

# Lions Slip Past Lady Imperials



Deziray Zenker guards Lion #1 Macy Hase, while teammates and fans have their eyes on the action. In the stands (l-r): Gabby Ketterling, Tarryn Erbele, Izabelle Miller, Hailey Kleppe and Audrey Braun; front: Lauren Piatz, Lily Moos, Brinley Kleppe, Emma Remboldt, Siena Wald, Aliana Nenow, Charlee Nenow, Asst. Coach Shawn Puklich and Head Coach Paul Erbele.

## Minutes of Napoleon City Council

### City Council Monthly Meeting Wednesday, January 7th, 2026

Napoleon City Hall 4:00 p.m.  
(Subject to council  
review and approval)

Mayor Moos called the regular meeting to order. Alderman present: Rod Kleppe, Rich Bjerklie, Bob Humann, Clark Haas and Mike Heying.

Pledge of Allegiance was recited by all.

Additions to the agenda – Right of Way Easements, Designate Depositories, City Election.

No public comments received.

Kleppe motioned to approve the minutes from December 1st, 2025, meeting, Humann seconded, motion carried.

Haas motioned to approve the financial report as presented, Bjerklie seconded, motion carried.

Grant Dockter from Moore Engineering sent in the Engineer's Report. The low interest infrastructure revolving loan for chip sealing the streets was not awarded to the city. Chip sealing is considered maintenance and with all the loan applications for this program they do not pay any money for what they consider maintenance of streets. The council will be considering other options for the project.

Daniel Schwartz, Logan County Emergency Manager, called in to explain to the council the benefits of participating in the Renaissance Program. After much discussion it was decided that Humann would talk with other area towns that partake in the program and bring the information back to the council before they decide if they want to proceed.

STREETS: It was reported that the new snowplow truck will be here on Friday, January 9th.

Kleppe motioned to pay all bills as presented, except the Leona Kuhn bill till we got more information, Bjerklie seconded, motion carried.

CITY SALES TAX REQUEST: Napoleon Wildlife Club is requesting \$3,000 from the Economic Development Fund to install a "Catch of the Day" sign near the boat landing, and a minimum maintenance bathroom to be constructed. Kleppe motioned to approve the request, Heying seconded, motion carried.

An Amendment to the Floodplain Management Ordinance will state "The Legislature of the State of North Dakota has in North Dakota Century Code, Chapters 40-05, 11-11 and 58-06, delegated responsibility to local governmental units to adopt regulations designed to promote the public health, safety, and general welfare of its citizenry." Haas motioned to approve the amendment, Kleppe seconded, all hands raised in favor, motion carried.

Mayor Moos explained to the council about the Right-of-Way

Easements for South Central Regional Water District that were signed prior to the meeting. These easements are needed before proceeding with bringing in rural water to the city.

Humann motioned to designate Stock Growers Bank and FCCU as depositories of public funds which meet the pledge of security requirements, (NDCC 21-04-13), Haas seconded, all hands raised in favor, motion carried.

City Hall & Shop will be closed on Monday, January 19th for Martin Luther King Day. Garbage pickup will be on Tuesday, January 20th.

A city election candidate may begin collecting signatures on a nominating petition. (NDCC 40-21-07).

Meeting adjourned.

TODD MOOS, MAYOR

ATTEST:

COLLEEN FETTIG

CITY AUDITOR

**RECEIPTS: AMOUNT**

City Auditor, General

Property Taxes.....2,969.35

City Auditor, Animal

Licenses .....80.00

City Auditor, Food License..125.00

City Auditor, Beer &

Liquor License .....1,175.00

City Auditor, Franchise TV..879.88

City Auditor, Game of

Chance Permits .....5.00

City Auditor, Cigarette Tax ..587.46

City Auditor, Misc.

Revenue .....1,160.44

State Treasurer, December

State Aid .....5,163.85

State Treasurer, Highway

Distribution.....8,007.84

State Treasurer, City

Sales Tax – Economic

Development .....8,297.30

State Treasurer, City Sales

Tax – Capital Projects....5,676.71

State Treasurer, City Sales

Tax – Water Sewer

2008-1 .....11,353.40

County Auditor, Share

Cost of Specials.....52.50

County Auditor, Special

Assessment Deficiency.....91.93

County Auditor, Emergency

Fund .....70.67

Stock Growers, Interest

Earnings .....1125.23

City Auditor, Walking

Path .....15,530.66

City Auditor, Mosquito

Control.....3,577.51

County Auditor, Special

Assessments 2008

Project .....2,621.88

County Auditor, Special

Assessments 2014

Project .....873.52

County Auditor, Special

Assessments 2022

Project .....646.83

City Auditor, Prairie Dog ....549.42

City Auditor, Airport Fund....113.12

City Auditor, Lodging Tax ..267.27

City Auditor, Water

Fund .....38,071.08

City Auditor, Sewer

Fund .....16,025.22

City Auditor, Garbage

Fund .....27,737.92

City Auditor, Recycle

Fund .....1,729.75

City Auditor, Lagoon

Fund .....13,450.71

**TOTALS .....168,016.45**

**EXPENSES: AMOUNT**

Stock Growers, FICA

12-15-25 .....1,296.19

Stock Growers, FICA

12-31-25 Payroll .....1,426.22

Stock Growers, FICA

Council Payroll.....260.10

Colonial Life.....182.18

NDPERS, Retirement.....1,647.50

NDPERS, Health /

Life Ins.....5,871.86

Zions Bank, Interest

AMK114 Loan .....15,033.75

Zions Bank, Annual

Agent Fee .....400.00

AP Solutions .....19.95

Zoom .....18.63

USDA, Automatic

Yearly.....15,327.00

Stock Growers, Ascendance Trucks

Central .....39,050.00

Stock Growers, Wire

Transfer Snow Plow.....20.00

Office of State Tax .....5.75

Napoleon Park Board .....1,014.11

BEK .....120.66

Computer Express.....44.90

Chemistry Lab .....620.12

City of Bismarck.....3,520.31

Advanced Business.....86.82

Banyon Data Systems.....865.00

Banyon Data Services.....865.00

Hawkins .....1,263.98

Moore Engineering .....717.00

Logan County .....3,400.00

Fireside.....15.43

MDU .....3,667.54

Dakota Supply .....993.86

Napoleon Homestead.....387.37

Central Dakota Frontier ...1,262.94

Napoleon Oil.....446.00

ND Dept of Health .....27.00

Information Technology .....26.65

Moore Engineering .....175.50

R.J. Dirt Worx .....1,500.00

Valley Plains Equipment....572.32

Vestis .....277.06

Verizon.....40.01

NBA Bucks.....1,200.00

Main Street Hardware.....49.81

Onstad Twichell P.C. ....2,000.00

Visa.....18.63

Napoleon Park Board

December State Aid.....730.68

Advanced Business.....84.25

City of Bismarck.....3,326.94

EP Repair .....134.40

MDU .....4,520.93

Verizon.....40.01

Vestis .....277.06

Zimmermans.....3,300.00

Payroll, 12-15-25

Payroll.....5,049.60

Payroll, 12-31-25

Payroll.....5,593.49

Payroll

City Council 12-31-25.....1,569.95

**Total .....130,364.46**

"The City of Napoleon is an equal opportunity Provider and Employer."

In their second district game of the week and season, the Napoleon/Gackle-Streeter Imperial girls' basketball team played host to Linton-HMB. In action, last Thurs., Jan. 8 in Napoleon, it was the Lions who slipped past the Imperials 45-40 in the Dist. 2 matchup.

A slow offensive start by NGS may have been one of the contributing factors to the Imperials loss, as they found themselves trailing 0-8 with 3:20 to play in the first quarter. It wasn't until the three minute mark of the first that NGS tallied their first points, as freshman Hope Gross cashed in on a pair of free throws. The first quarter closed with Imperial