



01-06-2025 a regular meeting of the Shellsburg City Council was called to order by Mayor Travis at 6:00pm in the Council Chambers. Roll call was answered by Vogt, Reeves, Harvey, Hepker, and Travis.

Harvey motioned to approve the consent agenda, seconded by Reeves. A roll call vote was taken, all ayes.

Shellsburg Fire Representatives requested permission to close the west side of Pearl Street at 8:30am through 10:00am on March 22, 2025 for a side by side ride registration. They will advise if this will be the ending point as they are still in the planning stage.

Public Forum: The museum would like to install a restroom upstairs. The council said to go ahead and get bids.

Thorkildson would like to know if planning on fixing sidewalk by Wildcat.

Superintendent Robertson reported that the bridge inspections have been completed, 2 small water leaks have been repaired, and the solar rebate is in the works and should hear more in 6-8 weeks. Asked if the council wanted the center line painting to be rebid.

Stephenson reported that the city guys will replace some lights at the library with LED's.

The council discussed the Rec Department getting their own domain for registrations and would like members to attend the next meeting to discuss it further.

Travis motioned to approve the October Treasurer's report, seconded by Harvey. A roll call vote was taken, all ayes.

Vogt motioned to approve the October revenues, seconded by Harvey. A roll call vote was taken, all ayes. The October revenues were as follows: General \$179,254.19; Library \$4,035.64; Cemetery \$360.95; RUT \$38,309.62; Employee Benefits \$25,106.07; LOST \$9,732.31; TIF \$20,889.95; Debt Service \$44,431.74; Capital Improvement \$29,935.02; Perpetual Care \$90.00; Water \$14,466.00; Sewer \$29,820.88; Garbage \$10,649.29. Travis motioned to approve the November Treasurer's report, seconded by Harvey. A roll call vote was taken, all ayes.

Vogt motioned to approve the November revenues, seconded by Harvey. A roll call vote was taken, all ayes. The November revenues were as follows: General \$12,801.31; Library \$136.25; Cemetery \$360.00; RUT \$11,787.37; Employee Benefits \$2,359.71; LOST \$7,460.77; TIF \$800.89; Debt Service \$4,071.17; Perpetual Care \$90.00; Water \$11,758.53; Sewer \$15,020.41; Garbage \$8,345.55.

Harvey motioned to approve the December claims, seconded by Vogt. A roll call vote was taken, all ayes. The December claims were as follows: AAA Pest Control \$31.00; ACCO

\$699.20; Alliant \$3,878.89; Anderson-Bogert \$645.00; Appriver \$115.75; Arnold Motor Supply \$95.28; Atkins Lumber \$42.20; Barb Tracey, mileage \$292.79; Benton County Solid Waste \$2,101.28; Benton County Treasurer, final tax on parcel \$12.00; Brianna Pierce \$120.00; Cedar Rapids Tire \$174.24; City Laundry \$457.76; ECICOG \$519.74; IRS \$5,745.04; G&H Electric, new furnace, air, and repair \$8,945.50; Gordon Flesch \$355.72; Iowa One Call \$61.20; John Deere Financial \$17.98; John's Tire Service \$210.00; Johnson County Refuse \$13,727.00; Microbac Labs \$969.50; Konica Minolta \$154.71; Lowry Equipment \$227.41; Lynch Dallas \$3,704.84; Palo Savings Bank \$1,393.39; Phil Staab \$360.00; Quill \$159.74; REC \$279.77; Rick Robertson, mileage \$69.10; Rocky's Concrete \$1,300.00; Roto Rooter \$742.50; Sally Hinrichsen \$243.34; Sam's Club \$70.57; Sam, LLC, cemetery software \$2,200.00; Shellsburg Quick Stop \$525.73; SimpleSky \$60.00; UMB Bank, bond fees \$550.00; USA Communications \$129.64; UPSP \$ 192.52; Vinton Newspaper \$78.39; Tim Estling \$118.63; Sharon Harvey \$1040.00; Scott Hepker \$840.00; Marje McDonald \$1560.00; Linda Peters \$728.50; Reeves \$1000.00; Shane Rieck \$5731.13; Rick Robertson \$9116.25; Karl Stephenson \$5260.13; Dana Terc \$566.50; Barb Tracey \$7860.57; Lori Travis \$1000.00; Phil Travis \$2082.50; Shadoe Vogt \$920.00.

Council forum: Discuss moving budget workshop, decided to keep on February 8th.

Vogt mentioned there will be a finding meeting at the Shellsburg School and he and Hepker will meet to discuss updating the building permit application.

Follow-up nuisances were discussed. Hepker asked about other options for seal coating. The council said to move forward with the LL Pelling proposal.

Vogt motioned to adjourn, seconded by Reeves. All ayes.