

City Council Meeting
November 10, 2025

The regular Riverdale City Council meeting of November 10, 2025 was called to order at 6:00 by Mayor Taylor.

Present: Alex Taylor, Ken Skuza, Toni Ganje, Mike Dirk, Jerry Orth and Auditor Del Kolke

Oath of Office was administered to council member Toni Ganje.

Orth moved to approve the consent agenda. Dirk seconded. Motion carried.

Public Comments:

Alicia Lacher, interested resident to fill vacant council seat, read a letter expressing concern with the lack of candidate vetting for appointment to council.

Lee Bertsch posed several questions to individual council members not pertinent to meeting business.

Old Business:

No further action on the street project will be taken until Flex Funding recipients have been announced.

New Business:

Dirk moved to approve raffle permit to Ducks Unlimited for Dec. 13, 2025 event. Ganje seconded. Motion carried.

Dirk moved to increase Morning Star Campground fees \$200 for 2026 season. Motion failed due to lack of second. Ganje moved to increase Morning Star Campground fees \$100 for 2026 season. Orth seconded. Motion carried.

Employee compensation is tabled until December meeting.

Further information on utility rates will be provided by auditor for discussion next month.

Reports:

Taylor suggested purchasing a pole saw for maintenance use.

Skuza continued necessary tree trimming/removal in the campground. Roads are chained with signs indicating the campground is closed for the season.

Dirk is performing a survey of trees in town for possible removal. Several large cottonwoods on city property are included. A \$25 charge for disposal of freon appliances at the landfill was

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implemented this season. A certified contractor to properly capture the freon could not be secured and the appliances were disposed of at the Bismarck landfill at a cost of \$30 each.

Orth indicated the chlorine issue at the water treatment facility was attributed to a difference in hose specs. Placing a game camera at the compost area would hopefully deter disposal of unwanted debris and use by non-residents.

City hall will be closed Nov. 11 (Veteran's Day) and Nov. 27 & 28 (Thanksgiving). Additionally, auditor will be out of the office Nov. 24-26.

Next meeting is scheduled for Monday, December 8 at 6:00 PM.

Meeting adjourned at 7:25 PM.

Executive Officer: _____

Mayor

Attest: _____

Auditor