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The Prinsburg city council held its regular meeting on March 8, 2022, at 1:00 pm in the city council room. Mayor Roger Ahrenholz called the meeting to order. Present were council members, Greg Bonnema, Dan Negen, and Dalen Folkerts. Also present was City employees Sarah Van Dyken and Nolan Slagter. Mitch Swart was Absent.

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**Art** **1**  Dan Negen made a motion to approve the minutes as printed from the February 8, 2021, regular meeting. Greg Bonnema supported the motion. Ayes: Roger Ahrenholz, Greg Bonnema, Dan Negen, Dalen Folkerts. Nays: None.

**Art 2** Dalen Folkerts made a motion to approve payment of the claims as presented. Greg Bonnema supported the motion. Ayes: Roger Ahrenholz, Greg Bonnema, Dan Negen, Dalen Folkerts. Nays: None

**Art 3** Jt Powers Meeting for first quarter cancelled. No report

**Art 4** Offer was made to Scott Wubben for house on 6th street of $29,000.

**Art** **5** Dan Negen made a motion approve Contract with Steve Bulthuis for $2,800 annually for the next 3 years for Brush Site rental**.** Greg Bonnema supported this motion. Ayes: Roger Ahrenholz, Greg Bonnema, Dan Negen, Dalen Folkerts. Nays: None.

**Art 6** Dalen Folkerts made a motion for sign the Liability

Waiver from League of Mn Cities. Our statement is NOT to waiver. Dan Negen supports this motion. Ayes: Roger Ahrenholz, Greg Bonnema, Dan Negen, Dalen Folkerts. Nays: None.

**Art 7** Land South of Warren Damhof’s shop has been inquired about. Roger shared with council that the lot next to Warren’s is Prinsco’s and then the City.

**Art 8** Greg Bonnema made a motion to pay Election Judges $18 an hour for the year 2022. Dan Negen supported the motion. Ayes: Roger Ahrenholz, Greg Bonnema, Dan Negen, Dalen Folkerts. Nays: None.

**Art 9** Dalen Folkerts made a motion to pay seasonal help $15.75 an hour for 2022. Dan Negen supported the motion. Ayes: Roger Ahrenholz, Greg Bonnema, Dan Negen, Dalen Folkerts. Nays: None.

**Art 10** Roger Ahrenholz will get back to working on Ordinances. Roger did asked council their thoughts on rental house/absent Landlords in town. We will table this for another month.

**Art 11** City clerk is working with Residents with over-due water/sewer bills.

**Art 12** Nolan Slagter gave a report of his meeting with Natural System Utilities (NSU) and MPCA (Minnesota pollution Control Agency). The meeting went over the audit that was started right before COVID hit and everything was shut down. Went over with the council our violations at the site. NSU will be taking care of correcting the issues. No fines given.

**Art 13** Council discussed our Street Maintenance Schedule, Public works equipment and Office Equipment. Greg Bonnema, Sarah Van Dyken and Nolan Slagter will work on updating this information.

Roger Ahrenholz made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Dalen Folkerts supported the motion. Ayes: Roger Ahrenholz, Greg Bonnema, Dan Negen, and Dalen Folkerts. Nays: None.

Sarah Van Dyken, Clerk