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ALLIANCE, NEBRASKA  
CITY COUNCIL MEETING  
School Board Meeting Room  
1604 Sweetwater Avenue  
March 3, 2020 - 7:00 p.m.  
AGENDA

- **Call to Order**
  - **Roll Call**
  - **Open Meetings Act Announcement**  
For the public's reference a copy of the Open Meetings Law has been posted on the north wall of this room in the audience area. This posting complies with the requirements of the Nebraska Legislature.
  - **Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance**
- A. Introduction of New Employee**  
Kaytlin Carey – Administrative Secretary
- B. Proclamation**  
Girl Scout Week
- C. Consent Calendar**  
Approval of Minutes, Payroll and Claims  
Issuance of a Cemetery Certificate  
Charter Communications Channel Lineup Change
- D. Conflict Claims**  
Council members attended the Nebraska League of Municipalities Midwinter Conference in Lincoln, NE on February 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup>. Travel expenses reimbursement to Councilman Bentley are \$562.24.
- E. Public Hearing – One and Six Year Street Improvement Plan  
Resolution No. 20-25**  
Now is the date, time and place to conduct a Public Hearing on the City of Alliance Street Improvement One and Six Year Plans. Resolution No. 20-25 will grant approval of the Plan and authorize submittal to the State of Nebraska Board of Public Roads, Classifications and Standards. The Alliance Planning Commission reviewed the plans at their regular meeting, February 11, 2020 and recommended approval.
- F. Resolution No. 20-26 – NDOT Supplemental Agreement No. 1 – Cody Avenue East Alliance**  
Resolution No. 20-26 will authorize the City to enter into Supplemental Agreement No. 1 with the Nebraska Department of Transportation. NDOT had planned for improvements to 3rd Street/NE Hwy. 2 from Cody to Elkhorn Avenues for this year. Due to higher than anticipated contract bids NDOT has decided to delay the majority of the project and only continue with repairs in the railroad underpass area.
- G. Resolution No. 20-27 – Water Meter Remote Purchase and Service Agreement with Landis+Gyr**  
Staff has identified the desire to include the water system into the remote metering infrastructure. The electric system is currently monitored remotely with a system purchased through Landis+Gyr. Due to the existing infrastructure, Landis+Gyr has been identified as a sole source supplier and has provided a quote of \$65,500.00 to add the water system to the remote metering infrastructure. This quote includes 300 remotes, RF tools, service and training. The unit quantities will remain the same per unit as we replace all of the City's water meter remotes.

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## H. Discussion – Firework Regulations/Occupation Tax

Following last year's fireworks season several complaints were received from the public regarding a ten-day discharge period. Staff has gathered comparative information other First Class Cities and surrounding areas in order for Council to determine if they would like to make modifications to our current Code. Should Council desire changes, a legislative document will be prepared for a future agenda.

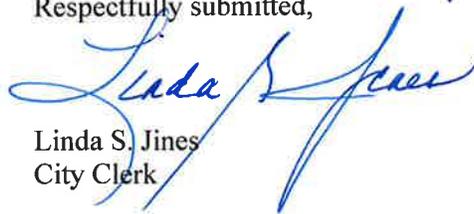
## I. Board Appointments, Resignations and Announcements

The City has received a resignation from the A-2 Downtown Improvement Board and has received interest from individuals desiring to serve on the Board of Adjustment and the Museum Board.

Currently there are vacancies on the A-1 and A-2 Downtown Improvement Boards, Economic Development Plan Citizen Advisory Board, youth representatives on the Library Board, Park and Tree Board, Planning Commission, Police Citizen Advisory Board (Senior/Retired and School representatives) and Senior Facility Advisory Board. Anyone interested in serving on these Boards should contact the City Clerk's Office. Information on all of the City Boards is also available on our web site, [www.cityofalliance.net](http://www.cityofalliance.net).

### ▪ Adjournment

Respectfully submitted,



Linda S. Jines  
City Clerk

† Added by addendum to agenda 24 hours prior to the meeting.

The City Council reserves the right to adjourn into closed session as per Section 84-1410 of the Nebraska Revised Statutes.

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