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PUBLIC NOTICES

CITY OF HAZELTON MINUTES
CITY COMMISSION MEETING
OCTOBER 6, 2025
CITY HALL (MAIN STREET)-7:00PM

Commissioners present: Justin Long, Gloria Pederson, Joshua Malard and Mark Long. Brady Reich was absent. City Maintenance was present. City Auditor was absent.

CALL TO ORDER by Josh Malard at 7pm.

Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Visitor/s were Brad Huber, Mike Appert, Cecile Long and Grant Dockter.

Mike talked to the board about the trenching he has been doing over by township road to open up drainage for the fields and culverts.

Justin motioned to approve the September 2, 2025 regular meeting minutes and Gloria seconded. All ayes.

Gloria motioned to approve the September 2025 treasurer’s report and Mark seconded. All ayes.

Mark motioned to approve the September 2025 checks and Gloria seconded. All ayes. ABM \$93.30 AT&T \$318.22 Beastrom Oil \$110.50 Bek \$124.06 Bret Stringer \$300.00 DFC \$83.98 ECR \$114.69 Hawkins \$3320.85 Hazelton Airport \$5.75 Hazelton Newsletter \$135.00 Hazelton Park \$45.25 IRS \$27.35 Justin Long \$3.24 MDU 1189.91 ND Health \$27.00 NoDak \$99.73 Trash \$3800.00 Visa \$359.53 Payroll \$5839.63

Prairie Dog Funds: \$16,296.09
Legacy Funds: \$6,793.08
Flex Funds: \$7,925.62
Late accounts report past due report
Gallons Pumped: 434,905
Gallons Sold: 405,420
Difference: (29,485), - 6.78%
Gallons Pumped: 430,715
Gallons Sold: 405,420
Difference: (25,295), - 5.87%

Justin motioned to approve the building permit for Bob Couch and a demolition permit for Maurice Bushway and Mark seconded. All ayes.

Maintenance:
Water/Sewer:Updated the board that all Hazelton city wells are up and running.

Street:
Landfill: Brady was absent but Scott asked Mike Appert about extending the landfill. Mike thought going west would be better.

Old Business:
Moore Engineering sewer projects ~ Sewer project is finished. Change order to zero out the balances in the amount of \$-90,987.37 and final pay app for \$79,482.34. Gloria motioned to approve the change order and pay app and Mark seconded. All ayes. Grant will be asking Municipal Pipe Tool to camera the sewer line by Cottage and Harold. Grant presented the engineer contract for the upcoming street project proposal. Justin motioned to approve the engineer contract and Mark seconded. All ayes.

Culverts on old school property ~ no update

WSI grant ~ update...all funds have been reimbursed and this grant is closed. Municipal Infrastructure projects ~ shed for storing generator ~ no update CST requirements ~ no update Yard cleanups ~ no update Traffic signs refacing ~ no update Parcel # 51-0007-00249-010 ~ no update

New Business:
Final City of Hazelton 2026 budget ~ Gloria motioned to approve the 2026 budget as presented and Mark seconded. All ayes.

City hall building ~ engineer report from EngTech. This will be tabled since additional information is needed. The board would like to see new ceiling tiles and lights, depending the additional information and how the insurance company processes the claim. We did receive a quote of \$821.00 from Jack’s Electric for replacing the current lights to LED.

Water tower inspection
Veteran banners ~ donation request approved. An ad will be placed in the next

newsletter.

Flags for light poles ~ Brad presented the board with some options for the flags that will be displayed during some holidays and Hazelton Community Days. Brad also presented a check to the board with their donation of \$3,492.87 towards banner project the City of Hazelton is putting together to commemorate the local veterans of Hazelton, Moffit and Braddock.

Special assessments to the county
Next meeting: Monday November 3, 2025

Gloria motioned to adjourn at 8:13 and Justin seconded. All ayes.
(10-16-2025)

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF THE
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF EMMONS COUNTY, NORTH
DAKOTA
AT IT’S REGULAR MEETING
SEPTEMBER 2, 2025

Chairman Dan Materi called the meeting to order at 9:00 A.M. with Commissioners James Gartner, Erin Magrum, Craig Miller and James Vander Vorst being present. Also present was States Attorney, Joseph M. Hanson.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited. The August, 2025 end of month fund balance report and the year to date expenditure reports were distributed to the board.

Commissioner Vander Vorst motioned to approve the minutes of the August 5, 2025 regular meeting and the August 12, 2025 special meeting. Seconded by Commissioner Miller. Roll Call “YES”: Gartner, Magrum, Materi, Miller and Vander Vorst. Motion carried.

Commissioner Gartner motioned to approve the agenda with the addition of gravel update. Seconded by Commissioner Vander Vorst. Roll Call “YES”: Gartner, Magrum, Materi, Miller and Vander Vorst. Motion carried.

Old and Unfinished Business:

Commissioner Miller asked States Attorney, Joseph M. Hanson, if bills were sent to the suspects for the costs incurred by the county in suppressing the Glencoe Fire on April 12, 2025 where Mr. Hanson replied that he did send out the letters.

New Business:
As advertised, at 9:15 A.M., a public hearing was held to receive public comment and direction in regards to a Petition to close the section line described as follows: a portion of the section line, lying between Parcel No. 27-0000-03703-000 and Parcel No. 27-0000-03722-010. Specifically, the portion of the section line from the Southwest Corner of Section 17, Township 132, Range 76, and running East until it reaches the east edge of Parcel No. 27-0000-03804-020. The portion of the section line to be closed is approximately 780.7 feet, and the land on the north side is owned by Kenneth and Doris Jochim. Said petitioner hereby petitions the Emmons County Commissioners to close the above-described section line between the above-described property, pursuant to NDCC 24-07-03.

Chairman Materi opened the public hearing and asked Petitioner, Kenneth Jochim, to come forward to explain his reasoning for petitioning to close the section line. Mr. Jochim commented that he’s not trying to cause problems nor step on anyone’s toes as he just wants to plant some trees on a section line that leads to nowhere. “There’s waterways and no approaches, so in order to get to land you have to drive on private property.” The section line is encroached upon with tires and concrete, and Mr. Jochim just wants everyone to follow the same rules. There’s a thirty-three-foot easement from the center of the section line, and he doesn’t have a problem with anyone using the section line so long as everyone follows the thirty-three feet rule.

Commissioner Magrum stated that the section line was probably never developed or utilized because it dead ended to the railroad, and now that the

railroad is gone, the road could become more usable.

Commissioner Gartner stated that if somebody told you to go out and drive this section line, you would struggle on trying to figure out where to drive.

Mark Andresen, son-in-law of landowners Leo and Carol Bosch, was present and stated that their main concern is getting access to a piece of property which is a huge amount of their acreage. This section line is the only access to a portion of their property from Highway 83. There’s a spillway behind their barn for access, but when the river floods the only access is this section line. Mr. Andresen concluded that the county re-builds this section line to fit everyone’s needs and requested that the petition to close the section line be denied.

Present was Leo Bosch who suggested that the county blade the road making the section line straight so it’s drivable, and install a culvert so nobody has to drive on other people’s property to access their property.

Commissioner Magrum motioned to deny the Petition to close the section line. Seconded by Commissioner Miller. Roll Call “YES”: Gartner, Magrum, Materi, Miller and Vander Vorst. Motion carried.

Commissioner Magrum motioned that proper notification be sent to the landowners that encroachments have to be removed off the section line right of way. Seconded by Commissioner Miller. Roll Call “YES”: Gartner, Magrum, Materi, Miller and Vander Vorst. Motion carried.

Commissioner Vander Vorst motioned to approve the building permit for Tanner and Natasha Dosch to build a 28 X 46 family lake cabin on Lot 5 of Lot 46A Walther’s Subdivision and easement area in Section 23, Township 132, Range 79 contingent upon approval from Western Plains Public Health for their septic and drain field permit application. Seconded by Commissioner Gartner. Roll Call

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