

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS
CITY OF HERREID, SOUTH DAKOTA
APRIL 20, 2026, 7:30pm
SPECIAL MEETING
102 Main St N.
Herreid, SD 57632

I. Call to Order

The Herreid City Council was called to order by Mayor Gary Weismantel on the above date at 7:30 p.m. at Herreid City Hall.

II. Roll Call

The following members were present: Bob Rossow, Adrienne Dupper, Canaan Winthrop, Troy Fuehrer, Kim Rossow, and Brady Vander Vorst. Also present were Keith Hall, Finance Officer; Alan Allbee, Deputy Finance Officer; Brett Van Vugt, Maintenance Supervisor; Kevin Wientjes, Campbell County Bank; Jose Diaz, Campbell County Insurance Agency.

III. Approval of Agenda

Moved by Dupper, seconded by Fuehrer, to approve the agenda. All members voted aye; motion carried.

IV. Public Comments

Held a brief discussion on two public topics.

V. Building Permits

Moved by Fuehrer, seconded by Vander Vorst to approve a building permit for Steve Ford to repair/replace his front 6'x14' deck at the estimated cost of \$1,500. All members voted aye; motion carried.

VI. Old Business

a. Emergency Siren Update

Heard that installation of the new siren will tentatively be in May. There is another piece of equipment that will need to be ordered to install on the current siren so that the two will sound simultaneously once the new siren is installed. Hall noted that we should have the quote for the new equipment piece very soon, and then the installation of the new siren will be scheduled.

VII. New Business

a. CD Renewals

Campbell County Bank President Kevin Wientjes addressed the council with a new option for the three maturing CDs. He explained that traditional CDs do not allow the bank to use those funds for local lending. He then introduced the IntraFi Network, a product that enables the bank to lend the deposited funds to local businesses and farmers while remaining fully FDIC insured, just like traditional CDs. Because of its structure, the IntraFi Network also offers greater flexibility in the interest rates that can be provided. The three CDs maturing in April total \$650,000. Following discussion, a motion was made by Winthrop and seconded by K. Rossow to convert the three CDs to the IntraFi program upon their maturity. The new terms will be for six months at 3.65% interest. All members voted aye; motion carried.

b. CC Insurance Renewals

Campbell County Insurance agent Jose Diaz presented information to the council regarding the 2026-2027 city insurance policy. He noted that no new properties needed to be added and that the current coverage amounts would remain the same. He also noted that the rate increase was about 7.8% from last year's \$63,211 premium. Diaz presented three renewal options: Option 1: \$2,500 deductibles with an annual premium of \$68,138, Option 2: \$5,000 deductibles with an annual premium of \$65,936, and Option 3: \$10,000 deductibles with an annual premium of \$62,537. Following discussion, a motion was made by Vander Vorst and seconded by B. Rossow to renew with Option 1. The motion carried with all members voting aye except Winthrop, who voted nay.

c. Code Enforcement

The council discussed several code enforcement violations brought forth. Following discussions, the council agreed to send violation notices.

d. Lifeguard Certifications

Learned that Melinda Neeley will not be able to provide certification training this season and that arrangements have been made for lifeguards needing certification or recertification to attend training offered in Mobridge for \$250 per person. Following discussion, the council agreed to continue the past practice of the city covering those costs upon successful completion of the course.

e. Concrete Removal at Rubble Site

Tabled

f. Basketball Courts

After discussion, the motion was made by K. Rossow, seconded by Fuehrer to purchase the supplies needed to restripe the basketball courts at the city park. All members voted aye; motion carried.

VIII. Executive Session – SDCL 1-25-2 (1) personnel

None

IX. Executive Session – SDCL 1-25-2 (4) legal

None

X. Next Meeting

The next regularly scheduled Council meeting is set for Monday, May 4, 2026 at 7:30 p.m.

XI. Adjournment

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 9:10 p.m.

APPROVED:

Gary Weismantel, Mayor

ATTEST:

Keith Hall, Finance Officer

