MINUTES Lefors City Council Meeting February 10, 2025 - Regular Session

Mayor Michael Ray called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. Present were Council members Ashley Miller, Jerry Stegall, James Gee, and Aaron Hunt. Council member Savanah Kingcade was absent.

Mayor Ray led the Pledge of Allegiance. Councilman Gee said the Invocation.

No public comments were made.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:20 p.m.

City Judge Kurt Curfman submitted a written report: For the month of January 2025, we had receipts of \$276.00. There were no new complaints or citations filed with the Court. At this current time, we have an outstanding balance of fines and court costs due the city in the amount of \$200.00 plus warrants of \$10,154.00. We are current on all local, state, and federal reports.

Chad Young, Public Works Director, reported to Council: The contractors have completed everything at the wastewater plant and are waiting on Xcel to set their power pole and tie in the new pole on the plant side. That should be done this week. Training is scheduled for the 13th on the new aerator and startup for the plant. Work orders are caught up and there are only four that are still on the books that will have to be done when the weather is warmer. The small leaks and service line leaks have been repaired. The eight-inch line will have to be dug up at the water tower soon; the main shut-off valve has failed and needs repaired. It is letting water into the tower and the tower is leaking. We will be having Well 6 pulled to replace the pump before fire season starts. Filling up at the fire station is using a lot of our chlorinated drinking water.

Councilman Hunt made a motion to approve the consent agenda, including minutes from the November 18, 2024, regular meeting, bills, and department reports. Councilwoman Miller seconded. Vote unanimous. Motion passed.

Councilwoman Miller made a motion to order a general election to be held on May 3, 2025, to elect three members of the City Council. Councilman Gee seconded. Vote unanimous. Motion passed.

Councilwoman Miller made a motion to sell the smaller cemetery plots for cremations at \$100.00 per plot. Councilman Hunt seconded. Vote unanimous. Motion passed.

Discussion was held regarding checking into applying for a loan to cover the City's match for the construction at the wastewater plant. The amount will be around \$170,000. No action taken.

Councilwoman Miller made a motion to adjourn. Councilman Hunt seconded. Vote unanimous. Motion passed.

City Secretary	Mayor	