

## **Ruthven City Council Meeting**

**April 23, 2025 – 6:45 PM**

The Ruthven City Council, of the City of Ruthven, Iowa, met on the 23rd Day of April 2025, at 6:30 PM, in regular session, at the Ruthven Social Center, pursuant to law and to the rules of said council.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Johnson in the Chair, and the roll being called, the following members were present: Mitch Anderson, Maya Cacek and Terrence Williams. Absent. Hailey Derrickson, Morgan Miller,

City employees present: Jessica Schneider, Dave Conlon

Public: Rick Voss, Jo Voss, Kelsey Versluis, Alex Long, Chloe Jones, Stacie Long, Austin Long, Judy Broadie.

Motion Williams, second Cacek to approve Minutes from April 2nd, 2025, City Council Meeting, Claims Report and Clerk's Financials along with Bully's Bar and Grill Liquor License. Vote: Ayes; Cacek, Williams and Anderson Nays: Absent: Miller, Derrickson

Mayor Johnson declared the public hearing open at 6:38 p.m. for the city of Ruthven to Adopt the Fiscal Year 2025-2026 Budget for Year Ending June 30, 2026. No objectors were present or filed written objections to the City Clerk, so the public hearing was declared closed at 6:38 p.m.

Motion Cacek, second Anderson to approve RESOLUTION 12-2025 – A Resolution Adopting the Fiscal Year 2025-2026 Annual Budget for Year Ending June 30, 2026. Roll Call Vote: Ayes; Cacek, Williams and Anderson Nays: Absent: Miller, Derrickson

Mayor Johnson declared the public hearing open at 6:38 p.m. for the City of Ruthven Iowa's 2024-2025 City Budget Amendment. No objectors were present or filed written objections to the City Clerk, so the public hearing was declared closed at 6:39 p.m.

Motion Cacek, second Anderson to approve RESOLUTION 13-2025 – A resolution amending the Current budget for Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2025. Roll Call Vote: Ayes; Cacek, Williams and Anderson Nays: Absent: Miller, Derrickson

Motion Cacek, Second Anderson to approve Pay application NO. 6 – water system improvements – water treatment plant. Vote: Ayes; Cacek, Williams and Anderson Nays: Absent: Miller, Derrickson

Motion Williams, Second Cacek to approve the change order NO. 4. Vote: Ayes; Cacek, Williams and Anderson Nays: Absent: Miller, Derrickson

Clerk Schneider discussed clean up days and the fact that junk is usually out during graduation weekend and doesn't look good. The council suggested clean up days either being June 5 or June 12 depending on what works best for Harris Sanitation.

Discussion was had on the dangerous dog. After obedience school one dog passed one dog did not. Motion Williams to dismiss Ollie who passed obedience school. Second Cacek. Vote: Ayes; Cacek, Williams and Anderson Nays: Absent: Miller, Derrickson

Motion Cacek for Duke to follow what the obedience school suggested along with being evaluated by and animal behavioralist. Vote: Ayes; Cacek, Williams and Anderson Nays: Absent: Miller, Derrickson

Motion Cacek Second Anderson to adjourn meeting at 7:23 p.m. Vote: Ayes; Cacek, Williams and Anderson Nays: Absent: Miller, Derrickson

SIGNED:

ATTEST:

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Dustin Johnson, Mayor of Ruthven

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Jessica Schneider, City Clerk

