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**ALLIANCE, NEBRASKA  
CITY COUNCIL MEETING  
Alliance Learning Center  
1750 Sweetwater Avenue  
February 16, 2021 - 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. Consent Calendar**  
Approval of Minutes, Payroll and Claims  
Resolution No. 21-10 - Lost Creek Ranch  
Resolution No. 21-11 - 4-T Cattle Company  
Resolution No. 21-12 - Derick Underwood  
Resolution No. 21-13 - Wells Ranch  
Resolution No. 21-14 - Justin Shrewsbury  
Resolution No. 21-15 - Dennis Walker  
Resolution No. 21-16 - Dennis Walker  
Resolution No. 21-17 - Richard Robb  
Resolution No. 21-18 - Change Order No. 2 – Public Works Expansion Project
- B. Audit Presentation**  
Marci Luth of AMGL, P.C. will present the review of the City of Alliance's Audit of the Financial Statement for the period October 1, 2019 through September 30, 2020.
- C. Resolution No. 21-19 – Essential Air Services Selection**  
Resolution No. 21-19 will authorize the recommendation of Denver Air Connection to the Department of Transportation to provide Essential Air Service for Alliance. This will be a two-year award for the service.
- D. Resolution No. 21-20 – Electric Department Vehicle Purchase**  
Resolution No. 21-20 authorizes the purchase of a 2022 Ford F-600 with an Altec Articulating Telescopic Aerial Device in the amount of \$165,496 to be utilized in the Electric Department. This vehicle will replace the 1994 Ford F-750 that can no longer be certified and requires replacement. This purchase has been included in the 2020-2021 budget.
- E. Resolution No. 21-21 – Approval of Scraper Repairs for the Alliance Landfill**  
Resolution No. 21-21 will authorize repairs completed by Murphy Tractor and Equipment Co. Inc. in the amount of \$77,189.02 for the scraper at the Alliance Landfill.
- F. Resolution No. 21-22 – Approval of Air Burner Purchase for the Alliance Landfill**  
Resolution No. 21-22 approves the purchase of a new air burner at the Alliance Landfill in the amount of \$134,451.65 from Air Burners, Inc.

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## **G. Resolution No. 21-23 – Activate Alliance Crosswalk Proposal**

Activate Alliance remains committed to implementing strategies that impact and increase walking and biking accessibility throughout Alliance. The Committee has proposed Creative Crosswalks be incorporated within the community. Resolution No. 21-23 is before Council for consideration and will approve the project and the donation of materials and volunteer hours for each project. Council will have the opportunity to review and approve each design and location prior to crosswalks being painted.

## **H. ACE Funds Policy Discussion**

Recently, the City has received requests from private agencies for ACE funds to be used towards a project that would be a community benefit. In the past, ACE funds have been used for improvements to City facilities and supplement various projects. In a way to promote partnership and utilize resources to the fullest, staff would like to consider a policy that allows ACE funding be available on a grant basis. Staff is requesting Council's direction on how they would like to move forward with such policy.

## **I. Board Appointments, Resignations and Announcements**

The City has received a board application from Michael Sautter to serve on the Golf Advisory Board. There is currently one vacancy with a term set to expire December 31, 2024.

Currently there remains one vacancy on the Community Redevelopment Authority, four vacancies on the A-2 Downtown Improvement District Board, one vacancy on the A-1 Downtown Improvement District Board, one vacancy on the Economic Development Plan Citizen Advisory Board, one youth representative on the Library Board, two vacancies on the Planning Commission, and one vacancy on the Police Advisory Board (Hispanic Rep.).

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,

Tarrah S. Johnson  
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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