## September 16, 2024

The Town Council of the Town of Fowler met at the Town Hall on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2024 at the hour of 6:00 P.M., for a meeting pursuant to call in accordance with the rules of the Council. The meeting was called to order by Linda Brouillette, Town Council President. On call of the roll of the members of the Council were shown to be present or absent as follows:

Present: Linda Brouillette, Pat Claire, Mike Sanders, Lisa Sarault

Absent: Jason Fisher

Also Present: John Budreau, Scott Barker

## **Unfinished Business**

Linda Brouillette called the meeting to order. Scott Barker with Mainstream Fiber Optic was present to discuss a road cut permit that Mainstream would like to get approved. John Budreau stated that he had previously talked to Hank that works with Mainstream, but lately John would try to call and he couldn't leave messages. John said on January 11, 2024 Hank sent him maps of all the potholes that needed fixed. John and Hank agreed to 6 inches of gravel and 3 inches of asphalt. John let them use cold mix during the winter and then they would dig the cold mix out and replace it with the hot mix in the Spring. This has not been done. Since then, the Town has approved two more permits with the promise from Mainstream that the potholes would be fixed. Since the potholes have not been taken care of, the Town has not approved anymore permits.

Scott Barker stated that he looked at the agreement between the Town and Mainstream. In the agreement it does state that anything done will be restored as same condition as before. Since they did cut into asphalt, they have to replace it as the same condition. Scott stated he would get a vendor out here to fix the potholes. Linda Brouillette made a recommendation that when the Council gets confirmation of a vendor and dates this will be done, the Council will approve the new road cut permit application. Mike Sanders motions to approve the road cut permit based on confirmation of a vendor and the approval from John Budreau. Pat Claire seconds. All in favor. Motion carried.

Linda Brouillette spoke about North West Solid Waste District Board. They are in need of alternate members to attend the meetings. After discussion Mike Sanders, Lisa Sarault and Pat Claire all signed up as alternate members.

The Council discussed revisions for the new employee handbook. Sara will email New Focus and get a final draft for the Oct. 7 Council meeting.

## Claims

Pat Claire motions to approve the claims. Lisa Sarault seconds. All in favor. Motion carried.

## Adjournment

With no further business, Linda Brouillette motions to adjourn. Pat Claire seconds the motion. All in favor motion carried.

Linda Brouillette, Council President

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Sara Finley, Clerk Treasurer