

The Prinsburg city council held its regular meeting on September 9, 2025, at 1:00 PM in the city council room. Mayor Mitch Swart called the meeting to order. Present council members, Dan Negen, Mike Bredeck, Nate Marcus, and Greg Bonnema. City Employees Sarah Van Dyken and Nolan Slagter are also present. Josh Johnson from Bollig is present to update City on Water Tower project and 3<sup>rd</sup> Street Water main.

**ART 1** Mike Bredeck moved to approve the minutes with updated changes. Greg Bonnema supported the motion. **MSP**

**ART 2** Mitch Swart moved to approve the claims in the amount of \$66,276.25. Nate Marcus supported this motion. **MSP**

**ART 3** Greg Bonnema presented a proposed 2026 tax levy of \$508,999—a 5% increase from last year. Dan Negen moved to approve the proposal, with discussion set at a public hearing on December 9, 2025, at 6:00 pm. Nate Marcus supported the motion. **MSP**

**ART 4 Permit Applications:**

1. Dan Negen moved to approve Marit Rheinheimer's permit application for a professionally installed fence in her backyard. Nate Marcus supported the motion. **MSP**
2. Mitch Swart moved to approve Patricia Brogerg's application to expand the landing at her garage service door to enhance safety. Mike Bredeck supported the motion. **MSP**

**ART 5** Mitch Swart gives an update from the last Jt Powers Meeting.

**ART 6** Josh Johnson from Bollig provided an update regarding the Lead Service Line project that the Minnesota Department of Health is funding. Josh states there are five – (5) remaining residents that need to be contacted and over half the town on the City side has unknown documentation. Bollig will continue with their work to meet MDH guidelines.

Josh also stated that Zach Brouwer reached out and has scheduled a preconstruction meeting with Nolan and Josh to look at the 3<sup>rd</sup> Street Watermain Extension project. He is looking to start work on the project next week.

Josh also reports on the Water Tower Project. He submitted the Certificate of Substantial Completion along with Pay Request #1, totaling \$59,280.00. Mitch Swart moved to approve the pay request for \$59,280.00, with Dan Negen seconding the motion. **Greg Bonnema, Dan Negen, Nate Marcus, and Mitch Swart voted in favor, while Mike Bredeck abstained.**

**ART 7** Nolan Slagter reported that the City of Renville has recently acquired a new street sweeper from Sioux Sanitation, based in Sioux Falls. Greg Bonnema recommended that two council members accompany Nolan Slagter to inspect the equipment.

**Art 8** Mike Bredeck moved to adjourn the Meeting Dan Negen supported this motion. **MSP**

*Sarah Van Dyken*, City Administrator/Clerk