MINUTES October 13, 2025

The City Council of Badger met in regular session at 6:30 p.m. at Badger City Hall with Mayor Chris Wendell presiding. Council members present: Roger Curtis, Jeff Brundige, Teresa Larson-White, Pam Smith and Nathan Jones. Also present: Michael Hendren, Rod and Kristi Lassiter, Angela and Brandon Sandven. Motion to approve the agenda was made by Smith second by Curtis, all ayes, motion carried. Motion to approve the consent agenda was made by Larson-White, second by Jones, all ayes, motion carried. The consent agenda consisted of minutes from the September 8th regular meeting and September 22nd special meeting, Clerk/Treasurer report for September, and bills in the amount of \$28,570.97. There was no unscheduled business. Under communications and reports, Library director, Tammy Haack submitted her written report to Council regarding library happenings and discussed grants. She also had questions on how the budget worked. Mark Wertz presented his written Public Works Department report but was absent. The report included numerous maintenance tasks, work with equipment, utility locates, etc. He also discussed work that had been done with installation of new gate valves at the lagoon, as well as the installation of new flow meters at the water plant. Glenda Rasmussen, City Clerk, presented her written report to Council. Council had nothing to report but Curtis discussed Trick or Treat on October 31st. Hours are 5:00 to 7:00 pm with the Badger Lions holding a fun night at 7:00 pm at the fire station. Mayor had nothing to report. Under regular agenda items. Angela and Brandon Sandven discussed work that the city had done next to their property. They reported that public works had inadvertently crossed their property line and removed some of their landscaping when cleaning up vegetation behind the library. After discussion, a motion to replace 2 lilac bushes in the spring and a berm they had built up near their garage to prevent water infiltration was made by Brundige, second by Curtis, all ayes, motion carried. Next, Rod and Kristi Lassiter discussed their options for removing standing water on their property after heavy rains. It was recommended they consult with Nels Pederson, Inc. to see what type of grading and/or drainage they could put in to alleviate the problem. The final item of discussion was a quote from Viking Industrial Painting to repair the latch on the roof hatch of the water tower and perform the cleanout of the tower in the amount of \$4,500.00. Motion to approve made by Curtis, second by Smith, all ayes, motion carried. There being no other business, motion to adjourn was made by Curtis, second by Brundige, all ayes, motion carried. Adjournment at 7:18 p.m.

Glenda R. Rasmussen City Clerk