

Aneta to host 64th annual Turkey Barbecue and Summer Festival June 19th-22nd

It's time to head to Aneta, ND, for the 64th Annual Turkey Barbecue and Summer Festival. Plans are underway for the event scheduled for June 19, 20, 21, & 22. The festival includes some fun new activities this year, as well as the old favorites. The extended weekend is highlighted, of course, by the Aneta Turkey Barbecue on Saturday, June 21.

The activities begin with a basketball game at 7:00 p.m. Thursday, the 19th in the Auditorium downtown. Then, Friday the 20th, brings Rhubarb Recipe Tasting from 2:00 to 3:30 p.m. at the Aneta Orchard. After that, there's the Rib supper at the White Tail Beer Garden from 5:30 p.m. 'til gone. Following the supper Friday, there's the Talent Show at the Auditorium at 7:30 p.m. Rounding out Friday, June 20, is Karaoke with Half Pint Productions at the White Tail Beer Garden from 9:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m.

Saturday the 21st the Turkey Barbecue runs from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m. at the Aneta City Park. There will be 280 turkeys plus potato salad, beans, rolls, chips and more! The day doesn't start with the barbecue, though. There's a Pancake Breakfast at Sundahl Lutheran Church from 7:30 to 10:00 a.m. There are Kids' Games for those 12 and under at the Orchard at 10:00 a.m., then the Car & Bike Show and Swap Meet on Main Street from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. You can also head over to the Old Time Tractor Pull with cash prizes by the Stump Lake Tractor Club from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Weigh in at the old CHS elevator before 10 a.m. A lunch stand is available at the Aneta Auditorium basement from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. The Queen City Café is open all weekend and you can check out Facebook for menu and hours.

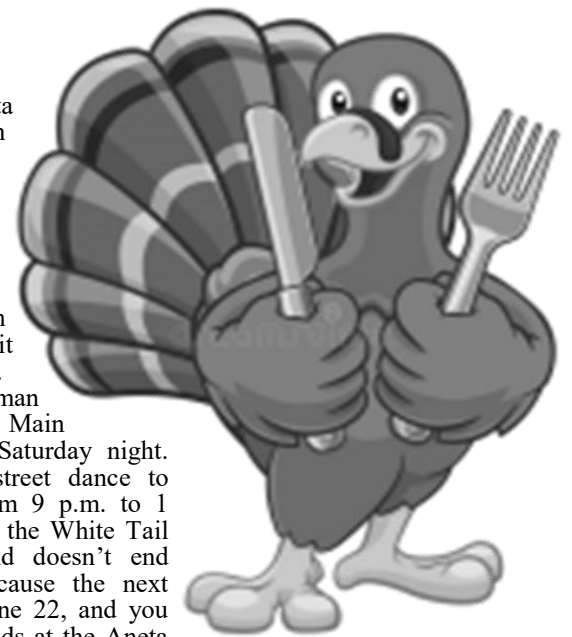
12 noon to 8 p.m. there's the Craft and Vendor Show at the

Aneta City Park and Pavillion. Saturday's next event is the Dog Talent Show at the Tennis Court by the Pavillion at 1 p.m. The Grand Forks Children's Museum will be at the Fire Hall from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m., you will want to check out what they are doing there! There are also Blacksmith Demonstrations in the lot north of the Pavillion Saturday afternoon. You can find Flourious Face Painting in the City Park from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. Next, we have a Parade at 3:30 with line up starting at the Catholic Church, no registration required. Duck Chuck is immediately following the parade on Main Street by the arcade (sponsored by APHC.)

The inflatable games in the city park will run from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. You can also look for the Sheyenne Dance Company selling Dip 'n Dots in the park on Saturday. The main event, though, is the ANETA TURKEY BARBE-

QUE at the Aneta City Park from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m. You can enjoy music by Blue English while you are at the barbecue. There are six serving lines with an average wait time of 15 minutes.

There are Fireman Water Races on Main Street at 7 p.m. Saturday night. Then, there's a street dance to October Road from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. sponsored by the White Tail Bar. The weekend doesn't end there, though, because the next day is Sunday, June 22, and you can join your friends at the Aneta City Park for the All Faith Service at 10:00 a.m. Something new for Sunday this year is a Brunch at the Auditorium from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. sponsored by Sacred Heart Catholic Church.



Our celebration in Aneta is sponsored by the Aneta Booster Club and local sponsors. Check Facebook Event Page for more details. We hope to see you in Aneta June 19, 20, 21, and 22.

NORTHWOOD CITY COUNCIL MINUTES

REGULAR MEETING, CITY COUNCIL NORTHWOOD, NORTH DAKOTA June 9, 2025 UNAPPROVED MINUTES

Mayor Karl Broeren called the meeting to order at 7:00PM at the Community Center. Present for roll call were the following Council Members: Dan Turner, Gordon Hall, Kayla Evenstad, Anthony Hanekamp, and Cory Overstreet. Member absent was: Samantha Bratlie. Staff present: City Auditor Shelly Radke and Operations Manager Sam Spear. Also present was City Attorney Joe Quinn. Public present were: Dustin Fanfulik and Steve Emery from WSN.

The floor was given to Dustin Fanfulik and Steve Emery from WSN to discuss the Sanitary Sewer Project. WSN feels that option #2 would be the best option and most cost effective for the city in continuing the Sanitary Sewer Project. This option will include the acquisition of property. There was a discussion on why this location would be a viable option for the project. There was a discussion on the time crunch for the completion of the project in regard to funds. Fanfulik stated they could have an updated estimate of cost for option #2 in about 2 weeks. It was requested at that time to also have them submit a tentative scheduled timeline of the project.

Evenstad moved, seconded by Turner to approve minutes for the Regular City Council meeting from 5/12/25. Motion carried.5/0.

Hall moved, seconded by Turner to approve minutes for the Special City Council meeting from 5/27/25. Motion carried.5/0.

Hall moved, seconded by Evenstad to pay bills. Cardmember Service 431.36, MISSOURI RIVER 58508.91, MISSOURI RIVER 116.62, Acme Tools 23.98, ADVANCED BUSINESS 345.75, BRAUN

ELECTRIC 4485.00, Chad Beckel 26.81, Cheryl Mathias 49.66, City of Northwood 12770.21, COUNTRYWIDE SANITATION 17676.00, Daryl Ostlie 9.43, East Central Regional Water Dist. 17318.90, GAIL DUCIOAME 139.00, Grand Forks County 1813.35, Information Technology Dept 70.70, Justin Morris 125.00, MELAND LUMBER 146.98, MINNKOTA POWER CO- 7659.75, Nancy Hall 348.68, ND Department Of Environmental Qu 105.00, Northwood Plumbing & Heating 482.44, ONE-CALL CONCEPTS 22.50, Pearson Christensen PLLP 6126.30, POLAR 1154.16, SANITATION PRODUCTS 474.76, Senior Center 42.00, Skip's Petroleum & Propane 1339.27, SKIP'S PETROLEUM 2203.05, T & R ELECTRIC 30626.90, TIM SHEA S NURSERY 219.00, VERIZON WIRELESS 205.11, Vestis 1424.96, Visa 40.33, Visa 556.45, Visa 4.75, T&B Properties LLP DBA 8500.00, Blue Water Consulting Services 620.00, Century Link 354.82, City of Northwood 429.00, DITCH WITCH OF 79.93, JOHNSON PUBLISHING 380.24, Justin Morris 55.00, Millers Fresh Foods 35.82, Nodak 42.32, Titan Machinery Inc. 156.14, Blue Water Consulting Services 551.43, POSTMASTER 261.90, EFTPS 2844.65, EFTPS 2356.54, Medicare EFTPS 4.66, SCOTT BULLERT 1693.18, Chad Beckel 224.41, Keith Cooper 2013.89, GAIL M. DUCIOAME 560.90, Nicole Korsmo 211.63, Cheryl Mathias 714.41, SHELLY RADKE 2017.99, SHELLY K. RADKE 36.94, Thomas Radke 264.69, Larry J. Richards 158.85, SAM SPEAR 2249.94, BLUE CROSS OF ND 6415.00, UNUM LIFE INSURANCE COMP 175.90, AFLAC WORLDWIDE HEADQUAR 496.24, NDPERS 3313.22, SCOTT BULLERT 1300.22, Chad Beckel 1033.52, Keith Cooper 1636.25, GAIL M. DUCIOAME 560.90, Nicole Korsmo 211.63, Cheryl Mathias 562.91, SHELLY

RADKE 1669.91, Thomas Radke 96.42, SAM SPEAR 1941.28, Cheryl Mathias 28.19. Motion carried. 5/0.

Evenstad moved, seconded by Hall to receive and file the financial report. Motion carried. 5/0.

Evenstad moved, seconded by Turner to receive and file the minutes from the 6/2/25 P&Z meeting. Motion carried. 5/0.

Mayor Broeren informed the members of the Public Hearing on June 18th with regards to the Northwood Equity Elevator's 2 conditional use permits.

The May GFSO calls for service report was not submitted to the city.

Mayor Broeren stated he was informed the 3rd Deputy for the Larimore/Northwood GFSO contract was hired. The individual will tentatively start training on July 1st and by November 1st be on the patrol schedule.

The quote submitted by Dakota Fence for repairing the fences around the substations was discussed.

Spear addressed the members on the progress Public Works has made with regards to the building inspection recommendations that were made on the city owned structures.

Turner moved, seconded by Overstreet to purchase the Sullair 185cfm Air Compressor from Acme Tools, with the cost to be paid out of the Equipment Fund. Roll call vote: Hall, Turner, Overstreet, Hanekamp, and Evenstad – unanimously Yea. Motion carried. 5/0.

There was a brief overview discussion on the Sanitary Sewer Project information that WSN presented earlier.

Mayor Broeren informed the members that the Solutec Load Control equipment has now been ordered.

Mayor Broeren gave a brief overview of the CDBG Zoom meeting he and the Auditor attended last week.

Evenstad moved, seconded by Over-

street to extend the speed limit reduction on Hwy 15 from Doheny Street to Park Street. The reduction will now cover Old Hwy 15 from Main Street to Park Street. Motion carried. 5/0.

There was a discussion on the Fargo ND City Ordinance concerning not allowing occupied campers on residential lots. The City of Northwood's City Ordinance also does not allow occupied campers to be on residential lots.

Mayor Broeren stated he has not heard when Sticky Construction will be working on the Business Center. He will reach out to them tomorrow.

Evenstad moved, seconded by Overstreet to reinvest the Alerus 6 month CD for 6 more months. Motion carried.5/0.

Evenstad moved, seconded by Overstreet to put the interest that was accumulated from the Alerus 6 month CD into the General Fund after the Maturation date of 6/21/25. Motion carried. 5/0.

The bond of the City Auditor was set by resolution by the Governing Body at the City Council meeting on 6/9/25. The motion was: Evenstad moved, seconded by Hall to approve the Bond for the City Auditor by Resolution (NDCC 40-13-02). Motion carried. 5/0

Hall moved, seconded by Evenstad to approve the 1st reading of City Ordinance Chapter 19, section 19.0104 Meter Reading as presented. Motion carried. 5/0.

Evenstad moved, seconded by Overstreet to approve the 1st reading of City Ordinance Chapter 11 Animals and Fowl as presented. Motion carried. 5/0.

Evenstad moved, seconded by Overstreet to approve Jen Raknerud's request to scrape and paint the Northwood Depot as long as the contractor is licensed and bonded. Motion carried. 5/0.

Radke reminded the members of the upcoming Audit Committee meeting to discuss the City's Preliminary 2026 Budg-

et.

Mayor concerns:

Broeren-inquired about what the city needs to do with the cost to repair the forced main.

Broeren-informed the members of the materials he received on a program that may assist seniors on the upkeep of their homes.

Broeren-Inquired if anyone had received any information or update on receiving the Northwood Park Board financial information.

Hanekamp moved, seconded by Turner to proceed with the letter to the North Dakota Attorney Generals Office with regards to obtaining the Northwood Park Boards financial information. Motion carried. 5/0.

Mayor concerns continued:

Broeren-informed the members of the issue that happened in regard to the Park filling the pool without 1st notifying the city. The reservoir as well as the water tower were affected by this.

Broeren-Informed the members of an opportunity to attend a defensive driving course through NDIRF for all city employees.

Broeren-Informed the members of an estimate he will be receiving from Knife River for mill and overlay on Main Street from Hwy 15 to the "Y" intersection.

Council Concerns:

Turner-inquired about the status on the research for the message board.

Overstreet-questions the Fargo City Ordinance with regards to not allowing occupied campers on residential lots.

Turner moved, seconded by Overstreet to adjourn the meeting.

Meeting adjourned 8:32PM

Mayor, Karl Broeren

Auditor, Shelly Radke