

CITY OF CARSON

Council Proceedings

City of Carson
June 2, 2025 Regular Meeting
Minutes Approved
Present: Mayor Dawn Hanson. Council Members: Tony Zenker, Pete Reis, Bailey Stewart, and Patrick Diehl.

Also present: TJ Osterbauer, Shawn Udell, Conner Kelly, AJ Major.

Mayor Dawn Hanson called the meeting to order at 6:30 pm MT. Pledge of Allegiance recited.

Bailey Stewart moved to approve the minutes for the March 3, 2025 Regular City Council Meeting. Patrick Diehl seconded – all council members voting “aye” and motion carried.

Tony Zenker moved to pay the following monthly bills as presented and as they are received. Seconded by Patrick Diehl – all council members voting “aye” and motion carried.

Salaries: \$ 9,548.33
Monthly bills paid since the last meeting:
Cody Olson..... 350.00
Grant County Sheriff's Department.....2,413.00
Verizon..... 10.02
Lince Sanitation (1-month)..... 3694.13
WRT 167.69
MDU (all city locations)..... 710.85
Southwest Water3737.43
Linde..... 195.74

Mor Gran Sou.....58.83
GS Publishing.....497.44
Hertz Brothers38.98
Fitterer Gas & Oil.....1721.38
Office Depot.....130.66
ND Rural Water Systems50.00
Julie Fischer – Membership Dues25.00
First International Bank..... 11,267.34
Pete & Val Mowing 300.00.
It was divided:
City of Carson..... 1411.70
Economic Development.....352.92
Carson Emergency Medical Services.....211.75
Senior Services 141.17
Park City Sales Tax 195.17;
Park State Aid.....175.65.

The financials for May 2025 were given to the council. Bailey Stewart made a motion to accept the financials as given. Patrick Diehl seconded, all council members voting “aye” and motion carried.

AJ Major – Moore Engineering came to the meeting to talk about USDA, CDBG Applications for Grants which are due by July 25, 2025 if the council is interested.

Water Meters – more discussion on the water meters. Bailey Stewart will be checking on some more information.

Thank you from Donna Balliet for the water way fix last

fall. She is so happy that she is not getting water in her basement now that it is fixed.

Planning and Zoning – Maria Pflieger – Cement – Tony Zenker made a motion to approve building permit Patrick Diehl Seconded, all council member voting “aye” and motion carried. Ron and Sue Mullins – Steel roof and siding with addition of a porch – Bailey Stewart made a motion to approve building permit Patrick Diehl Seconded, all council member voting “aye” and motion carried. Jerry & Cindy Lee – Wood deck addition – Patrick Diehl made a motion to building permit Tony Zenker, Seconded, all council member voting “aye” and motion carried.

Legion Hall Soffit and Gutter Repair. Pete Reis made a motion to accept the quote given by Kevin and Kathy Gebeke. Patrick Diehl Seconded, all council member voting “aye” and motion carried.

Bailey Stewart made a motion to purchase fractured chips from Fisher Industries, Tony Zenker Seconded, all council member voting “aye” and motion carried.

Steve Klien and Hailey Hartman will be hired for summer help.

Grant County Fair – Gaming Permit – Patrick made a motion to approve the gaming permit, Tony Zenker Seconded, all council member voting “aye” and motion carried.

Hammer Down and The Seat, LLC – Liquor and Beer

License Renewal – Patrick Diehl made a motion to approve another six months of liquor and beer license for Hammer Down and The Seat, LLC, Tony Zenker Seconded, all council member voting “aye” and motion carried.

Hammer Down Special Permit for alcohol for a wedding in September. Bailey Stewart made a motion to approve the special permit. Patrick Diehl Seconded, all council member voting “aye” and motion carried. Hammer Down – Gaming Permit – Tony Zenker made the motion to approve. Bailey Stewart Seconded, all council member voting “aye” and motion carried.

The Seat – Gaming Permit – Patrick Diehl made the motion to approve. Tony Zenker Seconded, all council member voting “aye” and motion carried.

Purchase of a new lawnmower for the City of Carson – Tony Zenker made the motion to purchase a new lawnmower, Pete Reis Seconded, all council member voting “aye” and motion carried.

With no further business, Patrick Diehl made a motion to adjourned and Tony Zenker seconded all council members voting “aye” and motion carried. Mayor Hanson adjourned the meeting at 9.59 pm MT.

/s/ Dawn Hanson
Dawn Hanson, Mayor
/s/ TJ Osterbauer
TJ Osterbauer, Auditor
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Carson Senior Meals menu

Fri., June 20: BBQ ribs, potato salad, baked beans, corn bread, cinnamon apples, milk, coffee.

Mon., June 23: Chicken & dumplings, house salad, green beans, strawberries & yogurt, milk, coffee.

Tues., June 24: Shrimp fettuccine alfredo, broccoli, strawberry/blueberry cup, bread, milk, coffee.

Wed., June 25: En-

chiladas, rice, broccoli, mixed fruit, milk, coffee.

Thur., June 26: Roast beef, mashed potatoes, gravy, carrots, bread, pineapple crisp, milk, coffee.

Fri., June 27: Beef stew, house salad, peaches, bread, milk, coffee.

For reservations, please contact Jan at 701-871-2737 by 9:00 p.m. the day prior to the meal.

Flasher Senior Meals menu

Fri., June 20: Turkey california wrap, potato salad, spinach orange salad with dressing.

Wed., June 25: Hickory smoked BBQ pulled pork, baked sweet potato, coleslaw, pears, cornbread.

Thur., June 26: Meatloaf, baked potato, garden blend vegetable, tropical fruit.

Fri., June 27: Rotisserie chicken, baked sweet potato, squash medley, fresh fruit.

Meals are served in the Branded Bar and Grill, 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. CT.

For reservations, please contact Branded Bar and Grill at 701-597-3307 by 9:00 p.m. the day prior to the meal.

All menus subject to change due to availability of foods.

Pick up or dine-in meals are allowed. Home delivered meals available if you qualify.

Riehl Point of View

Gina Riehl

Monday morning, we woke up to a rather messy lawn. We heard the strong winds and saw the lightning during the night but wasn't sure what to expect when we woke up. So, we said a prayer and went back to bed. We had lots of tree branches down and chairs, a barbeque and other items scattered across the lawn. We are so thankful that we had nothing broken or damage to any vehicles or buildings. We also lost power for a few hours but thanks to the Mor-Gran-

Sou workers electricity was restored in time for Bill to get to work. It was reported the winds were gusting from 80-90 mph. Hopefully, no one else received any major damage.

Last Wednesday, Flasher Park Board presented the Music in the Park evening. The date had to be changed from Thursday to Wednesday due to weather, so I hope no one showed up on the wrong time. It was a beautiful evening with perfect weather. The men from Minnesota entertained us with

great music. We are hoping they will be back in August for another event. All the tables were full and some in extra chairs. Always, bring a blanket and camp chairs just in case. Food was good and it was great visiting with everyone. Brad Doll will be performing this Thursday, June 19th at the band shelter at Dykeshoorn park in Mandan from 7:30-8:30pm. Let's show him some local support and attend if you are able.

On Saturday was the St. Gertrude's all class reunion in Mandan. The Class of 1975 was honored. I believe there were 5 from that class

that attended. It looked like everyone had fun. I think there was about 30 or more in attendance. We ended up being too late but hope to make it next year. Thank you to all those who put this reunion together.

Happy anniversary to Preston & Stacey LaDuke. Happy birthday to my own Bill Riehl on the 23rd. If you happen to see him, be sure and say happy birthday.

“The Lord is my strength and my shield; my heart trusts in Him, and He helps me. My heart leaps for joy, and with my song I praise Him.”
-Psalm 28:7

Summer blooms in full swing



photo | Riley Dahl

Selfridge News

Debbie Vollmuth

Saturday, June 14 was the 33rd Annual Shields/Selfridge Sportsmen Club's Prairie Dog Extravaganza. Twenty teams of 2 people each hunted in the area from 10:00-4:00. Over the day 1622 prairie dogs were shot. It was an interesting weather day with rain in the morning, lots of mud, and the mosquitoes were out in force. The Extravaganza was headquartered at the Branding Iron Bar in Selfridge.

The Rohrich team shot 265 dogs at Dave Volk's town. They got first place. Second place went to Todd Bodvig and Dion Feigitch with 174 dogs shot at the Wayne Hatzenbuehler town. Third place went to Cliff Heilseman and Paul Glimsdahl with 169 dogs shot at Curt Schaf's town. Cody and Ty Gustafson got fourth

place shooting 139 dogs at Victor Krosch's town. Following the hunt there was a brisket meal, door prizes, raffle prizes and lots of visiting.

This week the thieves struck a very low blow. They actually stole the battery out of the Assembly of God Church bus. This is ridiculous.

Geri Mosset was in Mobridge on Saturday for Kris Mosset's annual Fathers' Day picnic. He made ribs and the guests brought the rest of the meal. Geri enjoyed phone calls from friends on Sunday, which was her birthday.

Robert Mosset was at Willy and Lenore Mosset's for Fathers' Day. Then Karen Schaeffer showed up with all kinds of food. They ate and they visited, they laughed. Later Debbie Mosset, Jeff Hansen and children

came later for more visiting. Then that evening, Willy and Lenore went to John and Ashlee Schaeffer's to celebrate Ashlee's milestone birthday.

Bergetta Ternes attended the Bluegrass Festival at Cross State Ranch.

Debbie Vollmuth went to Dickinson to spend time with her dad for Father's Day.

Debbie Vollmuth, Geri Mosset, and Linda Bliss sat on the election board for the Selfridge School Board. Voter turnout was pretty good. The school board meets

June 16 to canvas the votes. Unofficially, the vote was Dusty Kraft 21 votes, Ed Mosset 20 votes, and one disqualified vote. The other ballot issue was about publishing the school minutes and that passed, unofficially.

Happy birthday to Bergetta Ternes, Debbie Vollmuth, Mike F. Volk, Lorna Bear Heart, George Schaeffer, Matthew Volk, Randy Hahne, Tracy Lienen, and Rod Froelich.

Happy Anniversary to David and Kas Kraft and Alisha and JW Froelich.



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