4 ½ inches to get lagoon from not overflow also filled a hole by well house with gravel so has not to have anyone fall in and hurt them selves
Week 8/22 – 8/26

This week got a hold of Brian Martin with Kleen pipe to help get the possible clog taken care of and to start investigation of infiltration of sewers with fresh water on the 22nd also started to get DMR stuff filled out. Fixed the long broken swing at the park had to order sample bottles for E Coli test this week went through and opened Manholes all over town to try and track high flow areas fixed the sprinkler system at the veterans park today the wires that control it where cut. Continue garbage duties this month as well started to learn meter reading with Teresa of which is leaving so I can start to do that next month too. Kleen Pipe arrived to help figure out some issues with me and also to back flush the lagoons which did equalize the cells it was fat build up mostly we also found a partial blockage on Missouri and 4th Talked with Brian about setting up inspections for a fifth of the town every year and we need to have "Council approval for this from what I was told after the cleaning and back wash and exercising valves I adjusted the Effluent back to 2 inches which is about 33,000 gallons discharge per 24 hours. This week was full of weed wacky and mowing parks a and such did E coli test this week also fist PH test I have taken anow that I got a meter I can take the readings as required. Also found the other fire hydrant that doesn't work this week and tagged it out of order it is located on 4th between Missouri and Oklahoma we have several fire hydrants that have risers that are not to code. Not allowed more than 6 inches above grade installed town new meter this week also been a busy week
8/29 through September 2nd

this week as been about getting rid of the rest of the trees at the lagoons and after many loads and much cutting we have removed all trees from critical areas of the lagoon and where we take our influent labs from. I even got to do a bit of dead animal removal this week Raccoon yuck LOL. This week had to get batteries charged on the Back hoe to get brush pile cleaned up due to dumping where people are not suppose to be did get most cleaned up[had to replace batteries will not hold charge. Still dealing with lots of extra fresh water in the lagoon also got all our DMRS filed now we are compliant on the filings of the DMRs for the first time in over a year. We did a bucket test to determine the approximate effluent at lagoons and at 2 inches we are about 33,120 gallons per 24 hour period will be increasing to

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4inches then to 5 to get lagoon levels at approximate 2 feet below grad for expansion due to freezing this coming winter and for extra room due to the extra flow. We also for the first time in years pulled a reading at the river like we are supposed to every quarter. This reading was 7.14 PH which is near perfect and a temperature of 71 degrees Fahrenheit. Also topped off all equipment with Fuel everything I so when I go get it I can have tanks on truck and all equipment full also got everything marked and located to install new curb stop at 181 Ohio which has not worked in years apparently. On the last day of the month had a call at 457 S. Main no water after much time trying to find curb stop and meter which ended up under gravel at front of house pulled meter completely blocked and nonfunctioning replace with the only new meter and ready I have in stock got them up and running late night at around 6pm. The rest of the week we got a park mowed a whole bunch of brush hog and weed wacking done all over town. Got sing turned on Ohio at close to coal so when coming up there is a 15-mph sign Note we need a 4 way stop sign at Ohio and Coal bad to slow down the traffic which at times are near are born. Note of Great concern we have no way to shut off water on Ohio at all during the curb stop replacement did everything I could, and Bub Parker helped to try and get water shut off no luck broken valves which apparently have been broken a few years and several so full of dirt and debris couldn't not get on the valve to even attempt to turn. Recommend getting all mains vacuumed truck to remove dirt and start to exercise to get a list of nonfunctioning and working valves some most likely have not been exercised in years. Also in order to replace curb stop wet we reduced the pressure by opening a fire hydrant on Ohio and had to run almost 45 minutes to clear the black brown water we need to flush bad. Talked with Kleen pipe to clean and scope a few areas I suspect infiltration of our sewer lines that I suspect have an infiltration issue going on. They will start next week.

Week 9/6 through 9/9

Lagoon level very high fished by setting effluent top 5inches this week and they started to drop Kleen pipe started this week to clean and use cameras to find infiltration and most of the manholes themselves are being infiltrated by fresh water most likely to stop we would have to have them lined or something. Note please ask questions here I would like to share with the council on several issues in more detail in regard to Lagoons and issues elsewhere. We have a liner that has collapsed on the line between Ohio and Lagoon this will either have to be redone if possible but most likely will need the line replaced the contractor went home early there are several other items that I might have missed please do not hesitate to ask questions Lagoon as stabilized and we got it at about 1 ½ feet below grade instead of almost cresting the bank. Kleen pipe is not completed with the line as of the 12th Seth Wood will be attending the council meeting possible Brian Linton too in order to discuss situation on the lagoon and regs. We also received our inspections result from Aug today the 12th.

Mayor Anderson asked if there were any questions or comments regarding the department reports

MOTION: There being no comments regarding the reports, Councilmember Archie Hanson moved to approve the reports and Councilmember Mary Anne Robeson seconded. The motion passed unanimously.

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Old Business:

Business Ready Grant: The contract for the Business Ready Community Grant and Loan Program Grant Agreement Between the Wyoming Business Council Investments Division and the Town of Hudson has been executed. The engineers are working on their part and it should be going to bid soon.

SLIB – Loan – Mayor Anderson reported that all items have been turned in to the State Lands office and we have been put on the agenda for their October 6, 2022 meeting. Mike will attend the meeting.

New Business:

Environmental Dynamics Scope of Work Proposal – The scope of work for the inspection of the lagoons was reviewed. Attorney, Rick Sollars advised Mayor Anderson to contact Environmental Dynamics and have them make a couple of changes to the agreement before the town executes the same. Mike will contact them.

Councilmember Zeke Bonella moved that the Statement of Work be approved after changes are made. Councilmember Mary Anne Robison seconded. Motion carried unanimously.

Lagoon Repairs - Discussion was held on making repairs to the lagoons as soon as possible. Attorney Sollars asked Seth Wood what areas of the line are collapsed. Seth reported that there may be other areas and we will have to wait for Kleen Pipe to complete their review. Kleen Pipe has been contracted to complete their review of the line and locate the most likely place of breakage that will need to be replaced. Once that is complete, we can explore the repair of the line. Kim Houle reported that the condition of the liner and pipe is unknown. It is her understanding that Viper Construction was supposed to fix or replace all clay pipes over six years ago. Mayor Anderson will contact Viper to see if he can get more information on the lines.

Attorney Sollars stated that the job will likely have to go out to bid and explained the bidding requirements to the council. Any project over thirty-five thousand dollars must go out for bid. Any project between five thousand and thirty-five thousand dollars should have three quotes requested for review.

Seth Wood stated that he has photos from Kleen Pipe of the collapsed pipe and will request an estimate from them to complete the review. Councilmember Hamilton said the clay pipe is obviously broken or the liner would not fail.

Library - Councilmember Mary Anne Robeson wanted to publicly thank Mary Fenton for coming to the council last month and requesting the Library be reopened. She stated that the library has been open on Thursdays from 2:00 – 7:00 p.m. and she has had 5-7 people coming in regularly with others contacting her at other times.

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There being no other business to come before the Council, Councilmember Zeke Bonella moved to adjourn into executive session. Councilmember Brady Hamilton seconded. The regular Council Meeting adjourned at 6:43 p.m.

Approved:

Mayor, Mike Anderson

Councilman, Brady Hamilton

Councilwoman, Mary Anne Robeson

Councilman, Archie Hanson

Councilman, Zeke Bonella

Attest:

Clerk/Treasurer, Kathy Shoopman