CUT BANK CITY COUNCIL APRIL 6, 2020 6:30 P.M. – CITY HALL

CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL/PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

Mayor Raemaeker called the meeting of the Cut Bank City Council to order at 6:30 PM, Monday, April 6, 2020. The following persons answered roll call: Councilpersons Tim Curtiss, Tim Kipp and Doug Vermulm. Also present were City Superintendent James Suta, City Attorney Robert Smith, City Judge Berkram, Police Chief Schultz and Clerk-Treasurer Burley. All present recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

ABSENT: Erik Nelson

VISITORS: Ashley Shrewsberry

PUBLIC COMMENT: None

CLAIMS: Councilperson Curtiss moved to approve the claims through April 3, 2020 for \$100,480.40, which includes warrants 58345-58381. Councilperson Vermulm seconded the motion and motion carried 3-0.

ADDITIONAL ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION:

CONSENT AGENDA:

Councilperson Kipp moved to approve the March 16, 2020 minutes and the payroll from April 2, 2020 for \$77,040.94. Councilperson Curtiss seconded the motion. Motion carried 3-0.

DEPARTMENT HEAD REPORTS:

City Superintendent Suta presented his report. In order to reduce the risk of Covid-19 to our employees, the water plant operators are now working their summer hours. This keeps them from working together and reduces our risk of having our operators sick at the same time. The Covid-19 restrictions will make his summer's chip sealing very difficult. Councilperson Kipp moved to accept the City Superintendent's report and Councilperson Curtiss seconded the motion. Motion carried 3-0.

OLD BUSINESS: None

NEW BUSINESS:

Councilperson **Curtiss moved to approve Task Order #14 for the lift station project. Council Vermulm seconded the motion.** Motion carried unanimously.

CORRESPONDENCE: None

WORK SESSION: Mayor Raemaeker reviewed for the Council the changes that have been made in the past on the Union Contract. He asked the Council to review the handout and Union Contract and bring any suggestions to the next meeting.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Police Chief Schultz reported that the Port Authority meetings have been put on hold for the time being. Councilperson Kipp reported that the Chamber of Commerce has cancelled its Banquet. They have been working on another event to raise funds. Councilperson Kipp will report on future events as they are approved.

Councilperson Curtiss announced that the first quarter meeting of the Tri-City Interlocal has been cancelled. It will not be made up. The next regular meeting will be held in July.

ADJOURNMENT: There being no further business to come before the Council, **Mayor Raemaeker adjourned the meeting at 7:02 PM.** The next regular meeting is scheduled for April 22, 2020 at 6:30 PM.

ADJOURNMENT: There being no further business to come before the Council, **Mayor Raemaeker adjourned the meeting at 8:05 PM.** The next regular meeting is scheduled for March 20, 2020 at 6:30 PM.

Attest:

Approve:

Linda Burley, Clerk-Treasurer

Dan Raemaeker, Mayor