

STATE OF WYOMING)

COUNTY OF GOSHEN)

TOWN OF LINGLE)

The Regular Meeting of the Lingle Town Council convened at 5:06 p.m., March 7, 2018 with Mayor Siglin leading the pledge of allegiance. Upon roll call, the following were present, constituting a quorum:

Mayor:	George Siglin
Council Member:	Greg Asa Kelly Greenwald Paula Newcomb
Absent:	Joe Welte

There were also present:	Clerk/Treasurer:	Michele Sussex
	Town Supervisor:	Larry Haeffelin
	Police Chief:	Endra Moen
Absent:	LVFD Fire Chief:	Kasey Bangerter
	Town Attorney:	Greg Knudsen
	Pool Manager:	Brandi Hill

Mayor Siglin welcomed all to the meeting and thanked them for being present.

CM Asa moved to approve the agenda with the addition of adding Weed and Pest information under Unfinished Business. CM Greenwald voiced a second and the motion carried without dissent.

CM Newcomb moved to approve the minutes of the February 21, 2018 regular council meeting. CM Greenwald offered a second and the measure passed unanimously.

CM Newcomb moved to pay the February 2018 bills in the amount of \$96,811.84. CM Greenwald offered a second and the measure passed unanimously.

LAW ENFORCEMENT: PC Moen reported 28 incidents this month. She continues to work on the DARE program. She also presented to council that she will start Domestic Violence Classes soon and will be attending a WASCOP Leadership Conference.

POOL ITEMS: PM Hill was absent, however it was noted that she was attending a meeting with the Recreation Board in Torrington in regards to a grant for the Lingle Pool. The Lingle Pool is now accepting applications for Lifeguard positions; they must be turned in to Town Hall by April 4, 2018.

ADMINISTRATION: CT Sussex announced that nominations and filing applications for two council member positions and the Mayor position will be open from March 8th through March 30th and the filing fee is \$25.00. She presented to Council that Ty's Pit Stop has requested to use the Lingle logo for marketing items during the 100-year anniversary, Council asked for further clarification on what those items will be. She announced Berry Lee will be submitting a quote for touching up the paint on the band-shell for the 100-year anniversary. There will be a Fact or Fiction Meeting held on April 10th at 7:00pm at the Legion Hall in Lingle to answer any questions pertaining to the new Community Center Building; everyone is encouraged to attend. She also announced the dates of June 1st through June 16th have been set for Clean Up Days and the Lingle Garage Sale day will be June 2nd. She presented the request from the LVFD Auxiliary for a donation for the Easter Egg

Hunt and Council unanimously agreed to give them the same amount as was awarded last year. She also announced the town received an approval letter from Oregon Trail Community Foundation to be granted \$2,000 towards the new Community Center. CT Sussex ended her discussion by informing the Council she is almost finished filling out some of the major reports that must be submitted annually.

MAINTENANCE: TS Haeffelin reported they have been doing street sweeping along with cleaning and blading alleys throughout town. They removed a dead tree in Lira Park, turned in monthly water samples, and attended a WMPA meeting and a Safety meeting. They are currently busy cleaning and repairing the Maintenance Hall. TS Haeffelin also informed Council they will be fixing the sod in areas for the 100-year anniversary celebration. They will be looking for seasonal help this year as well.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: Mayor Siglin presented State Statute 11-5-105 that discusses a levy on weed and pest control within communities. Goshen County Treasurer Maxine Mitchell will be providing the specific dollar amount Lingle levies each year for weed and pest control. More research will need to be done and the Town will seek legal advice on this subject and the issue will be discussed again at the March 21, 2018 Council meeting.

ORDINANCES: CM Newcomb moved to approve Ordinance #336 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING AND RE-ENACTING CODE 3-1-1 THROUGH 3-1-7 OF THE TOWN OF LINGLE, WYOMING PROVIDING FOR THE REGULATION OF NUISANCES WITHIN THE TOWN OF LINGLE, on the third reading. Mayor Siglin second the motion, however following the discussion CM Newcomb withdraw her motion and this ordinance was tabled until the March 21, 2018 Council Meeting.

CM Greenwald led a discussion that addressed applying for multiple grants on an annual basis that could be used to make some improvements in Lingle; council unanimously agreed that would be good for the Town. She also discussed placing flower pots along Main Street and hanging them from the flag poles along Main Street. She will be getting a quote for the mentioned flower pots and planters; CM Greenwald then suggested local businesses could be encouraged to purchase a planter for the front of their establishment, which other Council members were in agreement on. CM Greenwald asked for clarification on executive sessions, namely if the Town is using them properly. Further investigation will be done on this issue and brought to the March 21, 2018 Council meeting.

Mayor Siglin reviewed the education that was received at the WAM Winter Workshop and encouraged other Council members to attend in the future; stating it was very insightful and well worth attending.

Mayor Siglin adjourned the regular meeting at 6:28pm.

SEAL:

ATTEST:

CT Michele V. Sussex

Mayor George Siglin