

CITY OF PIERZ
Official Minutes of the Pierz City Council Workshop
January 24th, 2022
5:30 PM

MEMBERS PRESENT: Mayor Dave Fischer, Council Member Don Bujalski, Council Member Lynn Egan, Council Member Jacque Ballou, City Clerk Kyle Bednar by phone, Treasurer Linda Sczublewski

STAFF PRESENT: City Administrator Bob Otremba

AGENDA:

HOMETOWN FIBER:

Steve Wielock and Kyle Moorhead from Hometown Fiber presented the city council with information about their company and how they would work with the city to determine if there is adequate internet infrastructure in Pierz now and in the future. They presented a proposal to the city for \$3,275.00 to create a Field Study Report with GIS layers of broadband, logical next steps, cost estimates, and would also review existing technologies. Mayor Dave Fischer has reached out to Mid Continent Communication and the city council would like to gather more information on the city's current internet situation before moving forward.

2024 STREET IMPROVEMENT PROJECT:

Mayor Dave Fischer summarized the public works committee meeting that took place in January 2022 regarding the 2024 Street Improvement Project. The committee met with Rich Prairie Sewer and Water District and reviewed the current Capital Improvement Plan. Several streets were discussed at the committee meeting and the type of improvements needed in each area. SEH engineer Scott Hedlund will have a proposal for a feasibility study ready for the city council to consider on Monday, February 14th, 2022 at its regular meeting.

CAPITAL FINANCE PLAN:

City Administrator Bob Otremba presented the unaudited year-end revenues and expenditures report for 2021. He also presented the Capital Finance Plan which includes financial estimates for the golf course expansion, 2024 Street Improvement Project, and regular operating revenues and expenses for the city.

ADJOURNMENT:

A motion was made by Council Member Don Bujalski and seconded by Council Member Jacque Ballou to adjourn the workshop at 6:30 pm. Motion carried unanimously.



Dave Fischer, Mayor



Kyle Bednar, City Clerk