

**CITY OF STRATFORD CITY COUNCIL
REGULAR MEETING NOTICE AND AGENDA
WITH NOTES FOR COUNCIL**

Mayor Brian Ouverson	Council Member Carol Bergman
Council Member Catherine Bergman	Council Member Terry Bryan
Council Member Clark Conklin	Council Member Chase Haman

Date of Meeting: Monday, September 9, 2024
Place of Meeting: Stratford City Hall, 805 Shakespeare, Stratford, IA 50249
Time of Meeting: 7:00 p.m. for Regular Meeting

- I. Call to Order, Pledge of Allegiance and Roll Call for Regular Meeting.
- II. Approval of Tentative Agenda.
- III. Approval of Minutes from Previous Regular Meeting on August 12, 2024
- IV. **Public Comments and Presentations.** This is the time of the meeting that a citizen may address the Council on a matter not on the Agenda. Except in cases of emergency, the City Council will not take any action at this meeting, but may ask the City Staff to research the matter or have the matter placed on the Agenda for a future meeting. (Please limit presentation at 2 to 5 minutes)
- V. **Approval of Consent Agenda:** Items listed below are considered routine by the City Council and will be enacted by one motion. There will be no separate discussion or vote on these items unless a Council Member or a member of the audience so requests, in which event the item will be removed from the Consent Agenda and considered after the other items listed on the Agenda.
 - A. Financial Report for August 2024
 - B. Current Claims since Previous Council Approval for \$76,853.55
 - C. Delinquent Utility Account Report
- VI. **Items for Discussion/Action:**
 - A. Discuss drainage in City Limits on Dryden Street
 - B. Consider setting date and time for Halloween/Trick or Treat night
 - C. Consider approval of Vendor Agreement for electric for FY 2025 Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program with Upper Des Moines Opportunity
 - D. Consider approving a request from Team Iowa Snowmobilers for 2024-2025 Winter Season Snowmobile Route in incorporated limits of Stratford
 - E. Consider quote from KT&T for \$12,980.00 for lines clearance for map 2 south end of Stratford
 - F. Consider quote from KT&T for \$1,800 for removal of Ash trees in right-of-way
 - G. Discuss Housing Committee recommendation for the Rural Housing Assessment Grant
 - H. Consider approval of \$2000 match to Rural Housing Assessment Grant

- I. Consider approval of City of Stratford Annual Financial Report for Fiscal Year 2024
- J. Discuss/approve quotes for snow bucket/spreader/snowblower for upcoming winter season
- K. Discuss/approve quote for a dump trailer
- L. Review Stratford Municipal Pool 2024 season report

VII. Ordinances and Other Resolutions:

VIII. City Manager and Maintenance Supervisor Report:

IX. Board/Committee Reports:

- A. Arbor Committee – Catherine Bergman
- B. NCIRWSA (FD Landfill) – Brian Ouverson
- C. SCWMA (Squaw Creek Watershed) – Terry Bryan

X. Information for Council:

- A. Library Minutes 8/6/24

XI. Council Member's Comments.

XII. Mayor's Comments.

XIII. Adjournment.