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## CITY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

# **City of New Prague**

Tuesday, February 18, 2025 at 6:00 PM City Hall Council Chambers - 118 Central Ave N

### 1. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Jirik called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

**PRESENT** 

Mayor Duane Jirik

Councilmember Shawn Ryan

Councilmember Rik Seiler

Councilmember Bruce Wolf

**ABSENT** 

Councilmember Maggie Bass

Staff present: City Administrator Joshua Tetzlaff, Planning/Community Development Director Ken Ondich, Police Chief Tim Applen and Public Works Director Matt Rynda

a. Pledge of Allegiance

### 2. APPROVAL OF REGULAR AGENDA

Motion to approve the regular agenda with the addition of item 12a under General Business. Motion made by Councilmember Seiler, Seconded by Councilmember Ryan. Voting Yea: Mayor Jirik, Councilmember Ryan, Councilmember Seiler, Councilmember Wolf Motion carried (4-0)

### 3. SWEARING IN OF OFFICERS

- a. Taylar Wickman
- b. Gabriel Trout

### 4. CONSENT AGENDA

Motion to approve the consent agenda.

Motion made by Councilmember Wolf, Seconded by Councilmember Ryan.

Voting Yea: Mayor Jirik, Councilmember Ryan, Councilmember Seiler, Councilmember Wolf Motion carried (4-0)

- a. Meeting Minutes
  - i. February 3, 2025 City Council Meeting Minutes
- b. Claims for Payment: \$207,486.37
- c. Financial Summary Report
- d. Large Assembly Permits for New Prague Chamber of Commerce:
  - i. Czech out New Prague in Memorial Park August 7, 2025
  - ii. Dozinky on Main Street and Memorial Park September 19 & 20, 2025
  - iii. Parade of Lights on Main Street and Memorial Park December 5, 2025
- e. Pre-Approval for Monthly US Bank Equipment Finance Payments
- f. Purchase of 2025 Ford Explorer for Police Department
- g. Purchase of 2023 Chevrolet Equinox for Community Development Department

### 5. CITY ENGINEER PROJECTS UPDATE

No update other than document in packet.

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### 6. CITY CENTER GRADING PLAN - PHASE 1

City Engineer Chris Knutson presented the City Center Grading Plan.

Motion to approve authorization to solicit quotes.

Motion made by Councilmember Wolf, Seconded by Councilmember Seiler.

Voting Yea: Mayor Jirik, Councilmember Ryan, Councilmember Seiler, Councilmember Wolf Motion carried (4-0)

a. Authorization to Solicit Quotes

### PUBLIC INVITED TO BE HEARD ON MATTERS NOT ON THE AGENDA

(Speakers limited to 5 minutes)
No speakers present.

### 8. PUBLIC HEARING(S) - 6:00 PM

a. None

### 9. ORDINANCE(S) FOR INTRODUCTION

### 10. ORDINANCE(S) FOR ADOPTION

### 11. RESOLUTIONS

<u>a.</u> <u>Resolution #25-02-18-01</u> - Accepting a Donation of Dugouts at Memorial Park Ball Fields from New Prague Baseball Booster Club

Motion to approve Resolution #25-02-18-01 Accepting a Donation of Dugouts at Memorial Park Ball Fields from New Prague Baseball Booster Club

Motion made by Councilmember Seiler, Seconded by Councilmember Ryan.

Voting Yea: Mayor Jirik, Councilmember Ryan, Councilmember Seiler, Councilmember Wolf Motion carried (4-0)

<u>b.</u> Resolution #25-02-18-02 - Authorizing the Fund Transfer and Closure of Account CIP 2007 Fund 395 Motion to table approving Resolution #25-02-18-02 Authorizing the Fund Transfer and Closure of Account CIP 2007 Fund 395 until the next meeting.

Motion made by Councilmember Ryan, Seconded by Councilmember Seiler.

Voting Yea: Mayor Jirik, Councilmember Ryan, Councilmember Seiler, Councilmember Wolf Motion carried (4-0)

<u>c.</u> Resolution #25-02-18-03 - Authorizing the Closure of Account ARPA Fund 209 Motion to approve Resolution #25-02-18-03 Authorizing the Closure of Account ARPA Fund 209 Motion made by Councilmember Seiler, Seconded by Councilmember Wolf. Voting Yea: Mayor Jirik, Councilmember Ryan, Councilmember Seiler, Councilmember Wolf Motion carried (4-0)

### 12. GENERAL BUSINESS

\*This item was approved to be added to the agenda at the beginning of the meeting

<u>a.</u> Resolution #25-02-18-04 - Authorizing and Ordering Improvement, Preparation of Plans and an Advertisement for Bids for the Police Addition Improvement Project

Motion to approve Resolution #25-02-18-04 Authorizing and Ordering Improvement, Preparation of Plans and an Advertisement for Bids for the Police Addition Improvement Project with changing the language to item #4 in the document.

Motion made by Councilmember Seiler, Seconded by Councilmember Wolf.

Voting Yea: Mayor Jirik, Councilmember Seiler, Councilmember Wolf

Voting Nay: Councilmember Ryan

Motion carried (3-1)

### 13. MISCELLANEOUS

- a. Meeting Minutes
  - i. January 8, 2025 EDA Meeting Minutes
  - ii. January 14, 2025 Park Board Meeting Minutes
- b. Regional Training Facility Discussion
- c. Discussion of Items not on the Agenda

### 14. ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:16 p.m.

Motion made by Councilmember Seiler, Seconded by Mayor Jirik.

Voting Yea: Mayor Jirik, Councilmember Ryan, Councilmember Seiler, Councilmember Wolf Motion carried (4-0)

ATTEST:

Joshua M. Tetzlaff City Administrator Duane J. Jir

Mayor