

Agenda

City Council Meeting
Oelwein Public Library, 201 East Charles, Oelwein, Iowa
6:00 PM

May 13, 2024 Oelwein, Iowa

Mayor: Brett DeVore

Mayor Pro Tem: Matt Weber

Council Members: Karen Seeders, Anthony Ricchio, Lynda Payne, Dave Garrigus, Dave Lenz

Pledge of Allegiance

Call to Order

Roll Call

Additions or Deletions

1. Memorial Poppy Day Proclamation.

Citizens Public Comments - See Guidelines for Public Comments Below

Consent Agenda

- 2. Consideration of a motion approving the April 22, 2024 minutes.
- 3. Consideration of a motion approving the April 29, 2024 minutes.
- 4. Consideration of a motion approving the Class 'C' alcohol license for Leo's Italian Restaurant, Inc.
- 5. Consideration of a motion approving the Class 'C' alcohol license for Sip by Sip, LLC. for May 31st, 2024 through June 4th, 2024.

Ordinances

- 6. Consideration of an ordinance amending Chapter 7: Water and Sewer, Article II, Section 10: Water Rates and amending Article III, Section 41: Sanitary Sewer Surcharges: Schedules. Second Reading.
- 7. Consideration of an ordinance amending language in Chapter 12 Buildings, Article 1 Building Code: Section 12-3 Amendments, Subsection H) 1, 3, and 4: Demolition Permits. Second Reading.
- 8. Consideration of an ordinance amending, Chapter 6, Article IV, Oelwein Airport Board, Section 6-101 Qualifications of Board Members. Second Reading.

Resolutions

9. Consideration of a resolution setting a public hearing amending the Fiscal Year 2023-2024 budget on May 28, 2024 at 6:00 PM at the Oelwein Public Library.

- 10. Consideration of a resolution setting date for the sale of General Obligation Bridge Improvement Bonds, Series 2024 and authorizing the use of a preliminary official statement in connection therewith.
- 11. Consideration of a resolution approving the Preliminary Official Statement.
- 12. Consideration of a resolution approving the Fiscal Year 2025 through Fiscal Year 2027 Salary Resolution.
- 13. Consideration of a resolution approving a Union Contract with Chauffeurs, Teamsters and Helpers Local Union No. 238.
- 14. Consideration of a resolution approving the Fiscal Year 2025 Fee Schedule.
- 15. Consideration of a resolution approving a Professional Services Agreement in the amount of \$12,500 with MSA for assistance in applying for an EPA Community Change Grant.
- 16. Consideration of a resolution approving the Oelwein Municipal Airport (OLZ) Revenue Policy.
- <u>17.</u> Consideration of a resolution amending the Oelwein Personnel Manual.
- 18. Consideration of a resolution approving the Inclement Weather Policy.
- 19. Consideration of a resolution approving the reduction of the price of bulk items stickers for Oelwein residents to \$10.00 as part of the annual large item cleanup program.
- 20. Consideration of a resolution approving the lease to Leo's Italian Restaurant.
- 21. Consideration of a resolution approving the demolition assistance application for 725 2nd Ave SE to Doug Bryan.
- 22. Consideration of a resolution setting a public hearing for May 28, 2024 at 6:00PM at the Oelwein Public Library for the sale of 902 1st Ave SE to Sean and Amanda Emery.
- 23. Consideration of a resolution setting a public hearing for May 28, 2024 at 6:00PM at the Oelwein Public Library for the sale 222 South Frederick to Hub City Heritage Corporation.
- 24. Consideration of a resolution setting a public hearing for May 28, 2024 at 6:00PM at the Oelwein Public Library for the sale 322 6th Ave SE to Andrew Heth.
- 25. Consideration of a resolution authorizing temporary closure of public ways or grounds for Oelwein Celebrations Renewed, Inc. on May 31, 2024 through June 2, 2024.

Motions

26. Consideration of a motion approving the direction from the Planning, Finance, Enterprise, and Economic Development Committee on the Hotel Motel request from the Fayette County Fair.

Council Updates

Mayor's Report

A. Consideration of a motion to appoint Dan Stasi to the Park and Recreation Commission.

City Administrator's Report

A. City Administrator.

Adjournment

ii. Additional Information.

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City of Gelwein Office of The Mayor

in the name and by the authority of the city of oelwein, iowa are successful and successful and successful and successful and successful are successful.

Whereas, America is the land of freedom, preserved and protected willingly and freely by

citizen soldiers; and

Whereas, Because the Memorial Poppy is an emblem of sacrifice, those who love it must

make every effort to teach the public the true meaning of the flower; and

If, in the season of Memorial Day, the poppy can make the indifferent public recall the sacrifices which have been made by the men and women who gave their lives that our country might be saved, the first and greatest mission of the

poppy has been fulfilled; and

This remembrance period is a time for all citizens in this community to reflect and recall to mind the many sacrifices made by our Veterans to ensure the peace

we now enjoy. The Poppy symbolically perpetuates the memory and deeds of the fallen and those who die in the future. It is a symbol of both peace and

hope.

The American Legion Auxiliary has pledged to remind America annually of this

debt through the distribution of the memorial flower.

Dow, Therefore, 3, Brett DeVore, Mayor of the City of Oelwein, Iowa, do hereby proclaim May 24 & 25, 2024

MEMORIAL POPPY DAYS

In Oelwein and call upon all of our citizens pay tribute to those who have made the ultimate sacrifice in the name of freedom by wearing the Memorial Poppy.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Seal of the City of Oelwein, Iowa, to be affixed. Done at Oelwein, this 13th day of May in the year of our Lord Two Thousand Twenty-Four.

Mayor



Minutes

City Council Meeting
Oelwein City Hall, 20 Second Avenue SW, Oelwein, Iowa
April 22, 2024 - 6:00 PM

Pledge of Allegiance

Call to Order

Mayor DeVore called the meeting to order at 6:00 PM.

Roll Call

Present: Payne, Weber, Lenz, Garrigus, Ricchio

Also Present: Mayor DeVore, City Administrator Mulfinger, City Clerk Barb Rigdon

Absent: Seeders

Additions or Deletions

A motion was made by Weber, seconded by Lenz to approve the agenda as amended.

All aye. Motion carried.

Arbor Day Proclamation.

Mayor DeVore read and signed the proclamation.

Citizens Public Comments

No oral or written comments were received.

Consent Agenda

- 3. Consideration of a motion approving the April 8, 2024 minutes.
- 4. Claims resolution in the amount of \$391,693.09.

A motion was made by Weber, seconded by Garrigus to approve the consent agenda.

All aye. Motion carried.

Public Hearing

5. Public Hearing for the Proposed City Budget for the Fiscal Year 2025 (2024-2025) for April 22, 2024 at 6:00 PM at the Oelwein City Council Chambers.

Mayor DeVore opened the public hearing.

No oral or written comments were received.

Mayor DeVore closed the public hearing.

Ordinances

6. Consideration of an ordinance amending Chapter 7: Water and Sewer, Article II, Section 10: Water Rates and amending Article III, Section 41: Sanitary Sewer - Surcharges: Schedules. - First Reading.

A motion was made by Weber, seconded by Garrigus approve the first reading.

Ayes: Weber, Lenz, Garrigus, Ricchio

Nays: Payne Motion carried.

7. Consideration of an ordinance amending language in Chapter 12 - Buildings, Article 1 Building Code: Section 12-3 Amendments, Subsection H) 1, 3, and 4: Demolition Permits. - First Reading.

A motion was made by Weber, seconded by Garrigus approve the first reading.

Ayes: Payne, Weber, Lenz, Garrigus, Ricchio

Nays: NA Motion carried.

8. Consideration of an ordinance amending, Chapter 6, Article IV, Oelwein Airport Board, Section 6-101 Qualifications of Board Members. - First Reading.

A motion was made by Garrigus, seconded by Weber to approve the first reading.

Ayes: Payne, Weber, Lenz, Garrigus, Ricchio

Nays: NA Motion carried.

Resolutions

9. Consideration of a resolution approving proposed Fiscal Year 2024-2025 Budget.

A motion was made by Weber, seconded by Garrigus to adopt Resolution No. 5541-2024.

Ayes: Weber, Lenz, Garrigus, Ricchio

Nays: Payne Motion carried.

10. Consideration of a resolution approving the transfer of an alleyway right of way to 811 South Frederick Avenue.

A motion was made by Weber, seconded by Payne to adopt Resolution No. 5542-2024.

Ayes: Payne, Weber, Lenz, Garrigus, Ricchio

Nays: NA Motion carried.

11. Consideration of a resolution approving the Heartland Asphalt bid for the 2024 Street Improvement Project in the amount of \$629,516.89.

Heartland Asphalt	\$629,516.89
Skyline Construction, Inc.	\$671,357.56
Midwest Concrete, Inc.	\$677,344.69
Eastern Iowa Excavating and Concrete	\$713,959.17
Pirc-Tobin Construction, Inc.	\$721,270.60
Tschiggfrie Excavating Company	\$749,000.80

A motion was made by Weber, seconded by Garrigus to table the resolution.

All aye. Motion carried.

12. Consideration of a resolution approving the City Hall Ceiling Grid Replacement in the amount of \$26,700.00 with G&R Construction.

G&R Construction \$26,700.00

Artisan \$31,150.00

A motion was made by Weber, seconded by Garrigus to adopt Resolution No. 5543-2024.

Ayes: Payne, Weber, Lenz, Garrigus, Ricchio

Nays: NA Motion carried.

13. Consideration of a resolution approving City Hall Flooring Replacement in the amount of \$28,843.89 with Furniture Showcase.

Furniture Showcase \$28,843.89

Home Indeed \$33,827.09

A motion was made by Weber, seconded by Garrigus to adopt Resolution No. 5544-2024.

Ayes: Payne, Weber, Lenz, Garrigus, Ricchio

Nays: NA Motion carried.

14. Consideration of a resolution approving the Apex bid for the Parking Lot and Street Line Painting in the amount of \$11,655.10.

A motion was made by Weber, seconded by Lenz to adopt Resolution No. 5545-2024.

Ayes: Payne, Weber, Lenz, Garrigus, Ricchio

Nays: NA Motion carried.

15. Consideration of a resolution to approve Pay Application No. 3 to Shift Companies in the amount of \$72,681.65 for Oelwein Reed Bed Expansion and EQ Liner.

A motion was made by Garrigus, seconded by Weber to adopt Resolution No. 5546-2024.

Ayes: Payne, Weber, Lenz, Garrigus, Ricchio

Nays: NA Motion carried.

16. Consideration of a resolution setting a public hearing pursuant to lowa Code § 354.23 (2021) to consider submission of a CDBG Community Facilities application to the lowa Economic Development Authority for the RISE Ltd. Oelwein Day Habilitation Center Improvements Project on behalf of RISE Ltd. shall be held on the 28th day of May 2024, at 6:00 P.M. in the Oelwein Public Library at 201 East Charles Street, Oelwein, IA 50662.

A motion was made by Weber, seconded by Lenz to adopt Resolution No. 5547-2024.

Ayes: Payne, Weber, Lenz, Garrigus, Ricchio

Nays: NA Motion carried.

17. Consideration of a resolution authorizing temporary closure of public ways or grounds for Oelwein Fire Fighters' Foundation on April 27, 2024 at 8:00AM to 6:30PM.

A motion was made by Garrigus, seconded by Lenz to adopt Resolution No. 5548-2024.

Ayes: Payne, Weber, Lenz, Garrigus, Ricchio

Nays: NA Motion carried.

18. Consideration of a resolution to approve the 28E Agreement with the Oelwein Community School District for the Williams Wellness Center.

A motion was made by Weber, seconded by Garrigus to adopt Resolution No. 5549-2024.

Ayes: Payne, Weber, Lenz, Garrigus, Ricchio

Nays: NA Motion carried.

Motions

19. Discussion and possible action on a motion to act as a fiscal agent and applicant for RISE Ltd. for a Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Community Facilities Grant.

A motion was made by Weber, seconded by Garrigus to act as a fiscal agent and applicant for RISE Ltd. for a Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Community Facilities Grant.

All aye. Motion carried.

20. Discussion on draft Community Development Needs Assessment.

Council discussed and will list on next regular council meeting agenda.

21. Consideration of a motion to approve the Planning, Finance, Enterprise and Economic Development Committee's recommendation to direct staff to proceed with the sale of 902 1st Ave SW in the amount of \$1,020.00.

A motion was made Weber, seconded by Payne to approve the Planning, Finance, Enterprise and Economic Development Committee's recommendation to direct staff to proceed with the sale of 902 1st Ave SW in the amount of \$1,020.00.

All aye.

Motion carried.

22. Consideration of a motion to approve the Planning, Finance, Enterprise and Economic Development Committee's recommendation to approve the Hotel Motel application from Oelwein Italian Heritage in the amount of \$4,000.00.

A motion was made by Weber, seconded by Lenz to approve the Planning, Finance, Enterprise and Economic Development Committee's recommendation to approve the Hotel Motel application from Oelwein Italian Heritage in the amount of \$4,000.00. Four aye, 1 abstain (Ricchio).

Motion carried.

Committee Reports

23. Report from Seeders on the Library Board minutes.

For full minutes, please visit: https://www.oelwein.lib.ia.us/about/library-board-minutes-1

24. Report from Garrigus on the Park and Recreation Commission minutes.

For full minutes, please visit: https://www.cityofoelwein.org/bc-parks/page/parks-and-recreation-13

25. Report from Ricchio in the Airport Board minutes.

For full minutes, please visit: https://www.cityofoelwein.org/bc-ab/page/airport-board-33

Council Updates

Payne requested an update on Automatic Traffic Enforcement Legislation. She was concerned if the city should pay the entire contribution to the Oelwein Event Center now or continue to with the original five year plan.

Mayor's Report

A. Consideration of a motion to reappoint Brett Ingersoll to the Oelwein Public Library Board.

A motion was made by Weber, seconded by Lenz to approve the reappointment of Brett Ingersoll to the Oelwein Public Library Board.

All aye. Motion carried.

B. Consideration of a motion to appoint Melissa Franzen to the Oelwein Public Library Board.

A motion was made by Garrigus, seconded by Ricchio to approve the appointment of Melissa Franzen to the Oelwein Public Library Board.

All aye. Motion carried.

C.	Consideration	of a motion to approve the Todd Bradley Tony Cannon Boyd Eser Tim Gilson Jeff Hughes Joe Lawson Michelle Mulfinger Cindy Noll Glenda Rosensteil	Williams Wellness	Center Advisory memb	ers as follows:
	A motion was members.	made by Weber, seconded	by Garrigus to appr All aye.	rove the Williams Wellno Motion carried.	ess Center Advisory
City Ac	dministrator's R	eport			
	City Administra years ago thro	ator Mulfinger updated Cou ugh tax sale.	ıncil on a home cur	rently in litigation that t	he city acquired two
Adjour	rnment A motion was	made by Lenz, seconded by	Weber to adjourn All aye.	the meeting at 6:35 PM Motion carried.	
ATTES	Г:				Brett DeVore, Mayor
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Dylan I	Mulfinger, City A	Administrator			



Minutes

Special City Council Meeting 20 Second Avenue SW, Oelwein April 29, 2024 - 5:30 PM

Pledge of Allegiance

Call to Order

Mayor DeVore called the meeting to order at 5:30 PM.

Roll Call

Present: Payne, Weber, Lenz, Garrigus, Ricchio, Seeders

Also Present: Mayor DeVore, City Administrator Mulfinger, City Clerk Barb Rigdon

Absent: NA

Additions or Deletions

A motion was made by Garrigus, seconded by Weber to approve the agenda as presented.

All aye. Motion carried.

Public Hearing

Public Hearing on the 2024 Street Improvement Project at 5:30 PM on April 29, 2024 in the Oelwein City Council Chambers.

Mayor DeVore opened the public hearing.

No oral or written comments were received.

Mayor DeVore closed the public hearing.

Resolutions

Consideration of a resolution approving 2024 Street Improvement Plans, Specifications, Form of Contract, and Cost Estimate and awarding the 2024 Street Improvement Project to Heartland Asphalt in the amount of \$629,516.89.

Heartland Asphalt	\$629,516.89
Skyline Construction, Inc.	\$671,357.56
Midwest Concrete, Inc.	\$677,344.69
Eastern Iowa Excavating and Concrete	\$713,959.17
Pirc-Tobin Construction, Inc.	\$721,270.60
Tschiggfrie Excavating Company	\$749,000.80

A motion was made by Weber, seconded by Garrigus to adopt Resolution No. 5550-2024.

Ayes: Payne, Weber, Lenz, Garrigus, Ricchio

Nays: NA Motion carried.

Consideration of a resolution approving the Construction Administration with Fehr Graham for the 2024 Street Improvement Project in the amount of \$28,000.00.

A motion was made by Weber, seconded by Garrigus to adopt Resolution No. 5551-2024.

Ayes: Payne, Weber, Lenz, Garrigus, Ricchio

Nays: NA Motion carried.

Consideration of a resolution authorizing temporary closure of public ways or grounds for Oelwein Fire Fighters' Foundation on May 4, 2024 at 8:00AM to 6:30PM.

All aye.

Motion carried.

A motion was made by Garrigus, seconded by Lenz to adopt Resolution No. 5552-2024.

Ayes: Payne, Weber, Lenz, Garrigus, Ricchio

Nays: NA Motion carried.

Adjournment

A motion was made by Lenz, seconded by Weber to adjourn the meeting at 5:34 PM.

ATTEST:	Brett DeVore, Mayor
Dylan Mulfinger, City Administrator	
I, Dylan Mulfinger, City Administrator in and for the City of Oelweir foregoing is a true accounting of the Council Proceedings held Apr	• •

Dylan Mulfinger, City Administrator

furnished to the Register May 1, 2024.

(App-199982)

License or Permit Type

License or Permit Type Length of License Requested

Class C Retail Alcohol License 12 Month

Tentative Effective Date Tentative Expiration Date

2024-06-01 2025-05-31

Privileges / Sub-Permits Information

Privileges

Outdoor Service

Sub-Permits

Please provide a description of the area you intend to use for the Outdoor Service Privilege and explain its relationship to the currently-licensed premises

Deck attached to the upstairs Lounge.

Premises Information

Business Information

* (required) Name of Legal Entity (The name of the individual, partnership, corporation or other similar legal entity that is receiving the income from the alcoholic beverages sold)

Leo's Italian Restaurant, Inc.

* (required) Name of Business (D/B/A)

Leo's Italian Restaurant

Indicate how the business will be operated

Corporation

* (required) Federal Employer ID #

42-1499549

* (required) Business Number of Secretary of State

235759

Tentative Expiration Date

May 31, 2025

Premises Information

Please select here if your location is in an unincorporated town

Address of Premises:

You must use the Address or location field below to search for your operating location. If your event does not populate, please find the closest applicable address and then modify your premises street field to better identify the address of your event.

Address or location

29 S. Frederick Ave., Oelwein, Iowa, Fayette

Item 4.

* (required) Premises Street	Premises Suite/Apt Number
29 S. Frederick Ave.	
* (required) Premises City	Premises State
Oelwein	lowa
* (required) Premises Zip/Postal Code	Premises County
50662	Fayette
(required) Local Authority (Select the Local Authority which has jurisdiction over the premises where operations will be conducted) City of Oelwein	Control of Premises Own
s the capacity of your establishment over 200?	Equipped with tables and seats to accommodate a minimum of 25? Yes
s your premises equipped with at least one ade- quate, conveniently located indoor or outdoor toilet acility for use by patrons?	Premises Type Restaurant
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Does your premises conform to all local and state

health, fire and building laws and regulation?

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(required) Email Address	*	* (required) Phone
		(319) 283-1655
Michael Leo	(required)	Extensi 8h one
(10401100)	*	* (required) Business
(required) Contact Name		
Contact Information (required) Contact Name		

Item 4.

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Mailing	ZID/Pos	stal Co	ode

Mailing County

50662

Fayette

Ownership

Michael Leo

Position: President **SSN**: XXX-XX-0342

US Citizen: Yes

Ownership: 100%

DOB: 07/08/1960

Criminal History Information

on the Ownership page been charged or convicted of a felony offense in lowa or any other state of the **United States?**

No

Since the license was last issued, has anyone listed Since the license was last issued, has anyone listed on the Ownership page been convicted of any violation of any state, county, city, federal or foreign law (not including traffic violations, except those that are alcohol related)?

No

Dramshop Verification Information

Dram Shop

North Star Mutual Insurance Company

Outdoor Service Area Approved / Denied	Extension * (required) Daytime Pho	ne for
Outdoor Service Area Approved	- Local Authority	
	(319) 283-5440	
Sketch on File	Proof of Control of Property (Deed / Fina	l Sales
Yes	Contract / Lease / Written Agreement)	
	**Purchase agreements not accepted	
	Yes	
Premise's Address Correct?	Premises Zoned Properly?	
Yes	Yes	
Fire Inspection Completed?	Health Inspection Completed?	
No	No	

No	
* (required) Local Authority Email Address	Comments
deputyclerk@cityofoelwein.org	
Amount Owed to Local Authority	

Document Upload Information

DOCUMENT NAME

Proof of Control of Property (Deed / Final Sales Contract / Lease / Written Agreement)

**Purchase agreements not accepted

UPLOADED DOCUMENTS

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

DOCUMENT NAME

Sketch

UPLOADED DOCUMENTS

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ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

(App-198811)

License or Permit Type

License or Permit Type

Length of License Requested

Class C Retail Alcohol License 5 Day

Tentative Effective Date Tentative Expiration Date

2024-05-31 2024-06-04

Privileges / Sub-Permits Information

Privileges

Outdoor Service

Sub-Permits

Please provide a description of the area you intend to use for the Outdoor Service Privilege and explain its relationship to the currently-licensed premises

Oelwein lowa is hosting its annual 3 day event is held the first weekend in June. Parade, car show, music, kids games, food vendors, fireworks and MORE! I will be set up in a designated area for vendors.

Premises Information

Business Information

* (required) Name of Legal Entity (The name of the individual, partnership, corporation or other similar legal entity that is receiving the income from the alcoholic beverages sold)

SIP BY SIP LLC

* (required) Name of Business (D/B/A)

Sip by Sip LLC

Indicate how the business will be operated

Limited Liability Company

* (required) Federal Employer ID #

99-1020407

* (required) Business Number of Secretary of State

776599

Tentative Expiration Date

Jun 4, 2024

Premises Information

Please select here if your location is in an unincorporated town

Address of Premises:

You must use the Address or location field below to search for your operating location. If your event does not populate, please find the closest applicable address and then modify your premises street field to better identify the address of your event.

Address or location

20 West Charles, Oelwein, Iowa, Fayette

* (required) Premises Street	Premises Suite/Apt Number
20 West Charles	
* (required) Premises City	Premises State
Oelwein	lowa
* (required) Premises Zip/Postal Code	Premises County
50662	Fayette
* (required) Local Authority (Select the Local Authority which has jurisdiction over the premises where operations will be conducted) City of Oelwein	Control of Premises Own
Is the capacity of your establishment over 200?	Equipped with tables and seats to accommodate a
No	minimum of 25?
	No
* (required) # of Floors:	Is your premises equipped with at least one ade-
0	quate, conveniently located indoor or outdoor toilet
	facility for use by patrons?
	Yes
Premises Type	Does your premises conform to all local and state
Other	health, fire and building laws and regulation?

	Yes
Contact Information	
* (required) Contact Name	* * (required) Business
Jennifer Billmeyer	(required) Extensi 8h one
	(156) 337-9704
* (required) Email Address	* * (required) Phone
sipbysip24@gmail.com	(required) Extension 337-9704
	elow to search for your operating location. If your sest applicable address and then modify your dress of your event.
Address or location	
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Mailing Street	Mailing Suite/Apt Number
20 West Charles	
Mailing City	Mailing State
Oelwein	lowa

Item 5.

Item 5.

Mailing	Zip/Pos	tal Code

50662

Fayette

Mailing County

Ownership

Jennifer Billmeyer

Position: Owner

SSN: XXX-XX-7073

US Citizen: Yes

Ownership: 100%

DOB: 11/03/1989

Criminal History Information

Has anyone listed on the Ownership page been charged or convicted of a felony offense in lowa or any other state of the United States?

No

Has anyone listed on the Ownership page been convicted of any violation of any state, county, city, federal or foreign law (not including traffic violations, except those that are alcohol related)?

No

Dramshop Verification Information

Dram Shop

Berkshire Hathaway Direct Insurance Company

Outdoor Service Area Approved / Denied	Extension * (required) Daytime Phone for
Outdoor Service Area Approved	- Local Authority
	(319) 283-5440
Sketch on File	Proof of Control of Property (Deed / Final Sale
Yes	Contract / Lease / Written Agreement)
	**Purchase agreements not accepted
	No
Premise's Address Correct?	Premises Zoned Properly?
Yes	Yes
Fire Inspection Completed?	Health Inspection Completed?
No	No

No	
* (required) Local Authority Email Address	Comments
deputyclerk@cityofoelwein.org	
Amount Owed to Local Authority	

Document Upload Information

DOCUMENT NAME

Proof of Control of Property (Deed / Final Sales Contract / Lease / Written Agreement)

**Purchase agreements not accepted

UPLOADED DOCUMENTS

Sip by Sip LLC - IA Filing Evidence

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

DOCUMENT NAME

Sketch

UPLOADED DOCUMENTS

Oelwein Celebration layout

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

ORDINANCE NO.	

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING WATER AND SEWER RATES, CHAPTER 7 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF OELWEIN, IOWA

BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Oelwein, Iowa, as follows:

Section 1. That the General Ordinances of the City of Oelwein adopted July 1, 2012, with subsequent amendments, be amended by deleting Section 7-10 in its entirety and replacing it as follows:

SECTION 7-10 WATER RATES

- 1. The following rates shall be effective July 1, 2024, until adjusted pursuant to subparagraph (1), above:
- A. Usage Charges for water furnished to users located within boundaries of the City of Oelwein:

			Rate over 75
		Minimum for	cubic feet per
Fiscal Year	Start Date	75 cubic feet	100 cubic feet
FY2025	7/1/2024	\$16.89	\$6.75
FY2026	7/1/2025	\$17.31	\$6.92
FY2027	7/1/2026	\$17.75	\$7.09
FY2028	7/1/2027	\$18.19	\$7.27
FY2029	7/1/2028	\$18.64	\$7.45
FY2030	7/1/2029	\$19.11	\$7.64
FY2031	7/1/2030	\$19.59	\$7.83
FY2032	7/1/2031	\$20.08	\$8.02
FY2033	7/1/2032	\$20.58	\$8.22
FY2034	7/1/2033	\$21.09	\$8.43

East Penn qualifies for a water rate equivalent to a 5% rate reduction for seven years started January 1, 2018 and ending December 31, 2024. This discounted rate is effective when East Penn Manufacturing exceeds 150,000 cubic feet consumption monthly.

B. Charges for water furnished to users located outside the boundaries of the City of Oelwein are double the charges laid out in section 7-10 A.

Section 2. That the General Ordinances of the City of Oelwein adopted July 1, 2012, with subsequent amendments, be amended by deleting Section 7-41 A and replacing it with the following:

A. Usage Charges for sewer furnished to users located within boundaries of the City of Oelwein:

		Minimum for	Rate over 75 cubic feet per
Fiscal Year	Start Date	75 cubic feet	100 cubic feet
FY2025	7/1/2024	\$22.64	\$9.42
FY2026	7/1/2025	\$23.21	\$9.66
FY2027	7/1/2026	\$23.79	\$9.90
FY2028	7/1/2027	\$24.38	\$10.14
FY2029	7/1/2028	\$24.99	\$10.40
FY2030	7/1/2029	\$25.62	\$10.66
FY2031	7/1/2030	\$26.26	\$10.92
FY2032	7/1/2031	\$26.91	\$11.20
FY2033	7/1/2032	\$27.58	\$11.48
FY2034	7/1/2033	\$28.27	\$11.76

East Penn qualifies for a sewer rate equivalent to a 5% rate reduction for seven years started January 1, 2018 and ending December 31, 2024. This discounted rate is effective when East Penn Manufacturing exceeds 150,000 cubic feet consumption monthly.

B. Charges for sewer furnished to users located outside the boundaries of the City of Oelwein are double the charges laid out in section 7-41 A:

<u>Section 7</u>. That all Ordinances or parts thereof in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed. This ordinance shall become effective July 1, 2024.

First reading - April 22, 2024
Second reading - May 13, 2024
Third reading - May 28, 2024

Passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Oelwein, Iowa, this day of May 28, 2024.

	Brett DeVore, Mayor
Attest:	First Reading on: April 22, 2024 It was moved by Weber and seconded by Garrigus that the Ordinance as read be adopted, and upon roll
Dylan Mulfinger, City Administrator	call there were: AYES NAYS ABSENT ABSTAIN
Recorded May 29, 2024.	Ricchio x Seeders x Weber x Lenz x Garrigus x Payne x
Second Reading on May 13, 2024 It was moved byand seconded bythat the Ordinance as read be adopte	· ——————
and upon roll call there were:	there were:
AYES NAYS ABSENT ABSTAIN Ricchio Seeders Weber Lenz Garrigus Payne	AYES NAYS ABSENT ABSTAIN Ricchio Seeders Weber Lenz Garrigus Payne

		Ordinance No
	S, SUBSECTION H) 1, 3, A	ER 12 - BUILDINGS, ARTICLE 1 BUILDING CODE: SECTION 12-3 AND 4: DEMOLITION PERMITS OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF HE CITY OF OELWEIN, IOWA
BE IT ORDAINE	D by the City Council of t	he City of Oelwein, Iowa, as follows:
		al Ordinances of the City of Oelwein adopted July 1, 2012, with by deleting Section 13 Demolition Permits: $H-1$, 3, and 4. in its
	13. Demolition Permits	
	H. Proper demo	olition shall include:
	(1) Den floors, walls and	nolition includes the complete removal of foundations, footings, d piers.
	(3) Base shall be comple	ement floors, slabs, footings, and all general concrete structures stely removed.
	individual piece grade to a dept	ements shall be filled with non-combustible material, with no exceeding a volume of one cubic foot. Fill between the final h of a minimum of 18 inches shall be clean sand with topsoil ain grass or similar vegetation to a minimum depth of six inches.
Section 2. repealed.	That all Ordinances or p	parts thereof in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby
	First reading - Second reading - Third reading -	April 22, 2024 May 13, 2024 May 28, 2024
Passed and ado	pted by the City Council	of the City of Oelwein, Iowa, this day of May 28, 2024.

Brett DeVore, Mayor

Attest:	First Reading on: April 22, 2024	
	It was moved by Weber and seconded by Garrigus that the Ordinance as read be adopted and upon roll call there were:	
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Recorded May 29, 2024.	Ricchio x Seeders x Weber x Lenz x Garrigus x Payne x	
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		Ordinance No
	•	PTER 6, ARTICLE IV, OELWEIN AIRPORT BOARD, SECTION 6-101 S OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF OELWEIN, IOWA
BE IT ORDAIN	ED by the City Council of	the City of Oelwein, Iowa, as follows:
Section subsequent as follows:		ral Ordinances of the City of Oelwein adopted July 1, 2012, with d by deleting Section 6-101 in its entirety and replacing it as
Sec. 6	-101. Qualifications of bo	pard members.
reside count financ	ent of the City of Oelwein y adjacent thereto. Board ce, marketing, engineering	a member of the Oelwein Airport Board the appointee must be a n, except three members may be residents of Fayette County or a d members should have expertise in aviation, business, accounting, ng, law, real estate development, management or other fields of irport and the management of development of adjacent areas.
Section 2. repealed.	That all Ordinances or	parts thereof in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby
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Passed and ac	lopted by the City Counci	l of the City of Oelwein, Iowa, this day of May 28, 2024.

Brett DeVore, Mayor

Attest:	First Reading on: April 22, 2024	
	It was moved by Garrigus and seconded by Weber that the Ordinance as read be adopted, and upon roll call there were:	
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RESOLUT	ION NO2024
	MENDING THE FISCAL YEAR 2023-2024 BUDGET ON MAY 28, AT THE OELWEIN PUBLIC LIBRARY.
WHEREAS, the City of Oelwein set a	n approved budget by the City Council; and
WHEREAS, the budget amendment i	s required by the state of Iowa; and
WHEREAS, the budget amendment i	s required to balance the budget;
•	City Council of Oelwein, Iowa sets a public hearing amending May 28, 2024 at 6:00 PM at the Oelwein Public Library.
Passed and approved this 13 th day of May,	2024.
	Brett DeVore, Mayor
Attest:	It was moved by and seconded by that the Resolution as read be adopted, and upon roll call there were: AYES NAYS ABSENT ABSTAIN
	Ricchio Weber
Dylan Mulfinger, City Administrator	Lenz Garrigus
Recorded May 14, 2024.	Seeders Payne



May 9, 2024

Via Email

Dylan Mulfinger City Administrator/City Hall Oelwein, Iowa

Re: General Obligation Bridge Improvement Loan Agreement

Our File: 421044-48

Dear Dylan:

We have prepared and attach the necessary updated proceedings setting the date for the sale of General Obligation Bridge Improvement Bonds, Series 2024 (the "Bonds"), at the May 13th City Council meeting. The proceedings also authorize the use of a preliminary official statement (the "P.O.S.") in connection therewith.

The proceedings attached include the following items:

- 1. Minutes of the meeting, followed by the resolution authorizing the use of a preliminary official statement in connection with the marketing of Bonds and setting May 28, 2024 as the date for the sale of Bonds.
 - 2. Attestation Certificate with respect to the validity of the transcript.

Prior to the adoption of the resolution, you and the City Council should review the proposed P.O.S., which Speer Financial, Inc. is preparing, carefully for accuracy and to ensure that there are no important facts being left out of the document that might bear on potential risks to bond holders. It should be noted that, while we will review and comment on the limited portions of the document that are pertinent to our role as bond counsel, we have not been engaged as disclosure counsel, and we will not engage in a due diligence process to investigate the accuracy of financial data or any bond holder risks that are unknown to us, nor will we be providing any legal opinions with respect to the documents offering the Bonds for sale. We are available to do this additional work as the City's disclosure counsel if requested.

As soon as possible after the City Council meeting, please return one fully executed copy of all of the completed pages in these proceedings. If you have any questions, please contact Erin Regan, Cheryl Ritter or me.

Best regards,

John P. Danos

Attachments

cc: Barb Rigdon

Kaylonna McKee Speer Financial, Inc. Diana VanVleet

MINUTES TO SET DATE FOR SALE OF BONDS AND AUTHORIZE OFFICIAL STATEMENT

421044-48

Oelwein, Iowa

May 13, 2024

The City Council of the City of Oelwein, Iowa, met on May 13, 2024, at 6 o'clock p.m., at the Oelwein Public Library, 201 East Charles Street, Oelwein, Iowa.

The meeting was called to order by the Mayor, and the roll being called, the following named Council Members were present and absent:

Present:
Absent:
After due consideration and discussion, Council Memberintroduced the following resolution and moved its adoption, seconded by Council Member The Mayor put the question upon the adoption of said resolution, and the
roll being called, the following Council Members voted:
Ayes:
Nays:
Whereupon, the Mayor declared the resolution duly adopted, as hereinafter set out.
••••
At the conclusion of the meeting and, upon motion and vote, the City Council adjourned.
Mayor
Attest:
City Administrator

RESOLUTION NO. -2024

Resolution setting date for the sale of General Obligation Bridge Improvement Bonds, Series 2024 and authorizing the use of a preliminary official statement in connection therewith

WHEREAS, the City of Oelwein (the "City"), in Fayette County, State of Iowa, heretofore proposed to enter into a general obligation loan agreement (the "Loan Agreement"), pursuant to the provisions of Section 384.24A of the Code of Iowa, and to borrow money thereunder in a principal amount not to exceed \$1,500,000 for the purpose of paying the costs, to that extent, of constructing bridge and related infrastructure improvements, and has published notice of the proposed action and has held a hearing thereon on March 11, 2024; and

WHEREAS, a Preliminary Official Statement (the "P.O.S.") has been prepared to facilitate the sale of General Obligation Bridge Improvement Bonds, Series 2024 (the "Bonds") in evidence of the obligation of the City under the Loan Agreement, and it is now necessary to make provision for the approval of the P.O.S. and to authorize its use by Speer Financial, Inc., as municipal advisor (the "Municipal Advisor") to the City; and

WHEREAS, it is now necessary to set the date for the sale of the Bonds and to authorize the Municipal Advisor to facilitate such sale;

NOW, THEREFORE, Be It Resolved by the City Council of the City of Oelwein, Iowa, as follows:

Section 1. The City staff are hereby authorized to take such action as shall be deemed necessary and appropriate, with the assistance of the Municipal Advisor, to prepare the P.O.S. describing the Bonds and providing for the terms and conditions of their sale, and all action heretofore taken in this regard is hereby ratified and approved.

Section 2. The use by the Municipal Advisor of the P.O.S. relating to the Bonds in substantially the form as has been presented to and considered by the City Council is hereby approved, and the Municipal Advisor is hereby authorized to prepare and use a final Official Statement for the Bonds substantially in the form of the P.O.S. but with such changes therein as are required to conform the same to the terms of the Bonds and the resolution, when adopted, providing for the sale and issuance of the Bonds, and the City Administrator and Mayor are hereby authorized and directed to execute a final Official Statement for the Bonds, if requested. The P.O.S. as of its date is deemed final by the City within the meaning of Rule 15(c)(2)-12 of the Securities and Exchange Commission.

Section 3. Sealed bids for the purchase of the Bonds shall be received and canvassed on behalf of the City until 11:00 a.m. on May 28, 2024, at the City Hall, in the City, and the City Council shall meet on the same date at 6 o'clock p.m., at the Oelwein Public Library, 201 East Charles Street, Oelwein IA for the purpose of considering such bids received and considering and passing a resolution providing for the award of the Bonds, and the Municipal Advisor is hereby authorized and directed to disseminate the notice of said sale, in compliance with the Internal Revenue Service regulations governing "Issue Price" determinations, such notice to minimally

contain information regarding Establishment of Issue Price set forth in the "Terms of Offering" attached to the P.O.S. and to be in such form as the Municipal Advisor may deem to be appropriate.

Section 4. Pursuant to Section 75.14 of the Code of Iowa, the City Council hereby authorizes the Municipal Advisor to use electronic bidding procedures for the sale of the Bonds through Speer Auction®, and hereby finds and determines that the Speer Auction® competitive bidding system will provide reasonable security and maintain the integrity of the competitive bidding process and will facilitate the delivery of bids by interested parties under the circumstances of this bond sale.

Section 5. All resolutions or parts thereof in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

Section 6. This resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its adoption and approval, as provided by law.

Passed and approved May 13, 2024.		
	Mayor	
Attest:		
City Aministrator		

ATTESTATION CERTIFICATE

STATE OF IOWA COUNTY OF FAYETTE CITY OF OELWEIN	SS:			
I, the undersigned, City A hereto is a true and correct cop date for the sale of the General C preliminary official statement for	y of all of the pro Obligation Bridge	oceedings of the Improvement Bo	City Council relating onds, Series 2024 and	ng to fixing a
WITNESS MY HAND t	his day	of	, 2024.	
		City Administ	 rator	

RESOLUTION NO.	-2024

RESOLUTION APPROVING THE PRELIMINARY OFFICIAL STATEMENT

WHEREAS, the City of Oelwein is bonding for \$1,450,000 in General Obligation Bonds; and

WHEREAS, this bond is for 10th Street Bridge replacement; and

WHEREAS, the Preliminary Official Statement (POS) is an informational disclosure document released prior to the sale of the bond that describes the proposed new bond issue. Interest rates and final repayment schedule are determined after the bond sale. It explains how the bond will be paid back, estimated payment schedule, and final due date. The Preliminary Official Statement includes specifics of the city government, council, staff, police, volunteers, and unions; and,

WHEREAS, council formally approves the Preliminary Official Statement;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of Oelwein, Iowa approves the Preliminary Official Statement.

Passed and approved this 13 day of May, 2024.

	Brett DeVore	, Mayor					
	It was moved	by	and se	conded by	that the		
Attest:	Resolution as read be adopted, and upon roll call there were:						
		AYES	NAYS	ABSENT	ABSTAIN		
	Ricchio						
	Weber						
Dylan Mulfinger City Administrator	Lenz						
Dylan Mulfinger, City Administrator	Garrigus						
	Seeders						
Recorded May 14, 2024.	Payne						

Tuesday, May 28, 2024 (Alternate Bid Methods)

Between 10:30 and 11:00 A.M., C.D.T. (Closed SpeerAuction)

Before 11:00 A.M., C.D.T. (Sealed Bids)

Investment Rating: S&P Global Ratings (Rating Requested)

Item 11.

Official Statement

In the opinion of Dorsey & Whitney LLP, Bond Counsel, according to present laws, rulings and decisions and assuming the accuracy of certain representations and compliance with certain covenants, the interest on the Bonds (i) is excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes under Section 103 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (the "Code") and (ii) is not an item of tax preference for purposes of the federal alternative minimum tax imposed on noncorporate taxpayers by Section 55 of the Code. Interest on the Bonds may, however, be taken into account in determining adjusted financial statement income for purposes of the federal alternative minimum tax imposed on applicable corporations (as defined in Section 59(k) of the Code). In the opinion of Bond Counsel, the Bonds are "qualified taxexempt obligations" within the meaning of Section 265(b)(3) of the Code. See "TAX EXEMPTION AND RELATED TAX MATTERS" herein.



\$1,450,000* CITY OF OELWEIN Fayette County, Iowa

General Obligation Bridge Improvement Bonds, Series 2024

Dated Date of Delivery

Book-Entry

Bank Qualified

Due Serially June 1, 2025 - 2034

The \$1,450,000* General Obligation Bridge Improvement Bonds, Series 2024 (the "Bonds") are being issued by the City of Oelwein, Fayette County, Iowa (the "City" or the "Issuer"). Interest is payable semiannually on June 1 and December 1 of each year, commencing December 1, 2024. Interest is calculated based on a 360-day year of twelve 30-day months. The Bonds will be issued using a book-entry system. The Depository Trust Company ("DTC"), New York, New York, will act as securities depository for the Bonds. The ownership of one fully registered Bond for each maturity will be registered in the name of Cede & Co., as nominee for DTC and no physical delivery of Bonds will be made to purchasers. The Bonds will mature on June 1 in the following years and amounts.

AMOUNTS*, MATURITIES, INTEREST RATES, PRICES OR YIELDS AND CUSIP NUMBERS

Principal	Due	Interest	Price or	CUSIP	Principal	Due	Interest	Price or	CUSIP
Amount*	June 1	Rate	Yield	Number(1)	Amount*	June 1	Rate	Yield	Number(1)
\$120,000	2025	%	%		\$145,000	2030	%	%	
125,000	2026	%	%		155,000	2031	%	%	
130,000	2027	%	%		160,000	2032	%	%	
135,000	2028	%	%		165,000	2033	%	%	
140,000	2029	%	%		175,000	2034	%	%	

Any consecutive maturities may be aggregated into term bonds at the option of the bidder, in which case the mandatory redemption provisions shall be on the same schedule as above.

OPTIONAL REDEMPTION

Bonds due June 1, 2025 - 2031, inclusive, are not subject to optional redemption. Bonds due June 1, 2032 - 2034, inclusive, are callable in whole or in part on any date on or after June 1, 2031, at a price of par and accrued interest. If less than all the Bonds are called, they shall be redeemed in such principal amounts and from such maturities as determined by the City and within any maturity by lot. See "OPTIONAL REDEMPTION" herein.

PURPOSE, LEGALITY AND SECURITY

The proceeds of the Bonds are expected to be used to: (i) pay the costs of constructing bridge and related infrastructure improvements, and (ii) pay certain costs of issuance related to the Bonds.

The Bonds are valid and binding general obligations of the City, and all taxable property within the boundaries of the City is subject to the levy of taxes to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds without constitutional or statutory limitation as to rate or amount. See "SECURITY AND SOURCE OF PAYMENT" herein.

The City intends to designate the Bonds as "qualified tax-exempt obligations" pursuant to the small issuer exception provided by Section 265(b)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.

This Official Statement is dated May ___, 2024, and has been prepared under the authority of the City. An electronic copy of this Official Statement is available from the www.speerfinancial.com web site under "Official Statement Sales Calendar". Additional copies may be obtained from Dylan Mulfinger, City Administrator, City of Oelwein, 20 2nd Avenue S.W., Oelwein, Iowa, 50662, or from the Registered Municipal Advisors to the City.



For purposes of compliance with Rule 15c2-12 of the Securities and Exchange Commission, this document, as the same may be supplemented or corrected by the City from time to time (collectively, the "Official Statement"), may be treated as an Official Statement with respect to the Bonds described herein that is deemed near final as of the date hereof (or the date of any such supplement or correction) by the City.

The Official Statement, when further supplemented by an addendum or addenda specifying the maturity dates, principal amounts and interest rates of the Bonds, together with any other information required by law or deemed appropriate by the City, shall constitute a "Final Official Statement" of the City with respect to the Bonds, as that term is defined in Rule 15c2-12. Any such addendum or addenda shall, on and after the date thereof, be fully incorporated herein and made a part hereof by reference. Alternatively, such final terms of the Bonds and other information may be included in a separate document entitled "Final Official Statement" rather than through supplementing the Official Statement by an addendum or addenda.

No dealer, broker, salesman or other person has been authorized by the City to give any information or to make any representations with respect to the Bonds other than as contained in the Official Statement or the Final Official Statement and, if given or made, such other information or representations must not be relied upon as having been authorized by the City. Certain information contained in the Official Statement and the Final Official Statement may have been obtained from sources other than records of the City and, while believed to be reliable, is not guaranteed as to completeness. THE INFORMATION AND EXPRESSIONS OF OPINION IN THE OFFICIAL STATEMENT AND THE FINAL OFFICIAL STATEMENT ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE, AND NEITHER THE DELIVERY OF THE OFFICIAL STATEMENT OR THE FINAL OFFICIAL STATEMENT NOR ANY SALE MADE UNDER EITHER SUCH DOCUMENT SHALL CREATE ANY IMPLICATION THAT THERE HAS BEEN NO CHANGE IN THE AFFAIRS OF THE CITY SINCE THE RESPECTIVE DATES THEREOF.

No representation is made regarding whether the Bonds constitute legal investments under the laws of any state for banks, savings banks, savings and loan associations, life insurance companies, and other institutions organized in such state, or fiduciaries subject to the laws of such state.

THE BONDS HAVE NOT BEEN REGISTERED WITH THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION BY REASON OF THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 3(a)(2) OF THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933, AS AMENDED. THE REGISTRATION OR QUALIFICATIONS OF THE BONDS IN ACCORDANCE WITH APPLICABLE PROVISIONS OF SECURITIES LAWS OF THE STATES IN WHICH THE BONDS HAVE BEEN REGISTERED OR QUALIFIED AND THE EXEMPTION FROM REGISTRATION OR QUALIFICATION IN OTHER STATES SHALL NOT BE REGARDED AS A RECOMMENDATION THEREOF. NEITHER THESE STATES NOR ANY OF THEIR AGENCIES HAVE PASSED UPON THE MERITS OF THE BONDS OR THE ACCURACY OR COMPLETENESS OF THIS OFFICIAL STATEMENT. ANY REPRESENTATION TO THE CONTRARY MAY BE A CRIMINAL OFFENSE.

References herein to laws, rules, regulations, ordinances, resolutions, agreements, reports and other documents do not purport to be comprehensive or definitive. All references to such documents are qualified in their entirety by reference to the particular document, the full text of which may contain qualifications of and exceptions to statements made herein. Where full texts have not been included as appendices to the Official Statement or the Final Official Statement, they will be furnished on request. This Official Statement does not constitute an offer to sell, or solicitation of an offer to buy, any securities to any person in any jurisdiction where such offer or solicitation of such offer would be unlawful.

References to website addresses presented herein are for informational purposes only and may be in the form of a hyperlink solely for the reader's convenience. Unless specified otherwise, such websites and the information or links contained therein are not incorporated into, and are not part of, this Official Statement for purposes of, and as that term is defined in, Securities and Exchange Commission Rule 15c2-12.

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OFFICIAL BID FORM OFFICIAL TERMS OF OFFERING

Exhibit A – Example Issue Price Certificate

BOND ISSUE SUMMARY

This Bond Issue Summary is expressly qualified by the entire Official Statement, including the Official Terms of Offering and the Official Bid Form, which are provided for the convenience of potential investors and should be reviewed in their entirety by potential investors.

Issuer: City of Oelwein, Fayette County, Iowa.

Issue: \$1,450,000* General Obligation Bridge Improvement Bonds, Series 2024.

Dated Date: Date of delivery (expected to be on or about June 25, 2024).

Interest Due: Each June 1 and December 1, commencing December 1, 2024.

Principal Due: Serially each June 1, commencing June 1, 2025 through 2034, as detailed on the cover

page of this Official Statement.

Optional Redemption: Bonds maturing on or after June 1, 2032, are callable at the option of the City on any

date on or after June 1, 2031, at a price of par plus accrued interest. See "OPTIONAL

REDEMPTION" herein.

Authorization: The Bonds are being issued pursuant to authority established in Code of Iowa, 2023 as

amended, Chapter 384 (the "Act"), and all laws amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto, and in conformity with a resolution (the "Resolution" or the "Bond

Resolution") of the City duly passed and approved.

Security: The Bonds are valid and binding general obligations of the City, and all taxable

property within the boundaries of the City is subject to the levy of taxes to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds without constitutional or statutory limitation as

to rate or amount.

Investment Rating: An investment rating for the Bonds has been requested from S&P Global Ratings, New

York, New York. See "INVESTMENT RATING" herein.

Purpose: The proceeds of the Bonds will be used to: (i) pay the costs of constructing bridge and

related infrastructure improvements, and (ii) to pay the costs of issuing the Bonds.

Tax Exemption: Dorsey & Whitney LLP, Des Moines, Iowa, will provide an opinion as to the tax

exemption of the Bonds as discussed under "TAX EXEMPTION AND RELATED

TAX MATTERS" in this Official Statement.

Bank Qualified: The City intends to designate the Bonds as "qualified tax-exempt obligations".

Bond Registrar/Paying Agent: UMB Bank, n.a., West Des Moines, Iowa (the "Registrar").

Delivery: The Bonds are expected to be delivered on or about June 25, 2024.

Book-Entry Form: The Bonds will be registered in the name of Cede & Co. as nominee for The Depository

Trust Company ("DTC"), New York, New York. DTC will act as securities depository

of the Bonds. See APPENDIX B herein.

Denomination: \$5,000 or integral multiples thereof.

Municipal Advisor: Speer Financial, Inc., Waterloo, Iowa and Chicago, Illinois.

CITY OF OELWEIN Fayette County, Iowa

Brett DeVore *Mayor*

Council Members

Dave Garrigus

Anthony Ricchio

Karen Seeders

Matt Weber

Officials

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City Attorney

SECURITY AND SOURCE OF PAYMENT

Pursuant to the Resolution and the Act, the Bonds and the interest thereon are general obligations of the City, and all taxable property within the corporate boundaries of the City is subject to the levy of taxes to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds without constitutional or statutory limitation as to rate or amount.

Section 76.2 of the Code of Iowa, 2023, as amended (the "Iowa Code"), provides that when an Iowa political subdivision issues general obligation bonds, the governing authority of such political subdivision shall, by resolution adopted before issuing the bonds, provide for the assessment of an annual levy upon all the taxable property in the political subdivision sufficient to pay the interest and principal of the bonds. A certified copy of this resolution shall be filed with the County Auditor in which the Issuer is located, giving rise to a duty of the County Auditor to annually enter this levy for collection from the taxable property within the boundaries of the Issuer, until funds are realized to pay the bonds in full.

For the purpose of providing for the levy and collection of a direct annual tax sufficient to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds as the same become due, the Resolution provides for the levy of a tax sufficient for that purpose on all the taxable property in the Issuer in each of the years while the Bonds are outstanding. The Issuer shall file a certified copy of the Resolution with the County Auditor, pursuant to which the County Auditor is instructed to enter for collection and assess the tax authorized. When annually entering such taxes for collection, the County Auditor shall include the same as a part of the tax levy for Debt Service Fund purposes of the Issuer and when collected, the proceeds of the taxes shall be converted into the Debt Service Fund of the Issuer and set aside therein as a special account to be used solely and only for the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds and for no other purpose whatsoever.

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 76.4 of the Iowa Code, each year while the Bonds remain outstanding and unpaid, any funds of the Issuer which may lawfully be applied for such purpose, may be appropriated, budgeted and, if received, used for the payment of the principal of and interest on the Bonds as the same become due, and if so appropriated, the taxes for any given fiscal year as provided for in the Resolution, shall be reduced by the amount of such alternate funds as have been appropriated for said purpose and evidenced in the Issuer's budget.

CERTAIN BONDHOLDERS' RISKS

An investment in the Bonds involves an element of risk. In order to identify risk factors and make an informed investment decision, potential investors should be thoroughly familiar with this entire Official Statement (including the appendices hereto) in order to make a judgement as to whether the Bonds are an appropriate investment.

Changes in Property Taxation

From time to time the Iowa General Assembly has altered the method of property taxation and could do so again. Any alteration in property taxation structure could affect property tax revenues available to pay the Bonds.

Historically, the Iowa General Assembly has applied changes in property taxation structure on a prospective basis; however, there is no assurance that future changes in property taxation structure by the Iowa General Assembly will not be retroactive. It is impossible to predict the outcome of future property tax changes by the Iowa General Assembly or their potential negative impact, if any, on the Bonds and the security for the Bonds.

Matters Relating to Enforceability of Agreements

There is no bond trustee or similar person to monitor or enforce the provisions of the Resolution. The owners of the Bonds should, therefore, be prepared to enforce such provisions themselves if the need to do so arises. In the event of a default in the payment of principal of or interest on the Bonds, there is no provision for acceleration of maturity of the principal of the Bonds. Consequently, the remedies of the owners of the Bonds (consisting primarily of an action in the nature of mandamus requiring the City and certain other public officials to perform the terms of the Resolution) may have to be enforced from year to year.

Bondholders shall have and possess all the rights of action and remedies afforded by the common law, the Constitution and statutes of the State of Iowa (the "State") and of the United States of America for the enforcement of payment of the Bonds, including, but not limited to, the right to a proceeding in law or in equity by suit, action or mandamus to enforce and compel performance of the duties required by Iowa law and the Resolution.

The practical realization of any rights upon any default will depend upon the exercise of various remedies specified in the Resolution or the Loan Agreement. The remedies available to the Bondholders upon an event of default under the Resolution or the Loan Agreement, in certain respects, may require judicial action, which is often subject to discretion and delay. Under existing law, including specifically the federal bankruptcy code, certain of the remedies specified in the Loan Agreement or the Resolution may not be readily available or may be limited. A court may decide not to order the specific performance of the covenants contained in these documents. The legal opinions to be delivered concurrently with the delivery of the Bonds will be qualified as to the enforceability of the various legal instruments by limitations imposed by general principles of equity and public policy and by bankruptcy, reorganization, insolvency or other similar laws affecting the rights of creditors generally.

No representation is made, and no assurance is given, that the enforcement of any remedies will result in sufficient funds to pay all amounts due under the Resolution or the Loan Agreement, including principal of and interest on the Bonds.

Secondary Market

There can be no guarantee that there will be a secondary market for the Bonds or, if a secondary market exists, that such Bonds can be sold for any particular price. Occasionally, because of general market conditions or because of adverse history of economic prospects connected with a particular issue, secondary marketing practices in connection with a particular bond or note issue are suspended or terminated. Additionally, prices of bond or note issues for which a market is being made will depend upon then prevailing circumstances. Such prices could be substantially different from the original purchase price of the Bonds.

EACH PROSPECTIVE PURCHASER IS RESPONSIBLE FOR ASSESSING THE MERITS AND RISKS OF AN INVESTMENT IN THE BONDS AND MUST BE ABLE TO BEAR THE ECONOMIC RISK OF SUCH INVESTMENT. THE SECONDARY MARKET FOR THE BONDS, IF ANY, COULD BE LIMITED.

Ratings Loss

S&P Global Ratings ("S&P") has assigned a rating of "___" to the Bonds. Generally, a rating agency bases its rating on the information and materials furnished to it and on investigations, studies and assumptions of its own. There is no assurance that the rating will continue for any given period of time, or that such rating will not be revised, suspended or withdrawn, if, in the judgment of S&P's, circumstances so warrant. A revision, suspension or withdrawal of a rating may have an adverse effect on the market price of the Bonds.

Various factors, including additional regulation of rating agencies could materially alter the methodology, rating levels, and types of ratings available, for example, and these changes, if ever, could materially affect the market value of the Bonds.

Redemption Prior to Maturity

In considering whether to make an investment in the Bonds, it should be noted the Bonds are subject to optional redemption, as outlined herein, without Bondholder discretion or consent. See "OPTIONAL REDEMPTION" herein.

Forward-Looking Statements

This Official Statement contains statements relating to future results that are "forward-looking statements" as defined in the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. When used in this Official Statement, the words "anticipated," "plan," "expect," "projected," "estimate," "budget," "pro-forma," "forecast," "intend," "expect" and similar expressions identify forward-looking statements. Any forward-looking statement is subject to uncertainty. Accordingly, such statements are subject to risks that could cause actual results to differ, possibly materially, from those contemplated in such forward-looking statements. Inevitably, some assumptions used to develop forward-looking statements will not be realized or unanticipated events and circumstances may occur. Therefore, investors should be aware that there are likely to be differences between forward-looking statements and the actual results. These differences could be material and could impact the availability of funds of the City to pay debt service when due on the Bonds.

Tax Matters, Bank Qualification and Loss of Tax Exemption

As discussed under the heading "TAX EXEMPTION AND RELATED TAX MATTERS" herein, the interest on the Bonds could become includable in gross income for purposes of federal income taxation retroactive to the date of delivery of the Bonds, as a result of acts or omissions of the Issuer in violation of its covenants in the Resolution. Should such an event of taxability occur, the Bonds would not be subject to a special redemption and would remain outstanding until maturity or until redeemed under the redemption provisions contained in the Bonds, and there is no provision for an adjustment of the interest rate on the Bonds.

The City will designate the Bonds as "qualified tax-exempt obligations" under the exception provided in Section 265(b)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"), and has further covenanted to comply with certain other requirements, which affords banks and certain other financial institutions more favorable treatment of their deduction for interest expense than would otherwise be allowed under Section 265(b)(2) of the Code. However, the Issuer's failure to comply with such covenants could cause the Bonds not to be "qualified tax-exempt obligations" and banks and certain other financial institutions would not receive more favorable treatment of their deduction for interest expense than would otherwise be allowed under Section 265(b)(2) of the Code.

It is possible that actions of the Issuer after the closing of the Bonds will alter the tax exempt status of the Bonds, and, in the extreme, remove the tax exempt status from the Bonds. In that instance, the Bonds are not subject to mandatory prepayment, and the interest rate on the Bonds does not increase or otherwise reset. A determination of taxability on the Bonds, after closing of the Bonds, could materially adversely affect the value and marketability of the Bonds.

DTC-Beneficial Owners

Beneficial Owners of the Bonds may experience some delay in the receipt of distributions of principal of and interest on the Bonds since such distributions will be forwarded by the Bond Registrar to DTC and DTC will credit such distributions to the accounts of the Participants which will thereafter credit them to the accounts of the Beneficial Owner either directly or indirectly through Indirect Participants. Neither the City nor the Bond Registrar will have any responsibility or obligation to assure that any such notice or payment is forwarded by DTC to any Participants or by any Participant to any Beneficial Owner.

In addition, since transactions in the Bonds can be effected only through DTC Participants, Indirect Participants and certain banks, the ability of a Beneficial Owner to pledge the Bonds to persons or entities that do not participate in the DTC system, or otherwise to take actions in respect of such Bonds, may be limited due to lack of a physical certificate. Beneficial Owners will be permitted to exercise the rights of registered Owners only indirectly through DTC and the Participants. See **APPENDIX B – Describing Book-Entry Only Issuance**.

Pension and OPEB Benefits

The City participates in two public pension systems, Iowa Public Employee's Retirement System (IPERS) and Municipal Fire and Police Retirement System of Iowa (MFPRSI). Summary descriptions of each Plan follows, for more detail information including amongst other things pension benefits, Issuer's deferred outflows and inflows on resources related to pensions, actuarial assumptions, discount rate sensitivity, and expenses, as to each available plans, see **APPENDIX A – FISCAL YEAR 2023 AUDIT Note 4**.

In fiscal year 2023, pursuant to the IPERS' required rate, the City's Regular employees (members) contributed 6.29% of covered payroll and the City contributed 9.44% of covered payroll, for a total rate of 15.73%. The City's contributions to IPERS for the year ended June 30, 2023 were \$168,178. The City's share of the contributions, payable from the applicable funds of the City, is provided by a statutorily authorized annual levy of taxes without limit or restriction as to rate or amount. The City has always made its full required contributions to IPERS.

At June 30, 2023, the City reported a liability of \$748,830 for its proportionate share of the IPERS net pension liability. The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2022 and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date. The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7%. The City's proportion of the net pension liability was based on the City's share of contributions to the pension plan relative to the contributions of all IPERS participating employers. While the City's contributions to IPERS are controlled by state law, there can be no assurance the City will not be required by changes in State law to increase its contribution requirement in the future, which may have the effect of negatively impacting the finances of the City. See "APPENDIX A – AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS" for additional information on pension and liabilities of the City.

In fiscal year 2023, pursuant to the MFPRSI's required rate, the City's employees (members) contributed 9.40% of earnable compensation and the City contributed 23.90% of earnable compensation, for a total rate of 33.30%. The City's contribution to MFPRSI for year ended June 30, 2023 was \$188,526. The City's share of the contributions, payable from the applicable funds of the City, is provided by a statutorily authorized annual levy of taxes without limit or restriction as to rate or amount. The City has always made its full required contributions to MFPRSI.

At June 30, 2023, the City reported a liability of \$1,133,165 for its proportionate share of the MFPRSI net pension liability. The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2022 and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date. The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.5%. The City's proportion of the net pension liability was based on the City's share of contributions to the pension plan relative to the contributions of all MFPRSI participating employers. While the City's contributions to MFPRSI are controlled by state law, there can be no assurance the City will not be required by changes in State law to increase its contribution requirement in the future, which may have the effect of negatively impacting the finances of the City. See "APPENDIX A – AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS OF THE ISSUER" hereto for additional information on pension and liabilities of the City.

Bond Counsel, the Municipal Advisor, and the City undertake no responsibility for and make no representations as to the accuracy or completeness of the information available from IPERS or MFPRSI discussed above or included on the IPERS or MFPRSI websites, including, but not limited to, updates of such information on the State Auditor's website or links to other Internet sites accessed through the IPERS or MFPRSI websites.

The City operates a single-employer health benefit plan which provides medical/prescription drug benefits for employees, retirees and their spouses. Group insurance benefits are established under Iowa Code Chapter 509A.13. The City currently finances the benefit plan on a pay-as-you-go basis. For the year ended June 30, 2023, the City contributed \$575,060 and plan members eligible for benefits contributed \$66,078 to the plan. At June 30, 2023, no assets have been accumulated in a trust that meets the criteria in paragraph 4 of GASB Statement No. 75.

See APPENDIX A – Notes (4) and (5) herein for further discussion of the City's employee retirement benefit obligations.

Continuing Disclosure

A failure by the City to comply with continuing disclosure obligations (see "CONTINUING DISCLOSURE" herein) will not constitute an event of default on the Bonds. Any such failure must be disclosed in accordance with Rule 15c2-12 (the "Rule") adopted by the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Commission") under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), and may adversely affect the transferability and liquidity of the Bonds and their market price.

The City will covenant in a Continuing Disclosure Certificate for the benefit of the Owners and Beneficial Owners of the Bonds to provide annually certain financial information and operating data relating to the City (the "Annual Report"), and to provide notices of the occurrence of certain enumerated events. See "APPENDIX D – FORM OF CONTINUING DISCLOSURE CERTIFICATE." The specific nature of the information to be contained in the Annual Report or the notices of events, and the manner in which such materials are to be filed, are summarized in "APPENDIX D – FORM OF CONTINUING DISCLOSURE CERTIFICATE." These covenants have been made in order to assist the Underwriter in complying with the Rule.

Cybersecurity

The City, like many other public and private entities, relies on a large and complex technology environment to conduct its operations. As such, it may face multiple cybersecurity threats including but not limited to, hacking, viruses, malware and other attacks on computer or other sensitive digital systems and networks. There can be no assurances that any security and operational control measures implemented by the City will be completely successful to guard against and prevent cyber threats and attacks. Failure to properly maintain functionality, control, security, and integrity of the City's information systems could impact business operations and/or digital networks and systems and the costs of remedying any such damage could be significant. Along with significant liability claims or regulatory penalties, any security breach could have a material adverse impact on the City's operations and financial condition. The City cannot predict whether its cyber liability policy will be sufficient in the event of a cyberattack. However, the Bonds are secured by an unlimited ad valorem property tax as described herein. See "SECURITY AND SOURCE OF PAYMENT" herein.

Suitability of Investment

The interest rate borne by the Bonds is intended to compensate the investor for assuming the risk of investing in the Bonds. Each prospective investor should carefully examine this Official Statement and its own financial condition to make a judgment as to its ability to bear the economic risk of such an investment, and whether or not the Bonds are an appropriate investment for such investor.

Bankruptcy and Insolvency

The rights and remedies provided in the Resolution may be limited by and are subject to the provisions of federal bankruptcy laws, to other laws or equitable principles that may affect the enforcement of creditors' rights, to the exercise of judicial discretion in appropriate cases and to limitations in legal remedies against exercise of judicial discretion in appropriate cases and to limitations on legal remedies against municipal corporations in the State. The various opinions of counsel to be delivered with respect to the Bonds and the Resolution, including the opinion of Bond Counsel, will be similarly qualified. If the City were to file a petition under Chapter Nine of the Federal Bankruptcy Code, the owners of the Bonds could be prohibited from taking any steps to enforce their rights under the Resolution. In the event the City fails to comply with its covenants under the Resolution or fails to make payments on the Bonds, there can be no assurance of the availability of remedies adequate to protect the interests of the holders of the Bonds.

Under sections 76.16 and 76.16A of the Iowa Code, as amended, a city, county, or other political subdivision may become a debtor under Chapter Nine of the Federal Bankruptcy Code, if it is rendered insolvent, as defined in 11 U.S.C. §101(32)(c), as a result of a debt involuntarily incurred. As used therein, "debt" means an obligation to pay money, other than pursuant to a valid and binding collective bargaining agreement or previously authorized bond issue, as to which the governing body of the city, county, or other political subdivision has made a specific finding set forth in a duly adopted resolution of each of the following: (1) that all or a portion of such obligation will not be paid from available insurance proceeds and must be paid from an increase in general tax levy; (2) that such increase in the general tax levy will result in a severe, adverse impact on the ability of the city, county, or political subdivision to exercise the powers granted to it under applicable law, including without limitation providing necessary services and promoting economic development; (3) that as a result of such obligation, the city, county, or other political subdivision is unable to pay its debts as they become due; and (4) that the debt is not an obligation to pay money to a city, county, entity organized pursuant to Chapter 28E of the Iowa Code, or other political subdivision.

Legislation

From time to time, there are proposals pending in Congress and in the Iowa General Assembly that could, if enacted, alter or amend one or more of the matters described herein in certain respects or would adversely affect the market value of the Bonds, or otherwise prevent holders of the Bonds from realizing the full benefit of the tax exemption of interest on the Bonds. Further such proposals may impact the marketability or market value of the Bonds simply by being proposed. It cannot be predicted whether or in what forms any of such proposals, either pending or that may be introduced, may be enacted and there can be no assurance that such proposals will not apply to the Bonds. In addition regulatory actions are from time to time announced or proposed, and litigation threatened or commenced, which if implemented or concluded in a particular manner, could adversely affect the market value, marketability or tax status of the Bonds. It cannot be predicted whether any such regulatory action will be implemented, how any particular litigation or judicial action will be resolved, or whether the Bonds would be impacted thereby.

Tax Levy Procedures

The Bonds are general obligations of the City, payable from and secured by a continuing ad valorem tax levied against all of the taxable real property within the corporate limits of the City. See "PROPERTY ASSESSMENT AND TAX INFORMATION" herein for more details. As part of the budgetary process each fiscal year, the City will have an obligation to request a debt service levy to be applied against all of the taxable real property within the corporate limits of the City. A failure on the part of the City to make a timely levy request or a levy request by the City that is inaccurate or is insufficient to make full payments of the debt service of the Bonds for a particular fiscal year may cause Bondholders to experience delay in the receipt of distributions of principal of and/or interest on the Bonds. In the event of a default in the payment of principal of or interest on the Bonds, there is no provision for acceleration of maturity of the principal of the Bonds. Consequently, the remedies of the owners of the Bonds (consisting primarily of an action in the nature of mandamus requiring the City and certain other public officials to perform the terms of the Resolution) may have to be enforced from year to year.

Loss of Tax Base

Economic and other factors beyond the City's control, such as economic recession, deflation of property values, or financial difficulty or bankruptcy by one or more major property taxpayers, or the complete or partial destruction of taxable property caused by, among other eventualities, earthquake, flood, fire or other natural disaster, could cause a reduction in the assessed value within the corporate boundaries of the City. In addition, the State of Iowa has been susceptible to tornados, flooding and other extreme weather wherein winds and flooding have from time to time caused significant damage, which if such events were to occur, may have an adverse impact on the City's financial position.

Risk of Audit

The Internal Revenue Service has an ongoing program to audit tax-exempt obligations to determine the legitimacy of the tax status of such obligations. No assurance can be given as to whether the Internal Revenue Service will commence an audit of the Bonds. Public awareness of any audit could adversely affect the market value and liquidity of the Bonds during the pendency of the audit, regardless of the ultimate outcome of the audit.

Other Factors

An investment in the Bonds involves an element of risk. The foregoing is intended only as a summary of certain risk factors attendant to an investment in the Bonds. In order for potential investors to identify risk factors and make an informed investment decision, potential investors should become thoroughly familiar with this entire Official Statement and the Appendices hereto.

THE CITY

The City is located 45 miles northeast of the Waterloo/Cedar Falls metropolitan area and 150 miles northeast of Des Moines, Iowa. The City was incorporated in 1873. The 2020 U.S. Census population for the City was 5,920.

City Organization and Services

The City operates under the Mayor-Council form of government with the Mayor and six Council Members elected on a non-partisan basis. The Mayor is elected to a two-year term and the City Council members serve four-years in overlapping terms. The City Administrator and City Attorney are appointed by the City Council.

The City has 39 people employed on a full-time basis, 11 full-time police officers. There are approximately 80 part-time seasonal employees. The City is served by a Public Safety Chief and all-volunteer fire department. There are 25 volunteer firefighters. The police officers are represented by the Chauffeurs, Teamsters and Helpers Local 238 union. The current contracts expire June 30, 2025. The City provides numerous services to citizens, including public safety, public works, health and social services, culture and recreation, community and economic development, and general government services. The City also provides water and sewer utilities. Electric power and natural gas are supplied to the City by Alliant Energy.

Community Life

The City has parks, city golf courses, aquatic center, wellness center, performing arts center, and bike trails. City parks include playgrounds, picnic areas, canoeing, boating, swimming, tennis, skateboard, soccer, baseball and softball facilities. Health care services are provided to residents by a MercyOne Hospital, MercyOne Clinic, Buchanan County Healthcare Clinic along with an assisted living and nursing home facility.

Education

The City is served by the Oelwein Community School District (the "District") which includes the Little Husky Learning Center (grades Pre K-K), an elementary school (grades 1-5), a middle school (grade 6-8) and high school (grades 9-12) within the City. The District has a certified enrollment of 1,319 students for 2023 - 2024 school year.

Postsecondary educational opportunities are located within 30 minutes of the City. Upper Iowa University is a private four-year comprehensive university, with a traditional residential campus located in Fayette, Iowa, and multiple regional education centers delivering the same education to more communities in the United States. Wartburg College, a private four-year liberal arts college, is located in Waverly, Iowa. Wartburg College was founded in 1852, and is affiliated with the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America. The University of Northern Iowa is located in Cedar Falls and vocational technical education courses are available from Northeast Iowa Community College located in Calmer, Iowa, approximately 50 miles north of the City and Hawkeye Community College with its main campus in Waterloo, Iowa, approximately 50 miles southwest of the City.

Transportation

The City is located at the junction of State Highway No. 3 and 150. State Highway 3 connects to the west with U.S. Highway No. 63. Commercial airline service is available in Waterloo, Iowa approximately 45 miles southwest of the City and Des Moines, Iowa approximately 150 southwest of the City.

SOCIOECONOMIC INFORMATION

The following demographic information is for the City. Additional comparisons are made with Fayette County (the "County") and the State of Iowa (the "State").

Population

The following table reflects population trends for the City, the County and the State.

Population Comparison(1)

	The	Percent	The	Percent	The	Percent
<u>Year</u>	City	Change	County	Change	State	<u>Change</u>
1970	7,735	n/a	26,898	n/a	2,824,376	n/a
1980	7,564	(2.21%)	25,488	(5.24%)	2,913,808	3.17%
1990	6,493	(14.16%)	21,843	(14.30%)	2,776,755	(4.70%)
2000	6,692	3.06%	22,008	0.76%	2,926,324	5.39%
2010	6,415	(4.14%)	20,880	(5.13%)	3,046,355	4.10%
2020	5,920	(7.72%)	19,509	(6.57%)	3,190,369	4.73%

Note: (1) Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census.

Employment

Following are lists of large employers located in the City.

Major City Employers(1)

		Approximate
<u>Name</u>	Product/Service	Employment
East Penn	Battery Distributor	350
Oelwein Community School District	Education	210
MercyOne Hospital	Health Care	190
Transco Railway Products, Inc.	Railroad Car Repair	180
Ashley Industrial Molding, Inc.	Plastic Molding	150
Grandview Healthcare & Rehabilitation Center	Health Care	110
Fareway Grocery	Grocery Store	90
Oelwein Care Center	Health Care	80
Bertch Cabinet Manufacturing, Inc	Manufacturing	70
City Laundering Co	Industrial Laundry	70

Note: (1) Source: Area Chamber of Commerce, selected telephone surveys and the 2023 lowa Manufacturers Database.

The following tables show employment by industry and by occupation for the City, the County and the State as reported by the U.S. Census Bureau 2018 - 2022 American Community Survey 5-year estimated values.

Employment By Industry(1)

	The	City	The (County	The S	tate
<u>Classification</u>	Number	Percent	<u>Number</u>	Percent	<u>Number</u>	Percent
Agriculture, forestry, fishing and hunting, and mining	54	2.3%	683	7.4%	59,661	3.7%
Construction	145	6.2%	879	9.5%	109,620	6.7%
Manufacturing	664	28.4%	1,540	16.7%	241,735	14.9%
Wholesale trade	23	1.0%	309	3.3%	43,644	2.7%
Retail trade	221	9.5%	767	8.3%	188,572	11.6%
Transportation and warehousing, and utilities	74	3.2%	546	5.9%	84,056	5.2%
Information	22	0.9%	55	0.6%	23,201	1.4%
Finance and insurance, and real estate and rental and leasing	54	2.3%	421	4.6%	125,957	7.7%
Professional, scientific, and management, and administrative and						
waste management services	130	5.6%	426	4.6%	122,753	7.5%
Educational services, and health care and social assistance	483	20.7%	2,260	24.5%	393,500	24.2%
Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation and						
food services	152	6.5%	549	5.9%	114,116	7.0%
Other services, except public administration	238	10.2%	557	6.0%	68,874	4.2%
Public administration	<u>78</u>	3.3%	238	2.6%	<u>51,745</u>	3.2%
Total	2,338	100.0%	9,230	100.0%	1,627,434	100.0%

Note: (1) Source: U. S. Bureau of the Census, American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates from 2018 - 2022.

Employment By Occupation(1)

	The	City	The 0	County	The S	tate
<u>Classification</u>	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	<u>Number</u>	Percent
Management, business, science, and arts occupations	539	23.1%	2,821	30.6%	620,397	38.1%
Service occupations	460	19.7%	1,412	15.3%	251,632	15.5%
Sales and office occupations	364	15.6%	1,741	18.9%	321,247	19.7%
Natural resources, construction, and maintenance occupations	192	8.2%	1,294	14.0%	154,866	9.5%
Production, transportation, and material moving occupations	<u>783</u>	33.5%	<u>1,962</u>	21.3%	279,292	17.2%
Total	2,338	100.0%	9,230	100.0%	1,627,434	100.0%

Note: (1) Source: U. S. Bureau of the Census, American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates from 2018 - 2022.

The annual average unemployment rates for the City are not available. Following shows the annual average unemployment rates for the County, the State and the United States.

Annual Average Unemployment Rates(1)(2)

Calendar	The	The	United
<u>Year</u>	County	<u>State</u>	States
2015	4.5%	3.7%	5.3%
2016	4.4%	3.6%	4.9%
2017	3.6%	3.1%	4.4%
2018	3.0%	2.6%	3.9%
2019	3.5%	2.7%	3.7%
2020(3)	5.4%	5.2%	8.1%
2021(3)	4.3%	3.8%	5.4%
2022`	3.2%	2.8%	3.6%
2023	3.2%	2.9%	3.6%
2024(4)	4.2%	3.3%	4.2%

Notes: (1) Source: Iowa Workforce Development and U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

- (2) Not seasonally adjusted.
- (3) The increase in unemployment rates may be attributable to the COVID-19 pandemic.
- (4) Preliminary rates for the month of February 2024.

Building Permits

City Building Permits(1) (Excludes the Value of Land)

Calendar	Number of	
<u>Year</u>	<u>Permits</u>	<u>Total Value</u>
2015	. 211	\$ 2,078,269
2016	. 153	75,353,032(3)
2017		12,130,780
2018	. 348	9,436,104
2019	. 473	3,444,569
2020	. 631	6,738,376
2021	. 688	18,093,204(4)
2022	. 419	8,689,600
2023	. 420	9,619,217
2024(2)	. 75	1,050,118

Notes: (1)

- Source: the City.
- (2) Through March 2024.
- (3) Includes a \$70,000,000 permit issued to East Penn Manufacturing for a new facility
- (4) Includes \$12,000,000 in permits issued to the Oelwein Community School District.

Housing

The U.S. Census Bureau 5-year estimated values reported that the median value of the City's owner-occupied homes was \$97,000. This compares to \$123,000 for the County and \$181,600 for the State. The following table represents the five year average market value of specified owner-occupied units for the City, the County and the State at the time of the 2018 - 2022 American Community Survey.

Home Values(1)

	The City		The C	County	The State	
<u>Value</u>	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Less than \$50,000	386	20.1%	734	11.7%	66,889	7.2%
\$50,000 to \$99,999	621	32.3%	1,769	28.2%	129,783	14.1%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	388	20.2%	1,195	19.1%	158,953	17.2%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	273	14.2%	938	15.0%	157,129	17.0%
\$200,000 to \$299,999	218	11.3%	1,018	16.2%	206,136	22.3%
\$300,000 to \$499,999	39	2.0%	450	7.2%	152,269	16.5%
\$500,000 to \$999,999	0	0.0%	101	1.6%	44,144	4.8%
\$1,000,000 or more	0	0.0%	65	1.0%	7,381	0.8%
Total	1,925	100.0%	6,270	100.0%	922,684	100.0%

Note: (1) Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, American Community Survey 5-year estimates 2018 - 2022.

Mortgage Status(1)

	The City		The C	County	The State		
Mortgage Status	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
Housing units with a mortgage	1,015	52.7%	3,297	52.6%	552,272	59.9%	
Housing units without a mortgage	910	47.3%	2,973	47.4%	370,412	40.1%	
Total	1,925	100.0%	6,270	100.0%	922,684	100.0%	

Note: (1) Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, American Community Survey 5-year estimates 2018 - 2022.

Income and Benefits

The U.S. Census Bureau 5-year estimated values reported that the City had a median family income of \$58,806. This compares to \$71,025 for the County and \$90,921 for the State. The following table represents the distribution of family incomes for the City, the County and the State at the time of the 2018 - 2022 American Community Survey.

Family Income(1)

	The City		The	County	The State		
<u>Income</u>	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	
Less than \$10,000	124	8.8%	173	3.5%	19,266	2.4%	
\$10,000 to \$14,999	62	4.4%	123	2.5%	12,209	1.5%	
\$15,000 to \$24,999	88	6.3%	252	5.1%	31,695	3.9%	
\$25,000 to \$34,999	149	10.6%	359	7.3%	40,734	5.1%	
\$35,000 to \$49,999	154	10.9%	519	10.5%	75,502	9.4%	
\$50,000 to \$74,999	353	25.1%	1,172	23.8%	136,964	17.1%	
\$75,000 to \$99,999	211	15.0%	751	15.3%	131,007	16.3%	
\$100,000 to \$149,999	187	13.3%	967	19.6%	188,746	23.5%	
\$150,000 to \$199,999	23	1.6%	302	6.1%	86,058	10.7%	
\$200,000 or more	<u>56</u>	4.0%	306	6.2%	81,095	10.1%	
Total	1,407	100.0%	4,924	100.0%	803,276	100.0%	

Note: (1) Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, American Community Survey 5-year estimates 2018 to 2022.

The U.S. Census Bureau 5-year estimated values reported that the City had a median household income of \$41,629. This compares to \$56,043 for the County and \$70,571 for the State. The following table represents the distribution of household incomes for the City, the County and the State at the time of the 2018 - 2022 American Community Survey.

Household Income(1)

	The City		The Co	ounty	The State	
Income	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Less than \$10,000	168	6.4%	427	5.2%	53,544	4.2%
\$10,000 to \$14,999	280	10.7%	474	5.8%	46,854	3.6%
\$15,000 to \$24,999	357	13.6%	944	11.5%	96,051	7.4%
\$25,000 to \$34,999	390	14.8%	796	9.7%	100,749	7.8%
\$35,000 to \$49,999	298	11.3%	1,098	13.3%	153,024	11.9%
\$50,000 to \$74,999	441	16.8%	1,588	19.3%	231,140	17.9%
\$75,000 to \$99,999	325	12.4%	1,019	12.4%	183,917	14.3%
\$100,000 to \$149,999	290	11.0%	1,230	14.9%	234,590	18.2%
\$150,000 to \$199,999	23	0.9%	320	3.9%	98,518	7.6%
\$200,000 or more	<u>56</u>	2.1%	332	4.0%	91,752	7.1%
Total	2,628	100.0%	8,228	100.0%	1,290,139	100.0%

Note: (1) Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, American Community Survey 5-year estimates 2018 - 2022.

Agriculture

Shown below is information on the agricultural value of the County and the statewide average.

Average Value Per Acre(1)

	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Average Value Per Acre:					
The County	\$7,781	\$8,088	\$10,833	\$12,730	\$13,197
State of Iowa	7,432	7,559	9,751	11,411	11,835

Note: (1) Source: Iowa State University Extension and Outreach.

Local Option Sales Tax

The City approved a 1% local option sales and service tax ("Local Option Tax") at a special referendum. On November 2, 2021, the referendum was renewed by the citizens. The City's local option sales tax receipts shall be allocated as follows: 30% for property tax relief. The specific purposes for which revenues will otherwise be expended are 70% for economic development.

The State Director of Revenue (the "Director") administers collection and disbursement of all local option sales and services taxes in conjunction with administration of the State-wide sales, services and use tax. The Director credits the Local Option Tax receipts to the City's account in the Local Option Tax fund. Historically, by August 15 of each fiscal year, the Director is required to send the City an estimate of the amount of local option sales and services taxes it will receive for the year and by month. By August 31, the Director is required to remit 95% of the estimated tax receipts for the City to the City's account and by the last day of each following month. By November 10 of the next fiscal year, the Director is required to make the final payment, which could include needed adjustments for over- or under-payments when comparing actual tax receipts against the payments made based upon estimates. Beginning with the October 2022 Local Option Tax payment, the State Department of Revenue (the "Department of Revenue") makes distributions based on actual Local Option Tax receipts in the preceding month.

Local Option Taxes are based on the same sales currently taxed by the state-wide 6% sales and services tax, with the present statutory exceptions of (i) certain sales of motor fuel or special fuel as defined in Chapter 452A, (ii) the sale of natural gas or electric energy in a city or county where the gross receipts are subject to a franchise fee or user fee during the period the franchise or user fee is imposed, (iii) the sales price from a pay television service consisting of a direct-to-home satellite service, or (iv) the sale of equipment by the State Department of Transportation.

Once approved, a Local Option Tax can only be repealed through a public referendum at which a majority voting approves the repeal or tax rate change (or upon motion of the governing body), provided no obligations secured by the Local Option Tax are outstanding. If a Local Option Tax is not imposed county-wide, then the question of repeal is voted upon only by voters in such areas of a county where the tax has been imposed. Local Option Tax may not be repealed within one year of the effective date.

The following table shows the trend of the City's Local Option Tax receipts.

Local Option Tax Receipts(1)

	Local	
Fiscal Year	Option Sales Tax	Percent
Ending June 30	Receipts(2)	<u>Change +(-)</u>
2015	\$524,845	n/a
2016	514,328	(2.00%)
2017	535,229	4.06%
2018	539,056	0.71%
2019	553,249	2.63%
2020	609,246	10.12%
2021	694,406	13.98%
2022	665,473	(4.17%)
2023	677,914	1.87%
2024	677,914(3)	0.00%

Notes:

- (1) Source: Iowa Department of Revenue.
- (2) Includes a reconciliation payment attributable to the previous fiscal year for fiscal years 2015 through 2022.
- (3) Collections received or expected to be received.

Retail Sales

The Department of Revenue provides retail sales figures based on sales tax reports for years ending June 30. The Department of Revenue figures provide recent data to confirm trends in retail sales activity in the City. The following amounts exclude the City's Local Option Tax.

Retail Taxable Sales(1)

Fiscal Year	Taxable	Annual Percent
Ending June 30	Sales	<u> Change + (-)</u>
2013	\$64,123,251	n/a
2014	63,977,295	(0.23%)
2015	64,340,432	0.57%
2016	64,845,858	0.79%
2017	66,411,721	2.41%
2018	67,335,127	1.39%
2019	66,870,852	(0.69%)
2020	65,462,102	(2.11%)
2021	68,616,063	4.82%
2022	51,482,597	(24.97%)

Growth from 2013 to 2022......(19.71%)

Note: (1) Source: the lowa Department of Revenue.

THE PROJECT

Bond proceeds will be used to: (i) pay the costs of constructing bridge and related infrastructure improvements, and (ii) pay certain costs of issuance related to the Bonds.

DEFAULT RECORD

The City has no record of default and has met its debt repayment obligations promptly.

SHORT-TERM BORROWING

The City has not issued tax anticipation warrants or revenue anticipation notes during the last five years to meet its short-term current year cash flow requirements.

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DEBT INFORMATION

After issuance of the Bonds, the City will have outstanding \$10,085,00* principal amount of general obligation debt, which includes \$2,550,000 of Annual Appropriation Debt. In addition, the City has outstanding approximately \$2,152,000 principal amount of sewer revenue debt and \$634,000 water revenue debt that does not count against the City's debt capacity.

Debt Limitation

The amount of general obligation debt a political subdivision of the State can incur is controlled by the constitutional debt limit, which is an amount equal to 5% of the actual value of taxable property within the corporate limits, taken from the last County Tax list. According to and based upon the January 1, 2022 property valuations, for taxes payable in September 2023 and March 2024, the City's debt limit, based upon said valuation, amounts to the following:

2022 100% Actual Valuation of Property	\$309,411,924
Constitutional Debt Limit	\$ 15,470,596
Outstanding Bonds/Notes Applicable to Debt Limit: G.O. Debt Subject to Debt Limit	
Remaining Debt Capacity	\$ 4,828,447*
Note: (1) Only the debt coming due in the current year a debt limit calculation.	applies to the City's

The City does not expect to issue any additional general obligation debt in calendar year 2024.

Summary of Outstanding General Obligation Bonded Debt(1) (Principal Only)

Series 2016A(2)	\$ 2.550.000
Series 2016B	, , ,
Series 2020	
Series 2022	3,800,000
The Bonds(3)	1,450,000
Total(2)	\$10,085,000

Notes:

- (1) Source: the City.
- (2) Annual Appropriation Debt. Only the debt coming due in the current fiscal year in the amount of \$460,000, applies to the City's statutory debt limit calculation.
- (3) Subject to change.

^{*}Subject to change.

General Obligation Debt(1)

(Principal Only)

Fiscal Year					Total		Total General		
Ending	Series	Series	Series	Series	Outstanding	The	Obligation	Cumulative R	etirement(3)
<u>June 30</u>	2016A(2)	2016B	2020	2022	GO Debt	Bonds(3)	Debt(3)	Amount	Percent
2024	\$ 460,000	\$ 60,000	\$ 210,000	\$ 340,000	\$1,070,000	\$ 0	\$ 1,070,000	\$ 1,070,000	10.61%
2025	470,000	75,000	220,000	345,000	1,110,000	120,000	1,230,000	2,300,000	22.81%
2026	485,000	75,000	225,000	355,000	1,140,000	125,000	1,265,000	3,565,000	35.35%
2027	550,000	40,000	235,000	360,000	1,185,000	130,000	1,315,000	4,880,000	48.39%
2028	585,000	40,000	240,000	370,000	1,235,000	135,000	1,370,000	6,250,000	61.97%
2029	0	130,000	245,000	375,000	750,000	140,000	890,000	7,140,000	70.80%
2030	0	0	155,000	385,000	540,000	145,000	685,000	7,825,000	77.59%
2031	0	0	165,000	400,000	565,000	155,000	720,000	8,545,000	84.73%
2032	0	0	170,000	405,000	575,000	160,000	735,000	9,280,000	92.02%
2033	0	0	0	155,000	155,000	165,000	320,000	9,600,000	95.19%
2034	0	0	0	155,000	155,000	175,000	330,000	9,930,000	98.46%
2035	0	0	0	155,000	155,000	0	155,000	10,085,000	100.00%
Total	\$2,550,000	\$420,000	\$1,865,000	\$3,800,000	\$8,635,000	\$1,450,000	\$10,085,000		

- (1) Source: the City. For term bonds, mandatory redemption amounts are shown.
- (2) Annual Appropriation debt.(3) Subject to change.

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Statement of Bonded Indebtedness(1)(2)

					Per Capita
	Ap	plicable	Ratio to City	Ratio to City	(2020 Pop.
Total	Percent	Amount	Actual Value	Taxable Value	5,920)
Direct Bonded Debt(3)\$10,085,000	100.00%	\$10,085,000	3.26%	5.78%	\$1,703.55
Less: Non-Current Annual Appropriation Debt. (2,090,000)	100.00%	(2,090,000)	(0.68%)	<u>(1.20%)</u>	(353.04)
Total Net Direct Debt(3) \$ 7,995,000	100.00%	\$ 7,995,000	2.58%	4.59%	\$1,350.51
Overlapping Debt:					
Oelwein School District\$	44.78%	\$ 0	0.00%	0.00%	\$ 0.00
Northeast Iowa Community College(4) 36,735,000	1.23%	451,841	0.15%	0.26%	76.32
Fayette County	13.44%	1,362,803	0.44%	0.78%	230.20
Total Applicable Overlapping Bonded Debt		. \$ 1,814,643	0.59%	1.04%	\$ 306.53
Total Direct and Overlapping Bonded Debt(3)		. \$ 9,809,643	3.17%	5.63%	\$1,657.03

Notes: (1) Source: the City, Audited Financial Statements and Treasurer of the State of Iowa - Outstanding Obligations Report, debt as of June 30, 2022 for the School District, Community College and County.

(2) As of the date of issuance for the Direct Bonded Debt and June 30, 2022 for Overlapping Debt.

Subject to change.

(4) Excludes \$16,910,000 in Industrial New Jobs Training Certificates, which are expected to be paid by proceeds from anticipated job credits from withholding taxes.

TIF - backed Development Agreements

From time to time the City, pursuant to Section 403.9 of the Iowa Code and the Issuer's urban renewal plans, has entered into Development Agreements which contain payment obligations from the Issuer to an external party. The Issuer's payment requirements under these contracts are not structured as general liabilities of the Issuer, but rather are exclusively secured by and payable from a pledge of the City's incremental property tax revenues (TIF) to be derived from the taxable properties (or some subset thereof) contained within an urban renewal area of the Issuer pursuant to Section 403.19 of the Iowa Code. The City's payment obligation under these contracts are routinely contingent upon development or redevelopment performance requirements of the external party and are typically made subject to annual appropriation rights by the City Council. TIF Payments under these contracts are typically due and owing semi-annually on December 1 and June 1 of each fiscal year of the City.

The following table contains information regarding the City's more significant Development Agreements, each subject to annual appropriation by the City:

			Maximum Remaining	
Agreement			Payment Amount	Last Payment
Date	<u>Urban Renewal Area</u>	Project Description	(as of 6/30/23)	<u>Date</u>
11/09/21	Urban Renewal #2	Forsyth Management Company	\$ 576,984	6/1/34
10/05/15	East Penn Urban Renewal	East Penn Manufacturing	3,340,000	6/1/34
05/08/17	Urban Renewal #2	Cornerstone Inn and Suites LLC	234,650	6/1/30
12/14/20	Urban Renewal #2	ICE Manufacturing	100,510	6/1/32
05/11/20	Urban Renewal #2	Kwik Star	350,000	6/1/30
10/12/20	Urban Renewal #2	HyVee Dollar Fresh	400,000	6/1/33

PROPERTY ASSESSMENT AND TAX INFORMATION

Property Tax Assessment

In compliance with Section 441.21 of the Iowa Code, the Director annually directs all county auditors to apply prescribed statutory percentages to the assessments of certain categories of real property. The final values, called Actual Valuation, are then adjusted by the County Auditor. Assessed or Taxable Valuation subject to tax levy is then determined by the application of State determined rollback percentages, principally to residential property and commercial property

Beginning in 1978, the State required a reduction in Actual Valuation to reduce the impact of inflation on its residents. The resulting value is defined as the Assessed or Taxable Valuation. Such rollback percentages may be changed in future years. Certain historical rollback percentages for residential, multi-residential, agricultural and commercial valuations are as follows:

Percentages for Taxable Valuation After Rollbacks(1)

		Multi-	Ag Land	Commercial
Fiscal Year	<u>Residential</u>	Residential	& Buildings	& Industrial
2016/17	55.6259%	86.2500%	46.1068%	90.0000%
2017/18	56.9391%	82.5000%	47.4996%	90.0000%
2018/19	55.6209%	78.7500%	54.4480%	90.0000%
2019/20	56.9180%	75.0000%	56.1324%	90.0000%
2020/21	55.0743%	71.2500%	81.4832%	90.0000%
2021/22	56.4094%	67.5000%	84.0305%	90.0000%
2022/23	54.1302%	63.7500%	89.0412%	90.0000%
2023/24	54.6501%	n/a	91.6430%	90.0000%
2024/25	46.3428%	n/a	71.8370%	90.0000%

Notes:

- (1) Source: the Iowa Department of Revenue.
- (2) In assessment year 2023 (applicable to fiscal year 2024/25 valuations), the taxable value rollback rate is 46.3428% of actual value for residential property; 71.8370% of actual value for agricultural property and 100.0000% of the actual value of utility property. The residential taxable rollback rate of 46.3428% applies to the value of each property unit of commercial, industrial and railroad property that exceeds zero dollars (\$0), but does not exceed one hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000), with a taxable value rollback rate of 90.0000% to the value that exceeds one hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$150,000).

Property is assessed on a calendar year basis. The assessments finalized as of January 1 of each year are applied to the following fiscal year. For example, the assessments finalized on January 1, 2022, are used to calculate tax liability for the tax year starting July 1, 2023 through June 30, 2024.

Property Tax Collection

Actual (100%) Valuations for the City(1)(2)

	Fiscal Year:	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	Preliminary 2024/25
Property Class	Levy Year:	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Residential		\$196,794,830	\$196,776,800	\$195,916,440	\$206,591,563	\$259,767,998
Agricultural		717,710	717,710	694,240	692,870	862,040
Commercial		46,991,353	46,574,009	35,973,605	39,181,617	47,456,632
Industrial		31,813,790	31,863,290	31,952,310	32,559,690	32,886,910
Multi-residential(3)		8,077,647	8,102,811	10,673,219	0	0
Railroads		69,590	88,252	367,379	380,388	406,548
Utilities without Gas and E	Electric	633,016	430,203	259,224	0	0
Gas and Electric Utility		31,609,182	30,562,482	30,375,524	30,631,772	31,566,938
Less: Exemptions		(718,576)	(685,240)	(644,496)	(625,976)	(2,794,443)
Total		\$315,988,542	\$314,430,317	\$305,567,445	\$309,411,924	\$370,152,623
Percent Change +(-)		15.70%(4)	(0.49%)	(3.30%)	1.26%	19.63%

Notes: (1) Source: Iowa Department of Management.

(2) Includes tax increment finance (TIF) valuations used in the following amounts:

January 1:	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
TIF Valuation	\$28,870,885	\$28 573 430	\$23,573,000	\$25 146 072	\$29 715 001

- (3) Phased into residential class valuations beginning January 1, 2022.
- (4) Based on 2018 Actual Valuation of \$273,102,855.

For the January 1, 2023 levy year, the City's Taxable Valuation was comprised of approximately 65% residential, 18% commercial, 16% industrial, 2% utilities, and less than 1% agriculture, railroads and military exemption.

Taxable ("Rollback") Valuations for the City(1)(2)

						Preliminary
	Fiscal Year:	2020/21	2021/22	2022/23	2023/24	2024/25
Property Class	Levy Year:	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Residential		\$108,383,368	\$111,000,483	\$106,050,080	\$112,902,636	\$120,383,686
Agricultural		584,811	603,098	618,158	634,968	619,263
Commercial		42,292,221	41,916,611	32,376,248	28,197,080	33,326,304
Industrial		28,632,221	28,676,961	28,757,079	28,562,644	28,673,653
Multi-residential(3)		5,755,326	5,469,400	6,804,181	0	0
Railroads		62,631	79,427	330,641	334,513	356,216
Utilities without Gas and I	Electric	633,016	423,960	259,224	0	0
Gas and Electric Utility		4,625,400	4,380,269	4,386,694	4,355,364	4,249,362
Less: Military Exemption		(718,576)	(685,240)	(644,496)	(625,976)	(2,810,693)
Total		\$190,250,608	\$191,864,969	\$178,937,809	\$174,361,229	\$184,797,791
Percent Change +(-)		14.77%(4)	0.85%	(5.95%)	(2.56%)	5.99%

Notes: (1) Source: Iowa Department of Management.

(2) Includes tax increment finance (TIF) valuations used in the following amounts:

January 1:	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
TIF Valuation	\$28.870.885	\$28.573.430	\$23.573.000	\$25.146.072	\$29.715.001

- (3) Phased into residential class valuations beginning January 1, 2022.
- (4) Based on 2018 Taxable Valuation of \$165,769,025.

The following shows the trend in the City's tax extensions and collections.

Tax Extensions and Collections(1)

Levy	Fiscal	Amount	Amount	Percent
Year	_Year_	Levied	Collected(2)	Collected
2013	2014-15	\$2,378,553	\$2,433,871	102.33%
2014	2015-16	2,368,459	2,550,327	107.68%
2015	2016-17	2,379,930	2,622,915	110.21%
2016	2017-18	2,402,163	2,446,809	101.86%
2017	2018-19	2,472,176	2,511,243	101.58%
2018	2019-20	2,607,312	2,616,016	100.33%
2019	2020-21	2,861,375	3,012,076	105.27%
2020	2021-22	2,961,236	3,240,435	109.43%
2021	2022-23	2,836,151	2,854,756	100.66%
2022	2023-24	2,741,099	In Coll	ection

Notes: (1) Source: the State of Iowa Department of Management and the City. Includes Levies or Collections for Utility Replacement. Does not include levies and collections for the City's tax increment finance district.

(2) Includes delinquent taxes.

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Principal Taxpayers(1)

		Levy Year 2022
Taxpayer Name	Business/Service	Taxable Valuation(2)
East Penn Manufacturing Co	Lead - Acid Battery Manufacturing	. \$20,264,163
Transco Railway Products, Inc	Railroad	. 4,172,070
Interstate Power Co	Utility	. 3,816,963
	Manufacturing	
Ashley Industrial Molding, Inc.	Plastic Molding	. 1,444,723
	Apartment Building	
Waterloo Cabinet Properties, LLC	Cabinet Manufacturing	. 1,138,219
	Real Estate	
Mclaughlin Summerville Properties LLC	Real Estate	. 967,182
Abilit Holdings (Oelwein) LLC	Apartment Building	. 963,188
Total		\$36,597,220
Ten Largest Taxpayers as Percent of City's Janua	ary 1, 2022 Taxable Valuation (\$174,361,229)	. 20.99%

Notes:

- (1) Source: the County.
- (2) Every effort has been made to seek out and report the largest taxpayers. However, many of the taxpayers listed contain multiple parcels and it is possible that some parcels and their valuations have been overlooked.

Levy Limits

The property tax rates for the City from levy year 2018 through levy year 2024 are shown below:

Property Tax Rates(1)(2) (Per \$1,000 Actual Valuation)

	Fiscal Year: Levy Year:	2019/20 	2020/21 	2021/22 	2022/23 2021	2023/24
The City: General Fund Emergency Levy. Debt Service Fund Employee Benefits Capital Improvement Other Total City.		. 0.27000 . 4.52339 . 3.81039 . 0.00000 . 1.01574	\$ 8.10000 0.27000 3.20447 5.20486 0.00000 0.93925 \$17,71858	\$ 8.10000 0.27000 2.62365 5.77361 0.00000 0.96268 \$17.72994	\$ 8.10000 0.27000 2.54981 5.85796 0.00000 1.14951 \$17,92728	\$ 8.10000 0.27000 2.62122 6.01023 0.00000 0.99070 \$17.99215
Fayette County Oelwein Community School D Northeast Iowa Community Co Other Total City Consolidated Tax I	istrictbllege.	. \$ 5.60372 . 13.55463 . 1.03168 . 0.87171	\$ 6.03620 13.94866 0.94734 0.80276 \$39.45354	\$ 5.87207 13.90184 0.90520 0.72449 \$39.13354	\$ 5.86988 13.82494 0.90520 <u>0.70070</u> \$39.22800	\$ 5.89996 13.61151 0.92871 <u>0.69406</u> \$39.12639

Notes: (1) Source: the Iowa Department of Management.

(2) Does not include tax rate for agriculture.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Financial Reports

The City's financial statements are audited annually by certified public accountants. The City maintains its financial records on the basis of cash receipts and disbursements and the financial statements of the City are prepared on that basis. The cash basis of accounting does not give effect to accounts receivable, accounts payable and accrued items. Accordingly, the financial statements do not present financial position and results of operations of the funds in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles. See **APPENDIX A** for more detail.

No Consent or Updated Information Requested of the Auditor

The tables and excerpts (collectively, the "Excerpted Financial Information") contained in this "FINANCIAL INFORMATION" section are from the audited financial statements of the City, including the audited financial statements for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023 (the "2023 Audit"). The 2023 Audit has been prepared by T.P. Anderson & Company, P.C., Certified Public Accountants, Humboldt, Iowa, (the "Auditor"), and received by the City Council. The City has not requested the Auditor to update information contained in the Excerpted Financial Information and the 2023 Audit; nor has the City requested that the Auditor consent to the use of the Excerpted Financial Information and the 2023 Audit in this Official Statement. The inclusion of the Excerpted Financial Information and the 2023 Audit in this Official Statement in and of itself is not intended to demonstrate the fiscal condition of the City since the date of the 2023 Audit. Questions or inquiries relating to financial information of the City since the date of the 2023 Audit should be directed to the City.

Summary Financial Information

The following tables are summaries and do not purport to be the complete audits, copies of which are available upon request. See **APPENDIX A** for the City's 2023 Audit. The City's expects its General Fund balance for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2024 to increase by approximately \$34,000. The City has approved a budget for fiscal year 2025 with an anticipated decrease to the General Fund balance of approximately \$205,000. To date, revenues and expenditures are generally within budgeted amounts.

Cash Basis Statement of Activities and Net Position(1) Governmental Activities

	Audited as of June 30				
	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Functions/Programs:					
Governmental Activities:					
Public Safety	\$(1,576,322)	\$(1,626,186)	\$(1,579,783)	\$ (1,689,880)	\$(1,979,286)
Public Works	79,572	149,555	157,237	123,899	324,949
Health and Social Services	(18,117)	(19,836)	(20,016)	(19,125)	(19,667)
Culture and Recreation	(783,679)	(769,549)	(784,967)	(578,469)	(913,108)
Community and Economic Development	(741,326)	(1,013,713)	(976,010)	(727,292)	(484,702)
General Government	(418,572)	(488,132)	(500,093)	(527,547)	(588,245)
Debt Service	(1,117,626)	(1,744,359)	(1,577,912)	(3,669,321)	(1,458,354)
Capital Projects	(396,015)	<u>(1,617,961)</u>	(3,044,723)	<u>(1,193,789)</u>	(1,882,169)
Total Governmental Activities	<u>\$(4,972,085)</u>	<u>\$(7,130,181)</u>	<u>\$(8,326,267)</u>	<u>\$ (8,281,524)</u>	<u>\$(7,000,582)</u>
General Receipts and Transfers:					
Property and Other City Tax Levied for:					
General Purposes	\$ 1,861,670	\$ 1,764,373	\$ 2,273,720	\$ 2,379,089	\$ 2,384,210
Debt Service	568,381	747,079	624,024	522,804	470,546
Tax Increment Financing	320,501	789,469	977,915	1,006,886	823,599
Local Option Sales Tax	572,156	541,648	652,593	757,202	694,494
Commercial/Industrial Property Tax Replacement	81,192	104,564	114,332	111,382	0
Hotel/Motel and Franchise Tax	776,358	907,900	891,798	972,998	1,066,083
Unrestricted Interest on Investments	73,809	80,977	25,992	18,010	99,240
Loan Proceeds	59,400	2,817,000	68,000	4,529,805	0
Miscellaneous	676,402	864,684	1,175,477	647,754	1,444,217
Sale of Capital Assets	1,249	1,000	61,495	136,696	5,697
Transfers	449,601	127,868	240,249	(1,027,996)	601,512
Total General Receipts and Transfers	<u>\$ 5,440,719</u>	<u>\$ 8,746,562</u>	<u>\$ 7,105,595</u>	<u>\$10,054,630</u>	<u>\$ 7,589,598</u>
Change in Cash Basis Net Position	\$ 468,634	\$ 1,616,381	\$(1,220,672)	\$ 1,773,106	\$ 589,016
Cash Basis Net Position, Beginning of Year	\$ 5,010,609	\$ 5,479,243	\$ 7,095,624	\$ 5,874,952	\$ 7,648,058
Cash Basis Net Position, End of Year	\$ 5,479,24 <u>3</u>	\$ 7,095,624	\$ 5,874,952	\$ 7,648,058	\$ 8,237,074

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Cash Basis Statement of Activities and Net Position(1) Governmental Activities

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	Audited as of June 30					
	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	
Cash Basis Net Position:						
Restricted:						
Nonexpendable:						
Cemetery Perpetual Care	\$ 288,341	\$ 289,061	\$ 295,271	\$ 292,812	\$ 295,032	
Expendable:						
Streets	609,228	670,136	740,224	698,583	507,104	
Employee Benefits	819,355	556,599	506,067	561,959	533,555	
Debt Service	106,064	139,657	206,878	336,682	260,285	
Other Purposes	1,658,622	4,074,318	2,715,678	4,453,517	5,601,055	
Unrestricted	1,997,633	1,365,853	1,410,834	1,304,505	1,040,043	
Total Cash Basis Net Position	\$ 5,479,243	\$ 7,095,624	\$ 5,874,952	\$ 7,648,058	\$ 8,237,074	

Note: (1) Source: Audited financial statements of the City for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2019 through 2023.

Statement of Cash Receipts, Disbursements and Changes in Cash Balance(1) General Fund

	Audited for the Year Ended June 30				
	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Receipts:					
Property Tax	\$1,131,426	\$1,197,281	\$1,468,830	\$1,487,790	\$1,419,692
Other City Tax	77,580	84,576	86,262	80,409	78,873
Licenses and Permits	72,679	79,541	95,913	87,653	90,318
Use of Money and Property	73,721	69,657	52,168	67,697	74,239
Intergovernmental	62,700	124,911	155,888	209,828	148,722
Charges for Service	190,880	150,159	182,760	201,963	231,906
Miscellaneous	99,788	259,064	201,570	56,970	672,300
Total Receipts	<u>\$1,708,774</u>	<u>\$1,965,189</u>	\$2,243,392	<u>\$2,192,310</u>	<u>\$2,716,050</u>
Disbursements:					
Operating:					
Public Safety	\$1,113,753	\$1,216,265	\$1,216,459	\$1,381,098	\$1,540,334
Public Works	64,314	71,531	97,887	86,133	129,354
Culture and Recreation	766,045	737,189	744,278	803,336	894,627
General Government	223,207	382,463	400,483	426,667	479,670
Capital Projects	0	0	<u>105,100</u>	0	0
Total Disbursements	<u>\$2,167,319</u>	<u>\$2,407,448</u>	<u>\$2,564,207</u>	<u>\$2,697,234</u>	<u>\$3,043,985</u>
Excess (Deficiency) of Receipts					
Over (Under) Disbursements	\$ (458,545)	\$ (442,259)	\$ (320,815)	\$ (504,924)	\$ (327,935)
Other Financing Sources (Uses):					
Transfers In	\$ 545,834	\$ 526,727	\$ 589,966	\$ 643,161	\$ 639,678
Transfers Out	(11,000)	(5,500)	(11,000)	(11,000)	(11,000)
Net Other Financing Sources (Uses)	<u>\$ 534,834</u>	<u>\$ 521,227</u>	<u>\$ 578,966</u>	<u>\$ 632,161</u>	<u>\$ 628,678</u>
Change in Cash Balances	\$ 76,289	\$ 78,968	\$ 258,151	\$ 127,237	\$ 300,743
Cash Balances, Beginning of Year	\$ 562,687	\$ 638,976	\$ 717,944	\$ 976,095	\$1,103,332
Cash Balances, End of Year	\$ 638,976	\$ 717,944	\$ 976,095	\$1,103,332	\$1,404,075
Cash Basis Fund Balances:					
Unassigned	\$ 638,976	\$ 717,944	\$ 976,095	\$1,103,332	\$1,404,075
Total Cash Basis Fund Balances	\$ 638,976	\$ 717,944	\$ 976,095	\$1,103,332	\$1,404,075

Note: (1) Source: the City's audited financial statements for fiscal years ending June 30, 2019 through 2023.

REGISTRATION, TRANSFER AND EXCHANGE

See also **APPENDIX B – DESCRIBING BOOK-ENTRY-ONLY ISSUANCE** for information on registration, transfer and exchange of book-entry bonds. The Bonds will be initially issued as book-entry bonds.

The City shall cause books for the registration and for the transfer of the Bonds to be kept at the principal office maintained for the purpose by UMB Bank, n.a., West Des Moines, Iowa (the "Bond Registrar"). The City will authorize to be prepared, and the Bond Registrar shall keep custody of, multiple bond blanks executed by the City for use in the transfer and exchange of Bonds.

Any Bond may be transferred or exchanged, but only in the manner, subject to the limitations, and upon payment of the charges as set forth in the Resolution. Upon surrender for transfer or exchange of any Bond at the principal office maintained for the purpose by the Bond Registrar, duly endorsed by, or accompanied by a written instrument or instruments of transfer in form satisfactory to the Bond Registrar and duly executed by the registered owner or such owner's attorney duly authorized in writing, the City shall execute and the Bond Registrar shall authenticate, date and deliver in the name of the registered owner, transferee or transferees (as the case may be) a new fully registered Bond or Bonds of the same maturity and interest rate of authorized denominations, for a like aggregate principal amount.

The execution by the City of any fully registered Bond shall constitute full and due authorization of such Bond, and the Bond Registrar shall thereby be authorized to authenticate, date and deliver such Bond, provided, however, the principal amount of outstanding Bonds of each maturity authenticated by the Bond Registrar shall not exceed the authorized principal amount of Bonds for such maturity less Bonds previously paid.

The Bond Registrar shall not be required to transfer or exchange any Bond following the close of business on the fifteenth day of the month next preceding an interest payment date on such bond (known as the record date), nor to transfer or exchange any Bond after notice calling such Bond for redemption has been mailed, nor during a period of fifteen days next preceding mailing of a notice of redemption of any Bonds.

The person in whose name any Bond shall be registered shall be deemed and regarded as the absolute owner thereof for all purposes, and payment of the principal of or interest on any Bonds shall be made only to or upon the order of the registered owner thereof or such owner's legal representative. All such payments shall be valid and effectual to satisfy and discharge the liability upon such Bond to the extent of the sum or sums so paid.

No service charge shall be made for any transfer or exchange of Bonds, but the City or the Bond Registrar may require payment of a sum sufficient to cover any tax or other governmental charge that may be imposed in connection with any transfer or exchange of Bonds except in the case of the issuance of a Bond or Bonds for the unredeemed portion of a bond surrendered for redemption.

TAX EXEMPTION AND RELATED TAX MATTERS

Federal Income Tax Exemption

The opinion of Bond Counsel will state that under present laws and rulings, interest on the Bonds is excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes and is not an item of tax preference for purposes of the federal alternative minimum tax imposed on noncorporate taxpayers under the Code.

The opinion set forth in the preceding sentence will be subject to the condition that the Issuer comply with all requirements of the Code that must be satisfied subsequent to the issuance of the Bonds in order that interest thereon be, or continue to be, excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes. Failure to comply with certain of such requirements may cause the inclusion of interest on the Bonds in gross income for federal income tax purposes to be retroactive to the date of issuance of the Bonds. In the resolution authorizing the issuance of the Bonds, the Issuer will covenant to comply with all such requirements.

There may be certain other federal tax consequences to the ownership of the Bonds by certain taxpayers, including without limitation, corporations subject to the branch profits tax, financial institutions, certain insurance companies, certain S corporations, individual recipients of Social Security and Railroad Retirement benefits, taxpayers who may be deemed to have incurred (or continued) indebtedness to purchase or carry tax-exempt obligations, and corporations that may be subject to the alternative minimum tax. Bond Counsel will express no opinion with respect to other federal tax consequences to owners of the Bonds. Prospective purchasers of the Bonds should consult with their tax advisors as to such matters.

Ownership of the Bonds may result in other state and local tax consequences to certain taxpayers. Bond Counsel expresses no opinion regarding any such collateral consequences arising with respect to the Bonds. Prospective purchasers of the Bonds should consult their tax advisors regarding the applicability of any such state and local taxes.

Proposed Changes in Federal and State Tax Law

From time to time, there are Presidential proposals, proposals of various federal committees, and legislative proposals in the Congress and in the states that, if enacted, could alter or amend the federal and state tax matters referred to herein or adversely affect the marketability or market value of the Bonds or otherwise prevent holders of the Bonds from realizing the full benefit of the tax exemption of interest on the Bonds. Further, such proposals may impact the marketability or market value of the Bonds simply by being proposed. No prediction is made whether such provisions will be enacted as proposed or concerning other future legislation affecting the tax treatment of interest on the Bonds. In addition, regulatory actions are from time to time announced or proposed and litigation is threatened or commenced which, if implemented or concluded in a particular manner, could adversely affect the market value, marketability or tax exempt status of the Bonds. It cannot be predicted whether any such regulatory action will be implemented, how any particular litigation or judicial action will be resolved, or whether the Bonds would be impacted thereby.

Purchasers of the Bonds should consult their tax advisors regarding any pending or proposed legislation, regulatory initiatives or litigation. The opinions expressed by Bond Counsel are based upon existing legislation and regulations as interpreted by relevant judicial and regulatory authorities as of the date of issuance and delivery of the Bonds, and Bond Counsel has expressed no opinion as of any date subsequent thereto or with respect to any proposed or pending legislation, regulatory initiatives or litigation.

Qualified Tax-Exempt Obligations

In the resolution authorizing the issuance of the Bonds, the Issuer will designate the Bonds as "qualified tax exempt obligations" within the meaning of Section 265(b)(3) of the Code relating to the ability of financial institutions to deduct from income for federal income tax purposes a portion of the interest expense that is allocable to tax-exempt obligations. In the opinion of Bond Counsel, the Bonds are "qualified tax-exempt obligations" within the meaning of Section 265(b)(3) of the Code.

Original Issue Premium

The Bonds maturing in the years ______ are being issued at a premium to the principal amount payable at maturity. Except in the case of dealers, which are subject to special rules, Bondholders who acquire the Bonds at a premium must, from time to time, reduce their federal tax bases for the Bonds for purposes of determining gain or loss on the sale or payment of such Bonds. Premium generally is amortized for federal income tax purposes on the basis of a bondholder's constant yield to maturity or to certain call dates with semiannual compounding. Bondholders who acquire any Bonds at a premium might recognize taxable gain upon sale of the Bonds, even if such Bonds are sold for an amount equal to or less than their original cost. Amortized premium is not deductible for federal income tax purposes. Bondholders who acquire any Bonds at a premium should consult their tax advisors concerning the calculation of bond premium and the timing and rate of premium amortization, as well as the state and local tax consequences of owning and selling the Bonds acquired at a premium.

Original Issue Discount

The Bonds maturing in the years ______ (collectively, the "Discount Bonds") are being sold at a discount from the principal amount payable on such Discount Bonds at maturity. The difference between the price at which a substantial amount of the Discount Bonds of a given maturity is first sold to the public (the "Issue Price") and the principal amount payable at maturity constitutes "original issue discount" under the Internal Revenue Code. The amount of original issue discount that accrues to a holder of a Discount Bond under section 1288 of the Internal Revenue Code is excluded from federal gross income to the same extent that stated interest on such Discount Bond would be so excluded. The amount of the original issue discount that accrues with respect to a Discount Bond under section 1288 is added to the owner's federal tax basis in determining gain or loss upon disposition of such Discount Bond (whether by sale, exchange, redemption or payment at maturity).

Interest in the form of original issue discount accrues under section 1288 pursuant to a constant yield method that reflects semiannual compounding on dates that are determined by reference to the maturity date of the Discount Bond. The amount of original issue discount that accrues for any particular semiannual accrual period generally is equal to the excess of (1) the product of (a) one-half of the yield on such Discount Bonds (adjusted as necessary for an initial short period) and (b) the adjusted issue price of such Discount Bonds, over (2) the amount of stated interest actually payable. For purposes of the preceding sentence, the adjusted issue price is determined by adding to the Issue Price for such Discount Bonds the original issue discount that is treated as having accrued during all prior semiannual accrual periods. If a Discount Bond is sold or otherwise disposed of between semiannual compounding dates, then the original issue discount that would have accrued for that semiannual accrual period for federal income tax purposes is allocated ratably to the days in such accrual period.

An owner of a Discount Bond who disposes of such Discount Bond prior to maturity should consult owner's tax advisor as to the amount of original issue discount accrued over the period held and the amount of taxable gain or loss upon the sale or other disposition of such Discount Bond prior to maturity.

Owners who purchase Discount Bonds in the initial public offering but at a price different than the Issue Price should consult their own tax advisors with respect to the tax consequences of the ownership Discount Bonds.

The Internal Revenue Code contains provisions relating to the accrual of original issue discount in the case of subsequent purchasers of bonds such as the Discount Bonds. Owners who do not purchase Discount Bonds in the initial offering should consult their own tax advisors with respect to the tax consequences of the ownership of the Discount Bonds.

Original issue discount that accrues in each year to an owner of a Discount Bond may result in collateral federal income tax consequences to certain taxpayers. No opinion is expressed as to state and local income tax treatment of original issue discount. All owners of Discount Bonds should consult their own tax advisors with respect to the federal, state, local and foreign tax consequences associated with the purchase, ownership, redemption, sale or other disposition of Discount Bonds.

CONTINUING DISCLOSURE

For the purpose of complying with paragraph (b)(5) of the Rule, the City will covenant and agree, for the benefit of the registered holders or beneficial owners from time to time of the outstanding Bonds to provide reports of specified information and notice of the occurrence of certain events, as hereinafter described (the "Disclosure Covenants"). The information to be provided on an annual basis, and the events as to which notice is to be given, is set forth in "APPENDIX D – Form of Continuing Disclosure Certificate". This covenant is being made by the City to assist the Underwriter(s) in complying with the Rule.

Breach of the Disclosure Covenants will not constitute a default or an "Event of Default" under the Bonds or Resolution, respectively. A broker or dealer is to consider a known breach of the Disclosure Covenants, however, before recommending the purchase or sale of the Bonds in the secondary market. Thus, a failure on the part of the City to observe the Disclosure Covenants may adversely affect the transferability and liquidity of the Bonds and their market price.

Pursuant to the Rule, in the last five years, the City believes it has complied in all material respects with regard to its prior Disclosure Covenants.

Bond Counsel expresses no opinion as to whether the Disclosure Covenants comply with the requirements of Section (b)(5) of the Rule.

OPTIONAL REDEMPTION

Bonds due June 1, 2025 - 2031 inclusive, are not subject to optional redemption. Bonds due June 1, 2032 - 2034, inclusive, are subject to optional redemption in whole or in part on any date on or after June 1, 2031, at a price of par and accrued interest. If selection by lot within a maturity is required, the Registrar shall designate the Bonds to be redeemed by random selection of the names of the registered owners of the entire annual maturity until the total amount of Bonds to be called has been reached.

If less than the entire principal amount of any Bond in a denomination of more than \$5,000 is to be redeemed, the Bond Registrar will issue and deliver to the registered owner thereof, upon surrender of such original Bond, a new Bond or Bonds, in any authorized denomination, in a total aggregate principal amount equal to the unredeemed balance of the original Bond. Notice of such redemption as aforesaid identifying the Bond or Bonds (or portion thereof) to be redeemed shall be sent by electronic means or mailed by certified mail to the registered owners thereof at the addresses shown on the City's registration books not less than 30 days prior to such redemption date. Any notice of redemption may contain a statement that the redemption is conditioned upon the receipt by the Bond Registrar of funds on or before the date fixed for redemption sufficient to pay the redemption price of the Bonds so called for redemption, and that if funds are not available, such redemption shall be cancelled by written notice to the owners of the Bonds called for redemption in the same manner as the original redemption notice was sent.

If less than all of the maturity is called for redemption, the City will notify DTC of the particular amount of such maturity to be redeemed prior to maturity. DTC will determine by lot the amount of each Participant's interest in such maturity to be redeemed and each Participant will then select by lot the beneficial ownership interests in such maturity to be redeemed.

Thirty days' written notice of redemption shall be given to the registered owner of the Bond. Failure to give written notice to any registered owner of the Bonds or any defect therein shall not affect the validity of any proceedings for the redemption of the Bonds. All Bonds or portions thereof called for redemption will cease to bear interest after the specified redemption date, provided funds for their redemption are on deposit at the place of payment. Written notice will be deemed completed upon transmission to the owner of record.

LITIGATION

There is no litigation of any nature now pending or threatened restraining or enjoining the issuance, sale, execution or delivery of the Bonds, or in any way contesting or affecting the validity of the Bonds or any proceedings of the City taken with respect to the issuance or sale thereof. There is no litigation now pending, or to the knowledge of the City, threatened against the City that is expected to materially impact the financial condition of the City.

LEGAL MATTERS

Legal matters incident to the authorization, issuance and sale of the Bonds and with regard to the tax-exempt status of the interest thereon (see "TAX EXEMPTION AND RELATED TAX MATTERS" herein) are subject to the approving legal opinion of Dorsey & Whitney LLP, Des Moines, Iowa, Bond Counsel, a form of which is attached hereto as APPENDIX C. Signed copies of the opinion, dated and premised on law in effect as of the date of original delivery of the Bonds, will be delivered to the Underwriter at the time of such original delivery. The Bonds are offered subject to prior sale and to the approval of legality of the Bonds by Bond Counsel.

The legal opinion to be delivered will express the professional judgment of Bond Counsel and by rendering a legal opinion, Bond Counsel does not become an insurer or guarantor of the result indicated by that expression of professional judgment or of the transaction or the future performance of the parties to the transaction.

Bond Counsel has not been engaged, nor has it undertaken, to prepare or to independently verify the accuracy of the Official Statement, including but not limited to financial or statistical information of the City and risks associated with the purchase of the Bonds, except Bond Counsel has reviewed the information and statements contained in the Official Statement under, "TAX EXEMPTION AND RELATED TAX MATTERS" and "LEGAL MATTERS", insofar as such statements contained under such captions purport to summarize certain provisions of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, the Bonds and any opinions rendered by Bond Counsel. Bond Counsel has prepared the documents contained in APPENDIX C and APPENDIX D.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT AUTHORIZATION

This Official Statement has been authorized for distribution to prospective purchasers of the Bonds. All statements, information, and statistics herein are believed to be correct but are not guaranteed by the consultants or by the City, and all expressions of opinion, whether or not so stated, are intended only as such.

This Official Statement is not to be construed as a contract or agreement amongst the City, the Underwriter, or the holders of any of the Bonds. Any statements made in this Official Statement involving matters of opinion, whether or not expressly so stated, are intended merely as opinions and not as representations of fact. The information and expressions of opinions contained herein are subject to change without notice and neither the delivery of this Official Statement or the sale of the Bonds made hereunder shall, under any circumstances, create any implication that there has been no change in the affairs of the City since the date hereof. The information contained in this Official Statement is not guaranteed.

INVESTMENT RATING

The City has supplied certain information and material concerning the Bonds and the City to the rating service shown on the cover page, including certain information and materials which may not have been included in this Official Statement, as part of its application for an investment rating on the Bonds. A rating reflects only the views of the rating agency assigning such rating and an explanation of the significance of such rating may be obtained from such rating agency. Generally, such rating service bases its rating on such information and material, and also on such investigations, studies and assumptions that it may undertake independently. There is no assurance that such rating will continue for any given period of time or that it may not be lowered or withdrawn entirely by such rating service if, in its judgment, circumstances so warrant. Any such downward change in or withdrawal of such rating may have an adverse effect on the secondary market price of the Bonds. An explanation of the significance of the investment rating may be obtained from the rating agency: Moody's Investors Service, Inc., 7 World Trade Center at 250 Greenwich Street, New York, New York 10007, telephone 212-553-1658.

UNDERWRITING

The Bonds were offered for sale	by the City at a public,	competitive sale	on May 28, 2024.	The best bid submitted
at the sale was submitted by	(the "Underwriter"). The	he City awarded	the contract for sa	ale of the Bonds to the
Underwriter at a price of \$	(reflecting the par amo	ount of \$, plus a reoffering	oremium of \$
and less an Underwriter's discount of \$). The Underw	riter has represen	nted to the City tha	t the Bonds have been
subsequently re-offered to the public init	gially at the yields or price	ces set forth in th	e Final Official Sta	tement.

The Underwriter may offer and sell the Bonds to certain dealers (including dealers depositing the Bonds into unit investment trusts, certain of which may be sponsored or managed by the Underwriter) at prices lower than the initial public offering prices stated on the cover page. The initial public offering prices of the Bonds may be changed, from time to time, by the Underwriter.

The Underwriter intends to engage in secondary market trading of the Bonds subject to applicable securities laws. The Underwriter is not obligated, however, to repurchase any of the Bonds at the request of the holder thereof.

MUNICIPAL ADVISOR

The City has engaged Speer Financial, Inc. as municipal advisor (the "Municipal Advisor") in connection with the issuance and sale of the Bonds. The Municipal Advisor is a Registered Municipal Advisor in accordance with the rules of the MSRB. The Municipal Advisor will not participate in the underwriting of the Bonds. The financial information included in the Official Statement has been compiled by the Municipal Advisor. Such information does not purport to be a review, audit or certified forecast of future events and may not conform with accounting principles applicable to compilations of financial information. The Municipal Advisor is not a firm of certified public accountants and does not serve in that capacity or provide accounting services in connection with the Bonds. The Municipal Advisor is not obligated to undertake any independent verification of or to assume any responsibility for the accuracy, completeness or fairness of the information contained in this Official Statement, nor is the Municipal Advisor obligated by the City's continuing disclosure undertaking.

MISCELLANEOUS

Brief descriptions or summaries of the City, the Bonds, the Resolution and other documents, agreements and statutes are included in this Official Statement. The summaries or references herein to the Bonds, the Resolution and other documents, agreements and statutes referred to herein, and the description of the Bonds included herein, do not purport to be comprehensive or definitive, and such summaries, references and descriptions are qualified in their entireties by reference to such documents, and the description herein of the Bonds is qualified in its entirety by reference to the form thereof and the information with respect thereto included in the aforesaid documents. Copies of such documents may be obtained from the City.

Any statements in this Official Statement involving matters of opinion or estimates, whether or not expressly so stated, are intended as such and not as representations of fact, and no representation is made that any of the estimates will be realized. This Official Statement is not to be construed as a contract or agreement between the City and the purchasers or Owners of any of the Bonds.

The attached **APPENDICES A, B, C**, and **D** are integral parts of this Official Statement and must be read together with all of the foregoing statements.

It is anticipated that CUSIP identification numbers will be printed on the Bonds, but neither the failure to print such numbers on any Bonds nor any error in the printing of such numbers shall constitute cause for a failure or refusal by the purchaser thereof to accept delivery of and pay for any Bonds.

The City has reviewed the information contained herein which relates to it and has approved all such information for use within this Official Statement. The execution and delivery of this Official Statement has been duly authorized by the City.

/s/ DYLAN MULFINGER

City Administrator CITY OF OELWEIN Fayette County, Iowa /s/ BRETT DEVORE

Mayor
CITY OF OELWEIN
Fayette County, Iowa

APPENDIX A

CITY OF OELWEIN FAYETTE COUNTY, IOWA

FISCAL YEAR 2023 AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

CITY OF OELWEIN, IOWA

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SUPPLEMENTARY AND OTHER INFORMATION SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS

JUNE 30, 2023

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City of Oelwein, Iowa

Officials

Name	<u>Title</u>	Term Expires
Brett DeVore	Mayor	December 2023
Matt Weber Dave Lenz Lynda Payne Dave Garrigus Karen Seeders	Council Member Council Member Council Member Council Member Council Member	December 2023 December 2025 December 2023 December 2025 December 2025
Tom Stewart Dylan Mulfinger	Council Member City Administrator	December 2023 Indefinite
Barb Rigdon	City Clerk	Indefinite
Lynch Dallas, P.C.	City Attorney	Indefinite



Independent Auditor's Report

To the Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council:

Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

Opinions

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the City of Oelwein, Iowa, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2023, and the related Notes to Financial Statements, which collectively comprise the City's basic financial statements listed in the table of contents.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective cash basis financial position of the governmental activities, the business-type activities, each major fund, and the aggregate remaining fund information of the City of Oelwein, as of June 30, 2023, and the respective changes in its cash basis financial position for the year then ended, in accordance with the cash basis of accounting described in Note 1.

Basis for Opinions

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of the City and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinions.

Basis of Accounting

We draw attention to Note 1 of the financial statements, which describes the basis of accounting. The financial statements are prepared on the cash basis of accounting, which is a basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Our opinions are not modified with respect to this matter.

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with the cash basis of accounting described in Note 1, and for determining that the cash basis of accounting is an acceptable basis for the preparation of the financial statements in the circumstances. Management is also responsible for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the City's ability to continue as a going concern for twelve months beyond the financial statement date, including any currently known information that may raise substantial doubt shortly thereafter.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinions. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS and *Government Auditing Standards* will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgement made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS and Government Auditing Standards, we:

- Exercise professional judgement and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the City's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgement, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the City's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control-related matters that we identified during the audit.

Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming opinions on the financial statements that collectively comprise the City's basic financial statements. We previously audited, in accordance with the standards referred to in the "Auditors Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements" section of this report, the financial statements for the six years ended June 30, 2022, and other auditors previously audited in accordance with standards referred to in the third paragraph of this report, the financial statements for the three years ended June 30, 2016 (which are not presented herein) and expressed unmodified opinions on those financial statements which were prepared on the basis of cash receipts and disbursements. The supplementary information included in Schedules 1 through 7, including the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards required by Title 2, U.S. Code of Federal Regulations, Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards (Uniform Guidance), is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the basic financial statements or to the basic financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the supplementary information in Schedules 1 through 7 is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements as a whole.

Other Information

Management is responsible for the other information included in this report. The other information compromises the Management's Discussion and Analysis, the Budgetary Comparison Information, the Schedules of the City's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability and the Schedules of City Contributions on pages 5 through 11 and 34 through 41, but does not include the basic financial statements and our auditor's report thereon. Our opinions on the basic financial statements do not cover the other information, and we do not express an opinion or provide any assurance thereon.

In connection with our audit of the basic financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and consider whether a material inconsistency exists between the other information and the basic financial statements, or the other information otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work performed, we conclude that an uncorrected material misstatement of the other information exists, we are required to describe it in our report.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated October 23, 2023 on our consideration of the City's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements, and other matters. The purpose of that report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the City's internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the City's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

T.P. Anderson & Company, P.C.

October 23, 2023 Humboldt, Iowa

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

The City of Oelwein, Iowa, provides this Management's Discussion and Analysis of its financial statements. This narrative overview and analysis of the financial activities is for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2023. We encourage readers to consider this information in conjunction with the City's financial statements, which follow.

2023 FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- Receipts of the City's governmental activities decreased 35.3%, or approximately \$5,127,000, from fiscal 2022 to fiscal 2023. The decrease in receipts was primarily due to the absence of any loan proceeds received in FY23, compared to receipts of \$4,530,000 in loan proceeds received in fiscal year 2022.
- Disbursements in the City's governmental activities decreased 19.7%, or approximately \$2,313,000, in fiscal 2023 from fiscal 2022. The decrease in disbursements was largely attributed to reduced debt service expenditures for debt paid off in the prior fiscal year.
- The City's total cash basis net position increased approximately \$150,000 from June 30, 2022 to June 30, 2023. Of this amount, the assets of the governmental activities increased approximately \$589,000, while the assets of the business-type activities decreased approximately \$439,000.

USING THIS ANNUAL REPORT

The annual report consists of a series of financial statements and other information as follows:

Management's Discussion and Analysis introduces the basic financial statements and provides an analytical overview of the City's financial activities.

The Government-wide Financial Statement consists of a Cash Basis Statement of Activities and Net Position. This statement provides information about the activities of the City as a whole and presents an overall view of the City's finances.

The Fund Financial Statements tell how governmental services were financed as well as what remains for future spending. Fund financial statements report the City's operations in more detail than the government-wide financial statement by providing information about the most significant funds.

Notes to Financial Statements provide additional information essential to a full understanding of the data provided in the basic financial statements.

Other Information further explains and supports the financial statements with a comparison of the City's budget for the year and the City's proportionate share of the net pension liability and related contributions.

Supplementary Information provides detailed information about the nonmajor governmental and proprietary funds. In addition, the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards provides details of various federal programs benefiting the City.

BASIS OF ACCOUNTING

The City maintains its financial records on the basis of cash receipts and disbursements and the financial statements of the City are prepared on that basis. The cash basis of accounting does not give effect to accounts receivable, accounts payable, and accrued items. Accordingly, the financial statements do not present financial position and results of operations of the funds in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles. Therefore, when reviewing the financial information and discussion within this annual report, readers should keep in mind the limitations resulting from the use of the cash basis of accounting.

REPORTING THE CITY'S FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES

Government-wide Financial Statement

One of the most important questions asked about the City's finances is, "Is the City as a whole better off or worse off as a result of the year's activities?" The Cash Basis Statement of Activities and Net Position reports information which helps answer this question.

The Cash Basis Statement of Activities and Net Position presents the City's net position. Over time, increases or decreases in the City's net position may serve as a useful indicator of whether the financial position of the City is improving or deteriorating.

The Cash Basis Statement of Activities and Net Position is divided into two kinds of activities:

- Governmental Activities include public safety, public works, health and social services, culture and recreation, community and economic development, general government, debt service, and capital projects. Property tax and state and federal grants finance most of these activities.
- Business-Type Activities include the water, sewer, and related funds. These activities are financed primarily by user charges.

Fund Financial Statements

The City has two kinds of funds:

- 1) Governmental funds account for most of the City's basic services. These focus on how money flows into and out of those funds and the balances at year-end that are available for spending. The governmental funds include: 1) the General Fund, 2) Special Revenue Funds, such as Road Use Tax and Urban Renewal Tax Increment, 3) the Debt Service Fund, 4) Capital Projects Funds and 5) Permanent Funds. The governmental fund financial statements provide a detailed, short-term view of the City's general government operations and the basic services it provides. Governmental fund information helps determine whether there are more or fewer financial resources that can be spent in the near future to finance the City's programs.
 - The required financial statement for governmental funds is a Statement of Cash Receipts, Disbursements, and Changes in Cash Balances.
- 2) Proprietary funds account for the City's Enterprise Funds. Enterprise Funds are used to report business-type activities. The City maintains twelve Enterprise Funds to provide separate information for the City. The Water and Sewer funds are considered to be major funds of the City.
 - The required financial statement for proprietary funds is a Statement of Cash Receipts, Disbursements and Changes in Cash Balances.

GOVERNMENT-WIDE FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

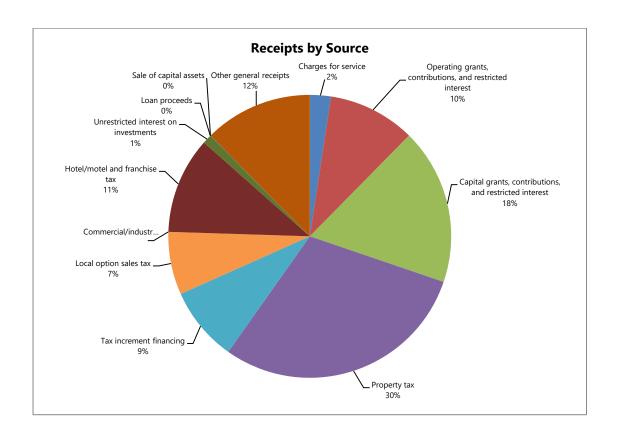
Net position may serve over time as a useful indicator of financial position. The City's cash balance for governmental activities increased from a year ago, increasing from \$7.65 million to \$8.24 million. The analysis that follows focuses on the changes in cash basis net position of governmental activities.

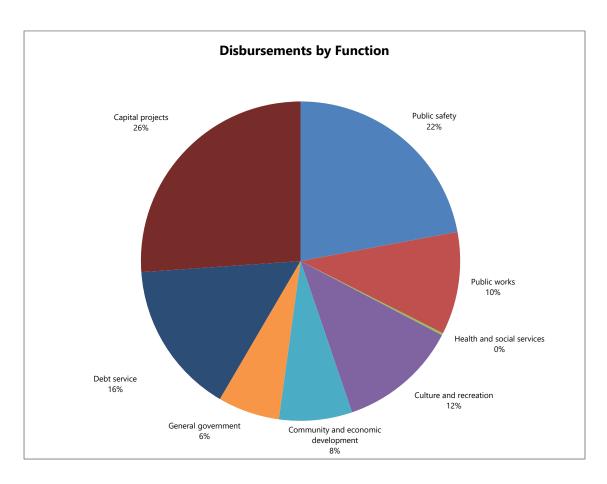
Changes in Cash Basis Net Position of Governmental Activities (Expressed in Thousands)

(Expressed in Thousands)	Year ended June 30,		
		2023	2022
Receipts:			
Program receipts:			
Charges for service	\$	232	202
Operating grants, contributions, and restricted interest		963	1,053
Capital grants, contributions, and restricted interest		1,227	2,199
General receipts:			
Property tax		2,855	2,902
Tax increment financing		824	1,007
Local option sales tax		694	757
Commercial/industrial property tax replacement		-	111
Hotel/motel and franchise tax		1,066	973
Unrestricted interest on investments		99	18
Loan proceeds		-	4,530
Sale of capital assets		6	137
Other general receipts		1,444	648
Total receipts		9,410	14,537
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Disbursements:			
Public safety		2,079	1,910
Public works		980	798
Health and social services		20	19
Culture and recreation		1,140	1,017
Community and economic development		698	940
General government		588	528
Debt service		1,458	3,669
Capital projects		2,460	2,855
Total disbursements		9,423	11,736
			_
Change in cash basis net position before transfers		(13)	2,801
Transfers, net		602	(1,028)
Change in cash basis net position		589	1,773
Cash basis net position, beginning of year		7,648	5,875
Cash basis net position, end of year	\$	8,237	7,648

The City's total receipts for governmental activities decreased by 35.3%, or approximately \$5,127,000, from the prior year. The total cost of all programs and services decreased by approximately \$2,313,000, or 19.7%. The decrease in receipts was primarily the result of decreased loan proceeds in the current year compared to the previous year.

The cost of all governmental activities this year was approximately \$9.4 million compared to approximately \$11.7 million last year. However, as shown in the Statement of Activities and Net Position on page 11, the amount taxpayers ultimately financed for these activities was only \$7.0 million because some of the cost was paid by those directly benefited from the programs (\$232,000) or by other governments and organizations which subsidized certain programs with grants, contributions, and restricted interest (\$2,190,000). The City paid for the remaining "public benefit" portion of governmental activities with property tax (some of which could only be used for certain programs) and with other receipts, such as interest, local option sales tax, and miscellaneous receipts.





Changes in Cash Basis Net Position of Business-Type Activities (Expressed in Thousands)

	 Year ended June 30,			
	2023	2022		
Receipts:				
Program receipts:				
Charges for service:				
Water	\$ 1,396	1,271		
Sewer	1,711	1,656		
Other	1,378	1,173		
Capital grants, contributions, and restricted interest	-	45		
General receipts:				
Unrestricted interest on investments	37	6		
Other general receipts	 6	4		
Total receipts	 4,528	4,155		
Disbursements:				
Water	1,289	2,105		
Sewer	1,492	1,586		
Other	1,585	1,665		
Total disbursements	 4,366	5,356		
Change in cash basis net position before transfers	162	(1,201)		
Transfers, net	 (602)	1,028		
Change in cash basis net position	(440)	(173)		
Cash basis net position, beginning of year	 2,555	2,728		
Cash basis net position, end of year	\$ 2,115	2,555		

Total business-type activity receipts for the fiscal year were approximately \$4.5 million compared to approximately \$4.2 million last year. The increase is due to higher receipts year-over-year for charges for services as well as from a donation received for capital projects.

INDIVIDUAL MAJOR GOVERNMENTAL FUND ANALYSIS

As the City of Oelwein completed the year, its governmental funds reported a combined fund balance of \$8,237,074, an increase of \$589,016 from last year's total of \$7,648,058. The following are the main reasons for the changes in fund balances of the major funds from the prior year.

- The General Fund cash balance increased \$300,743 from the prior year to \$1,404,075. The increase was due to planned operations of the fund.
- The Special Revenue, Road Use Tax Fund cash balance decreased \$191,479 from the prior year primarily due to higher expenses for planned capital projects.
- The Special Revenue, Economic Development Fund cash balance increased \$195,326 from the prior year primarily due to a reduction of transfers to the downtown business grant program during the year. The funding of that program can fluctuate year over year.
- The Special Revenue, Trust & Agency Fund cash balance decreased \$28,404 from the prior year primarily due to planned operations of the fund.

- The Debt Service Fund cash balance decreased \$76,397 to \$260,285. This was due to planned operations of the fund and paying debt according to debt schedules.
- The Capital Projects, Tri-Park Trail Extensions Fund cash balance increased \$54,462 from the prior year to \$853,263, as project expenditures decreased from the prior year while receipts remained steady.
- The Capital Projects, Cares Act cash balance increased \$859,064 from the prior year as the City receipted in grant funds but have not yet completed planned projects.

INDIVIDUAL MAJOR BUSINESS TYPE FUND ANALYSIS

- The Water Fund cash balance increased \$573,517 from the prior year to \$858,380, primarily due to a transfer from the water infrastructure fund to close out the fund.
- The Sewer Fund cash balance decreased \$169,775 from the prior year primarily due planned operations of the fund.

BUDGETARY HIGHLIGHTS

Over the course of the year, the City amended its budget once. The amendment was approved May 22, 2023 and resulted in increases to various categories of revenues and expenditures. The most significant increases were to budget for additional intergovernmental and other financing sources, and capital project and enterprise activities expenditures. During the year ended June 30, 2023, disbursements did not exceed budgeted limits.

DEBT ADMINISTRATION

At June 30, 2023, the City had \$14.0 million in bonds and other long-term debt outstanding, compared to \$16.1 million last year, as shown below.

	Debt at Year-End d in Thousands)		
		Year ended J	une 30,
		2023	2022
General obligation bonds	\$	8,635	9,750
Revenue notes		4,097	5,101
Other long-term debt		1,228	1,263
Total	\$	13,960	16,114

Outstanding debt decreased \$2.1 million due to debt service payments being made as scheduled.

The Constitution of the State of Iowa limits the amount of general obligation debt cities can issue to 5% of the assessed value of all taxable property within the City's corporate limits. The City's outstanding general obligation debt of \$8.6 million is below its constitutional debt limit of approximately \$15.3 million. Additional information about the City's long-term debt is presented in Note 3 to the financial statements.

ECONOMIC FACTORS AND NEXT YEAR'S BUDGETS AND RATES

The City of Oelwein's elected and appointed officials and citizens considered many factors when setting the fiscal year 2024 budget, tax rates and fees charged for various City activities. One of those factors is the economy. Unemployment in the City now stands at 3.4% versus 2.5% a year ago. This compares with the State's unemployment rate of 2.7% and the national rate of 3.8%.

These indicators were taken into account when adopting the budget for fiscal year 2024. Amounts available for appropriation in the operating budget are approximately \$15.0 million, an increase of 14.2% over the final fiscal year 2023 budget. The increase is due to the City budgeting higher intergovernmental funding receipts in the next

fiscal year. Budgeted disbursements increased approximately \$950,000, or 6.1% over the prior fiscal year. The increase is due to lower budgeted debt service payments and capital projects expenditures in fiscal 2023. The City has added no major new programs or initiatives to the fiscal year 2024 budget.

If the estimates are realized, the City's cash balance is expected to decrease approximately \$1.5 million by the close of fiscal year 2024.

CONTACTING THE CITY'S FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

This financial report is designed to provide our citizens, taxpayers, customers, and creditors with a general overview of the City of Oelwein's finances and to show the City's accountability for the money it receives. If you have any questions about this report or need additional financial information, contact Dylan Mulfinger, City Administrator, 20 Second Avenue SW, Oelwein, Iowa 50662.

Basic Financial Statements

City of Oelwein, Iowa Cash Basis Statement of Activities and Net Position As of and for the year ended June 30, 2023

				Program Receipts			
	Di	sbursements	Charges for Service		Capital Grants, Contributions, and Restricted Interest		
Functions/Programs:							
Governmental activities:							
Public safety	\$	2,078,676	57,160	42,230	-		
Public works		913,126	13,911	859,659	364,505		
Health and social services		19,667	-	-	-		
Culture and recreation		1,140,435	160,835	61,492	5,000		
Community and economic development		697,751	-	-	213,049		
General government		588,245	-	-	-		
Debt service		1,458,354	-	-	-		
Capital projects		2,527,004	-	-	644,835		
Total governmental activities		9,423,258	231,906	963,381	1,227,389		
Business-type activities:							
Water		1,289,336	1,395,461	-	-		
Sewer		1,491,854	1,711,362	-	-		
Other business-type activities		1,584,738	1,378,236	-	-		
Total business-type activities		4,365,928	4,485,059	-	-		
Total functions/programs	\$	13,789,186	4,716,965	963,381	1,227,389		

General Receipts and Transfers:

Property and other city tax levied for:

General purposes

Debt service

Tax increment financing

Local option sales tax

Hotel/motel and franchise tax

Unrestricted interest on investments

Loan proceeds

Miscellaneous

Sale of capital assets

Transfers

Total general receipts and transfers

Change in cash basis net position

Cash basis net position, beginning of year

Cash basis net position, end of year

Cash Basis Net Position

Restricted:

Nonexpendable:

Cemetery perpetual care

Expendable:

Streets

Employee benefits

Debt service

Other purposes

Unrestricted

Total cash basis net position

Net (Disbursements) Receipts and Changes in Cash Basis Net Position

Governmental Activities	Business-Type Activities	Total
(1,979,286)	_	(1,979,286)
324,949	_	324,949
(19,667)	_	(19,667)
(913,108)	_	(913,108)
(484,702)	_	(484,702)
(588,245)	_	(588,245)
(1,458,354)	_	(1,458,354)
(1,882,169)	_	(1,882,169)
(7,000,582)	-	(7,000,582)
	_	
-	106,125	106,125
-	219,508	219,508
-	(206,502)	(206,502)
_	119,131	119,131
(7,000,582)	119,131	(6,881,451)
2,384,210	_	2,384,210
470,546	_	470,546
823,599	_	823,599
694,494	_	694,494
1,066,083	_	1,066,083
99,240	37,281	136,521
-	-	-
1,444,217	5,732	1,449,949
5,697	-	5,697
601,512	(601,512)	-
7,589,598	(558,499)	7,031,099
589,016	(439,368)	149,648
7,648,058	2,555,140	10,203,198
\$ 8,237,074	2,115,772	10,352,846
\$ 295,032	-	295,032
507,104	-	507,104
533,555	-	533,555
260,285	240,308	500,593
5,601,055	141,231	5,742,286
1,040,043	1,734,233	2,774,276
\$ 8,237,074	2,115,772	10,352,846

City of Oelwein, Iowa

Statement of Cash Receipts, Disbursements, and Changes in Cash Balances Governmental Funds

As of and for the year ended June 30, 2023

	Special Revenue					
				Economic		
		General	Road Use Tax	Development	Trust & Agency	Debt Service
Receipts:						
Property tax	\$	1,419,692	=	-	911,866	459,267
Tax increment financing		-	-	-	-	-
Other city tax		78,873	-	-	25,942	11,279
Licenses and permits		90,318	-	-	-	-
Use of money and property		74,239	-	6,445	6,388	7,737
Intergovernmental		148,722	814,659	-	-	-
Charges for service		231,906	-	-	-	-
Special assessments		-	-	-	-	-
Miscellaneous		672,300			13,513	
Total receipts		2,716,050	814,659	6,445	957,709	478,283
Disbursements:						
Operating:						
Public safety		1,540,334	-	-	511,788	-
Public works		129,354	628,402	-	155,370	-
Health and social services		-	-	-	-	-
Culture and recreation		894,627	-	-	189,183	-
Community and economic dev.		-	-	318,805	33,829	-
General government		479,670	12,632	-	95,943	-
Debt service		-	=	-	-	1,458,354
Capital projects			345,104	2,545		
Total disbursements		3,043,985	986,138	321,350	986,113	1,458,354
Excess (deficiency) of receipts						
over (under) disbursements		(327,935)	(171,479)	(314,905)	(28,404)	(980,071)
, ,		(327,333)	(171,177)	(311,703)	(20,101)	(200,071)
Other financing sources (uses):						
Sale of capital assets		-	-	5,697	-	-
Transfers in		639,678	-	634,534	-	903,674
Transfers out		(11,000)	(20,000)	(130,000)		
Net other financing sources (uses)		628,678	(20,000)	510,231		903,674
Change in cash balances		300,743	(191,479)	195,326	(28,404)	(76,397)
Cash balances, beginning of year		1,103,332	698,583	676,485	561,959	336,682
Cash balances, end of year	\$	1,404,075	507,104	871,811	533,555	260,285
Cash Basis Fund Balances						
Nonspendable	\$	-	-	-	-	-
Restricted for:						
Streets		-	507,104	-	-	-
Employee benefits		-	-	-	533,555	-
Debt service		-	-	-	-	260,285
Other purposes		-	-	871,811	-	=
Committed		-	-	-	-	-
Unassigned		1,404,075				
Total cash basis fund balances	\$	1,404,075	507,104	871,811	533,555	260,285

See notes to financial statements.

Capital Project	S		
-Park Trail		NT .	T 1
xtensions C	ares Act	Nonmajor	Total
-	_	63,931	2,854,756
_	_	823,599	823,599
_	_	1,644,483	1,760,577
-	_	-	90,318
8,858	10,611	38,791	153,069
-	443,085	784,304	2,190,770
_	-	-	231,906
_	_	55,897	55,897
250,250	_	308,110	1,244,173
259,108	453,696	3,719,115	9,405,065
-	-	26,554	2,078,676
-	-	-	913,126
-	-	19,667	19,667
-	-	56,625	1,140,435
-	-	345,117	697,751
-	-	-	588,245
-	-	-	1,458,354
214,646	36,544	1,928,165	2,527,004
214,646	36,544	2,376,128	9,423,258
44,462	417,152	1,342,987	(18,193)
-	-	-	5,697
10,000	441,912	142,428	2,772,226
<u>-</u>	<u>-</u> -	(2,009,714)	(2,170,714)
10,000	441,912	(1,867,286)	607,209
54,462	859,064	(524,299)	589,016
798,801	<u> </u>	3,472,216	7,648,058
853,263	859,064	2,947,917	8,237,074
-	-	295,032	295,032
-	_	_	507,104
-	-	-	533,555
-	-	_	260,285
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Exhibit C

City of Oelwein, Iowa

Statement of Cash Receipts, Disbursements, and Changes in Cash Balances Proprietary Funds

As of and for the year ended June 30, 2023

	Enterprise				
		Water	Sewer	Nonmajor	Total
Operating receipts:					
Charges for service	\$	1,395,461	1,711,362	1,132,603	4,239,426
Intergovernmental				245,633	245,633
Miscellaneous		-	-	5,732	5,732
Total operating receipts		1,395,461	1,711,362	1,383,968	4,490,791
Operating disbursements:					
Business-type activities		894,093	763,667	1,030,375	2,688,135
Excess (deficiency) of operating receipts					
over (under) operating disbursements		501,368	947,695	353,593	1,802,656
Non-operating receipts (disbursements):					
Interest on investments		15,141	21,689	451	37,281
Debt service		(337,296)	(685,580)	-	(1,022,876)
Capital projects		(57,947)	(42,607)	(554,363)	(654,917)
Net non-operating receipts			,		
(disbursements)		(380,102)	(706,498)	(553,912)	(1,640,512)
Excess (deficiency) of receipts					
over (under) disbursements		121,266	241,197	(200,319)	162,144
Transfers in		555,221	50,940	66,470	672,631
Transfers out		(102,970)	(461,912)	(709,261)	(1,274,143)
Net transfers in (out)		452,251	(410,972)	(642,791)	(601,512)
Change in cash balances		573,517	(169,775)	(843,110)	(439,368)
Cash balances, beginning of year		284,863	1,477,265	793,012	2,555,140
Cash balances, end of year	\$	858,380	1,307,490	(50,098)	2,115,772
Cash Basis Fund Balances Restricted for:					
Debt service	\$	134,717	105,591	-	240,308
Other purposes		-	-	141,231	141,231
Unrestricted		723,663	1,201,899	(191,329)	1,734,233
Total cash basis fund balances	\$	858,380 \$	1,307,490	(50,098)	2,115,772

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(1) Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The City of Oelwein is a political subdivision of the State of Iowa located in Fayette County. It was first incorporated in 1873 and operates under the Home Rule provisions of the Constitution of Iowa. The City operates under the Mayor-Council form of government with the Mayor and Council Members elected on a non-partisan basis. The City provides numerous services to citizens including public safety, public works, health and social services, culture and recreation, community and economic development, and general government services. The City also provides water, sewer, garbage, and recycling services to its citizens.

A. Reporting Entity

For financial reporting purposes, the City of Oelwein has included all funds, organizations, account groups, agencies, boards, commissions and authorities. The City has also considered all potential component units for which it is financially accountable, and other organizations for which the nature and significance of their relationship with the City are such that exclusion would cause the City's financial statements to be misleading or incomplete. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) has set forth criteria to be considered in determining financial accountability. These criteria include appointing a voting majority of an organization's governing body, and (1) the ability of the City to impose its will on that organization or (2) the potential for the organization to provide specific benefits to, or impose specific financial burdens on the City. The City has no component units which meet the Governmental Accounting Standards Board criteria.

Jointly Governed Organizations

The City participates in several jointly governed organizations that provide goods or services to the citizenry of the City but do not meet the criteria of a joint venture since there is no ongoing financial interest or responsibility by the participating governments. City officials are members of the following boards and commissions: Fayette County's Assessor's Conference Board, Fayette County Homeland Security/Emergency Management Commission, Fayette County Compensation Board, Fayette County E911, Fayette County Local Emergency Planning Committee. Fayette County Solid Waste Management Commission, Bremer County/City of Oelwein Law Enforcement Mutual Aid, Fayette County Firemen's Association, Buchanan County Firemen's Association, Iowa Firemen's Association, Iowa Fire Chief's Association, Iowa Arson Investigators Association, International Fire Chief's Association, Oelwein Change and Area Development, Northeast Iowa City Managers, Northeast Iowa Regional League, Iowa League of Cities, Iowa City Management Association, Iowa Water Pollution Control Association, Northeast Iowa Clerks Association, Iowa Municipal Finance Officers Association, Iowa Police Chiefs Association, Peace Officers Association, International Association of Police Chiefs, Iowa Crime Prevention Association, Governors Inoperability Board, Iowa Association of Municipal Utilities, Iowa Rural Water Association, Iowa Municipal Workers Compensation Association, Trees Forever, National Arbor Day Foundation, Iowa Concrete Association, Iowa Asphalt Association, National Swimming Pool Association, Law Enforcement Intelligence Network, Upper Explorerland Regional Planning Commission, International City Management Association, Senior Human Resource Management, National City Manager Association, National Junior City Manager Association, Midwest Organized Crime Information Center, Fayette County Library Association, American Public Works Association and the Iowa Library Association.

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B. Basis of Presentation

<u>Government-wide Financial Statement</u> – The Cash Basis Statement of Activities and Net Position reports information on all the nonfiduciary activities of the City. For the most part, the effect of interfund activity has been removed from this statement. Governmental activities, which are supported by tax and intergovernmental revenues, are reported separately from business-type activities, which rely to a significant extent on fees and charges for services.

This Cash Basis Statement of Activities and Net Position presents the City's nonfiduciary net position. Net position is reported in the following categories/components:

Nonexpendable restricted net position is subject to externally imposed stipulations which require them to be maintained permanently by the City, including the City's Permanent Fund.

Expendable restricted net position result when constraints placed on the use of cash balances are either externally imposed or imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

Unrestricted net position consists of cash balances not meeting the definition of the preceding categories. Unrestricted net position is often subject to constraints on resources imposed by management which can be removed or modified.

The Cash Basis Statement of Activities and Net Position demonstrates the degree to which the direct disbursements of a given function are offset by program receipts. Direct disbursements are those clearly identifiable with a specific function. Program receipts include 1) charges to customers or applicants who purchase, use or directly benefit from goods, services or privileges provided by a given function and 2) grants, contributions and interest on investments restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function. Property tax and other items not properly included among program receipts are reported instead as general receipts.

<u>Fund Financial Statements</u> – Separate financial statements are provided for governmental funds and proprietary funds. Major individual governmental funds and major individual enterprise funds are reported as separate columns in the fund financial statements. All remaining governmental funds are aggregated and reported as nonmajor governmental funds.

The City reports the following major governmental funds:

The General Fund is the general operating fund of the City. All general tax receipts from general and emergency levies and other receipts not allocated by law or contractual agreement to some other fund are accounted for in this fund. From the fund are paid the general operating disbursements, the fixed charges and the capital improvement costs that are not paid from other funds.

Special Revenue:

The Economic Development Fund accounts for receipts and disbursements intended to foster and support economic growth and enhance quality of life in

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the City.

The Trust & Agency Fund is used to account for the property tax receipts and disbursements received and paid for employee's pension and benefit costs.

The Road Use Fund is used to account for the road use tax allocation from the State of Iowa to be used for road construction and maintenance.

The Debt Service Fund is utilized to account for property tax and other receipts to be used for the payment of interest and principal on the City's general obligation debt.

Capital Projects:

The Tri-Park Trail Extensions Fund accounts for receipts and disbursements intended for the Tri-Park Trail project.

The CARES Act Fund accounts for receipts and disbursements intended for the use of the federal dollars to be used in accordance with grant terms and conditions.

The City reports the following major proprietary funds:

The Water Fund accounts for operation and maintenance of the City's water system.

The Sewer Fund accounts for operation and maintenance of the City's waste water treatment and sanitary sewer system.

C. Measurement Focus and Basis of Accounting

The City maintains its financial records on the basis of cash receipts and disbursements and the financial statements of the City are prepared on that basis. The cash basis of accounting does not give effect to accounts receivable, accounts payable, and accrued items. Accordingly, the financial statements do not present financial position and results of operations of the funds in accordance with the U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

Under terms of grant agreements, the City funds certain programs by a combination of specific cost-reimbursement grants, categorical block grants and general receipts. Thus, when program disbursements are paid, there are both restricted and unrestricted cash basis net position available to finance the program. It is the City's policy to first apply cost-reimbursement grant resources to such programs, followed by categorical block grants and then by general receipts.

When a disbursement in governmental funds can be paid using either restricted or unrestricted resources, the City's policy is generally to first apply the disbursement toward restricted fund balance and then to less restrictive classifications - committed, assigned, and then unassigned fund balances.

Proprietary funds distinguish operating receipts and disbursements from non-operating items. Operating receipts and disbursements generally result from providing services and producing and

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delivering goods in connection with a proprietary fund's principal ongoing operations. All receipts and disbursements not meeting this definition are reported as non-operating receipts and disbursements.

D. Property Taxes and Governmental Cash Basis Fund Balances

The following accounting policies are followed in preparing the financial statements:

Property tax revenues recognized in the governmental funds become due and collectible in September and March of the current fiscal year with a 1½% per month penalty for delinquent payments; is based on January 1, 2021 assessed property valuations; is for the tax accrual period July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2023 and reflects tax asking contained in the budget certified to the City Council in March 2022.

In the governmental fund financial statements, cash basis fund balances are classified as follows:

<u>Nonspendable</u> – Amounts which cannot be spent because they are legally or contractually required to be maintained intact.

<u>Restricted</u> – Amounts restricted to specific purposes when constraints placed on the use of the resources are either externally imposed by creditors, grantors, or state or federal laws or imposed by law through constitutional provisions or enabling legislation.

<u>Committed</u> – Amounts restricted to specific purposes when constraints placed on the use of resources are internally imposed in formal action by the City Council.

Assigned – Amounts the Council intends to use for specific purposes.

Unassigned – All amounts not included in other spendable classifications.

E. <u>Budgets and Budgetary Accounting</u>

The budgetary comparison and related disclosures are reported as Other Information. During the year ended June 30, 2023, disbursements did not exceed the amounts budgeted.

(2) Cash and Pooled Investments

The City's deposits in banks at June 30, 2023 were entirely covered by federal depository insurance, or by the State Sinking Fund in accordance with Chapter 12C of the Code of Iowa. This chapter provides for additional assessments against the depositories to ensure there will be no loss of public funds.

The City is authorized by statute to invest public funds in obligations of the United States government, its agencies and instrumentalities; certificates of deposit or other evidences of deposit at federally insured depository institutions approved by the City Council; prime eligible bankers acceptances; certain high rated commercial paper; perfected repurchase agreements; certain registered open-end management investment companies; certain joint investment trusts; and warrants or improvement certificates of a drainage district.

The City had no investments meeting the disclosure requirements of Governmental Accounting Standards

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<u>Interest rate risk</u> – The City's investment policy limits the investment of operating funds (funds expected to be expended in the current budget year or within 15 months of receipt) to instruments that mature within 397 days. Funds not identified as operating funds may be invested in investments with maturities longer than 397 days, but the maturities shall be consistent with the needs and use of the City.

(3) Bonds and Notes Payable

A summary of changes in bonds and notes payable for the year ended June 30, 2023 is as follows:

	В	Beginning			Ending	Due Within
	Е	Balances	Increases	Decreases	Balances	One Year
Governmental activities:						
Urban Renewal Tax Increment	\$	3,000,000	-	450,000	2,550,000	460,000
General Obligation Bonds		6,750,000	-	665,000	6,085,000	610,000
Other long-term debt		1,263,124	-	34,819	1,228,305	51,390
Governmental activities total	\$	11,013,124	-	1,149,819	9,863,305	1,121,390
Business type activities:						
Water Revenue Notes	\$	2,222,137	-	376,000	1,846,137	386,000
Sewer Revenues Notes		2,879,000	-	628,000	2,251,000	613,000
Business type activities total	\$	5,101,137	-	1,004,000	4,097,137	999,000

General Obligation Debt

A summary of the City's June 30, 2023 general obligation bonds payable is as follows:

	Oelv	vein Chamber and A	rea	St	reet & Infrastructur	e
		Development Inc.			Improvements	
Year	I	ssued Feb. 16, 2016		Is	ssued Sept. 22, 2010	5
Ending	Interest			Interest		
June 30,	Rates	Principal	Interest	Rates	Principal	Interest
2024	3.10%	\$ 460,000	92,000	1.65%	\$ 60,000	8,058
2025	3.40%	470,000	77,740	1.65%	75,000	7,068
2026	3.60%	485,000	61,760	2.00%	75,000	5,830
2027	3.80%	550,000	44,300	2.00%	40,000	4,330
2028	4.00%	585,000	23,400	2.00%	40,000	3,530
2029-2033		-	-	2.10%	130,000	2,730
Total	_	\$ 2,550,000	299,200	_	\$ 420,000	31,545

_	Capital Improvements			C	apital Improvemen	ts
Year	Is	ssued Feb. 25, 2020		I	ssued Apr. 12, 2022	2
Ending	Interest			Interest		
June 30,	Rates	Principal	Interest	Rates	Principal	Interest
2024	2.00%	\$ 210,000	37,300	2.125%	\$ 340,000	83,100
2025	2.00%	220,000	33,100	2.125%	345,000	75,875
2026	2.00%	225,000	28,700	2.125%	355,000	68,544
2027	2.00%	235,000	24,200	2.125%	360,000	61,000
2028	2.00%	240,000	19,500	2.125%	370.000	53,350
2029-2033	2.00%	735,000	34,600	2.125-2.5%	1,720,000	144,706

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2034-2038			2.50%	310,000	11,625
Total	\$ 1,865,000	177,400		\$ 3,800,000	498,200

Year		Totals	
Ending			
June 30,	Principal	Interest	Totals
2024	\$ 1,070,000	220,458	1,290,458
2025	1,110,000	193,783	1,303,783
2026	1,140,000	164,834	1,304,834
2027	1,185,000	133,830	1,318,830
2028	1,235,000	99,780	1,334,780
2029-2033	2,585,000	182,036	2,767,036
2034-2038	310,000	11,625	321,625
Total	\$ 8,635,000	1,006,345	9,641,345

On February 16, 2016, the City issued \$4,300,000 of urban renewal general obligation bonds with an interest rate ranging from 2.0-4.0% per annum. The bonds were issued for expenses related to making an urban renewal economic development grant to Oelwein Chamber and Area Development Inc. in connection with the acquisition of East Penn Manufacturing real estate. During the year ended June 30, 2023, the City paid \$450,000 of principal and \$104,600 of interest on the bonds.

On September 22, 2016, the City issued \$1,100,000 of general obligation bonds with an interest rate ranging from 1.0-2.1% per annum. The bonds were issued for expenses related to finance the construction of street, sanitary sewer, sewage treatment and waterworks improvement and acquisition of equipment for the City's street department. During the year ended June 30, 2023, the City paid \$135,000 of principal and \$9,948 of interest on the bonds.

On February 25, 2020, the City issued \$2,385,000 of general obligation bonds with an interest rate of 2.0% per annum. The bonds were issued for expenses related to improvements to streets, the acquisition of emergency communication equipment for the police department, the acquisition of equipment for the fire department, improvements and adding trails to the City's system of trails, and improvements and upgrading equipment at the Municipal Swimming Pool. During the year ended June 30, 2023, the City paid \$210,000 of principal and \$41,500 of interest on the bonds.

On April 12, 2022, the City issued \$4,120,000 of general obligation bonds with an interest rate ranging from 2.125-2.50% per annum. The bonds were issued for expenses related to improvements to streets, sanitary sewer system, storm water drainage, water system and sidewalk improvements, along with acquiring and installing street lighting, signage, and signalization improvements, acquisition of dangerous, dilapidated, and/or abandoned properties, acquiring vehicles and equipment for the municipal fire department, and improvements to the municipal aquatic center, recreation trails, and city hall. During the year ended June 30, 2023, the City paid \$320,000 of principal and \$102,136 of interest on the bonds.

Revenue Notes

A summary of the City's June 30, 2022 revenue notes payable is as follows:

	Sewer			Water		
Year	Issued June 27, 2005			Is	ssued Sept. 15, 201	0
Ending	Interest			Interest		
June 30,	Rates	Principal	Interest	Rates	Principal	Interest
2024	3.0%	\$ 551,000	29,785	3.0%	\$ 103,000	12,570
2025	3.0%	567,000	20,143	3.0%	106,000	9,570

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2026	3.0%	584,000	10,220	3.0%	110,000	6,480
2027		-	-		-	-
2028		-	-		-	-
2029-2033		-	-		-	-
2034-2038		-			-	
Total		\$ 1,702,000	60,148		\$ 319,000	19,350

	•	Sewer		•	Water	
Year	Is	ssued Nov. 9, 2012		Is	ssued Sept. 22, 201	5
Ending	Interest			Interest		
June 30,	Rates	Principal	Interest	Rates	Principal	Interest
2024	2.0%	\$ 46,000	7,875	1.85%	\$ 75,000	6,308
2025	2.0%	47,000	7,070	1.85%	80,000	4,920
2026	2.0%	48,000	6,248	2.15%	80,000	3,440
2027	2.0%	49,000	5,408	2.15%	80,000	1,720
2028	2.0%	50,000	4,550		-	-
2029-2033	2.0%	210,000	9,275		-	-
2034-2038		-	-		-	-
Total	_	\$ 450,000	40,425	_	\$ 315,000	16,388

		Sewer			Water	
Year	Is	sued Apr 13, 2018		Is	ssued Apr. 13, 2018	
Ending	Interest		_	Interest		
June 30,	Rates	Principal	Interest	Rates	Principal	Interest
2024	2.0%	\$ 16,000	4,393	2.0%	\$ 66,000	20,108
2025	2.0%	16,000	4,113	2.0%	68,000	18,953
2026	2.0%	16,000	3,833	2.0%	69,000	17,762
2027	2.0%	17,000	3,553	2.0%	71,000	16,555
2028	2.0%	17,000	3,255	2.0%	72,000	15,313
2029-2033	2.0%	17,000	2,958	2.0%	381,000	57,190
2034-2038		-		2.0%	349,000	22,453
Total	_	\$ 99,000	22,103	_	\$ 1,076,000	168,332

		Water				
Year	Is	sued May 28, 2021			Totals	
Ending June 30,	Interest Rates	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest	Total
2024	1.75%	\$ 142,000	7,595	\$ 999,000	85,633	1,084,633
2025	1.75%	145,000	5,110	1,029,000	66,788	1,095,788
2026	1.75%	147,000	2,573	1,054,000	47,375	1,101,375
2027		-	-	217,000	27,235	244,235
2028		-	-	139,000	23,118	162,118
2029-2033		-	-	608,000	69,423	677,423
2034-2038		-	-	349,000	22,453	371,453
Total		\$ 434,000	15,278	\$ 4,395,000	342,022	4,737,022

The City has pledged future water customer receipts, net of specific operating disbursements to repay \$3,546,000 in revenue bonds issued in September 2010, September 2016, April 2018, and May 2021. Proceeds from the notes provided financing for the improvements to the water distribution system. The notes are payable solely from water customer net receipts and are payable through 2038. The total principal and interest remaining to be paid on the notes is \$2,363,347. For the current year, principal and interest paid and total customer net receipts were \$337,296 and \$501,368, respectively.

The City has pledged future sewer customer receipts, net of specific operating disbursements to repay \$10,192,000 in revenue bonds issued in June 2005, November 2012 and April 2018. Proceeds from the

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notes provided financing for the construction and improvements to the sewer treatment system. The notes are payable solely from sewer customer net receipts and are payable through 2035. The total principal and interest remaining to be paid on the notes is \$2,373,675. For the current year, principal and interest paid and total customer net receipts were \$685,580 and \$947,695, respectively.

The resolutions providing for the issuance of the revenue bonds include the following provisions:

- (a) The bonds/notes will only be redeemed from the future earnings of the enterprise activity and the note holders hold a lien on the future earnings of the fund.
- (b) Sufficient monthly transfers shall be made to separate water and sewer revenue note sinking accounts within the Enterprise Funds for the purpose of making the note principal and interest payments when due.
- (c) Additional monthly transfers shall be made to a water reserve account within the Enterprise Funds until a specific minimum balance has been accumulated in the account. This account is restricted for the purpose of paying for any additional improvements, extensions or repairs to the system.
- (d) The notes require the system generate sewer and water net revenues sufficient to 110% of the current year principal and interest installment. The Series 2021 Water Revenue bond requires the system generate water net revenue sufficient to 120% of the current year principal and interest installment until the Series 2016D bonds have been paid.

Other Long-Term Debt

The City has entered into three loan agreements with the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) in April 2008, September 2015 and October 2019 to administer an Intermediary Relending Program (IRP) with a maximum limit of \$500,000 for each loan.

The IRP loans are used to help finance businesses in the City that will create permanent employment, diversification of the local economy, or increase the local tax base of the City. Community development projects are also eligible for IRP loans. The total principal and interest remaining to be paid on the notes is \$1,379,652.

For the current year, principal and interest paid to the USDA by the City were \$47,450 and payments received from businesses to the City were \$209,876. A summary of the City's June 30, 2023 other long term debt payable is as follows:

Year	USDA	A	USD	PΑ	USD	PΑ		
Ending	Relendin	ıg #1	Relendi	ng #2	Relendi	ng #3	To	tal
June 30,	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest	Principal	Interest
2024	18,283	2,942	16,884	4,341	16,223	5,000	51,390	12,283
2025	18,466	2,759	17,053	4,173	16,385	4,838	51,904	11,770
2026	18,650	2,575	17,223	4,002	16,549	4,674	52,422	11,251
2027	18,837	2,388	17,395	3,830	16,714	4,508	52,947	10,726
2028	19,025	2,200	17,569	3,656	16,881	4,341	53,476	10,197
2029-2033	98,018	8,107	90,518	15,604	86,974	19,140	275,509	42,852
2034-2038	102,908	3,376	95,135	10,990	91,410	14,704	289,453	29,070
2039-2043	_	_	99,988	6,137	96,073	10,041	196,061	16,178
2044-2048	-	-	62,355	1,251	100,974	5,140	163,329	6,391
2049-2053	-	-	-	-	41,817	628	41,817	628
-	\$ 294,187	24,349	434,119	53,983	500,000	73,015	1,228,306	151,346

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(4) Pension Plan

<u>Plan Description</u> – IPERS membership is mandatory for employees of the City, except for those covered by another retirement system. Employees of the City are provided with pensions through a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan administered by the Iowa Public Employees' Retirement System (IPERS). IPERS issues a stand-alone financial report which is available to the public by mail at PO Box 9117, Des Moines, Iowa 50306-9117 or at www.ipers.org.

IPERS benefits are established under Iowa Code Chapter 97B and the administrative rules thereunder. Chapter 97B and the administrative rules are the official plan documents. The following brief description is provided for general informational purposes only. Refer to the plan documents for more information.

<u>Pension Benefits</u> – A regular member may retire at normal retirement age and receive monthly benefits without an early-retirement reduction. Normal retirement age is age 65, any time after reaching age 62 with 20 or more years of covered employment, or when the member's years of service plus the member's age at the last birthday equals or exceeds 88, whichever comes first. These qualifications must be met on the member's first month of entitlement to benefits. Members cannot begin receiving retirement benefits before age 55. The formula used to calculate a regular member's monthly IPERS benefit includes:

- A multiplier based on years of service.
- The member's highest five-year average salary, except members with service before June 30, 2012 will use the highest three-year average salary as of that date if it is greater than the highest five-year average salary.

If a member retires before normal retirement age, the member's monthly retirement benefit will be permanently reduced by an early-retirement reduction. The early-retirement reduction is calculated differently for service earned before and after July 1, 2012. For service earned before July 1, 2012, the reduction is 0.25% for each month that the member receives benefits before the member's earliest normal retirement age. For service earned starting July 1, 2012, the reduction is 0.50% for each month that the member receives benefits before age 65.

Generally, once a member selects a benefit option, a monthly benefit is calculated and remains the same for the rest of the member's lifetime. However, to combat the effects of inflation, retirees who began receiving benefits prior to July 1990 receive a guaranteed dividend with their regular November benefit payments.

<u>Disability and Death Benefits</u> – A vested member who is awarded federal Social Security disability or Railroad Retirement disability benefits is eligible to claim IPERS benefits regardless of age. Disability benefits are not reduced for early retirement. If a member dies before retirement, the member's beneficiary will receive a lifetime annuity or a lump-sum payment equal to the present actuarial value of the member's accrued benefit or calculated with a set formula, whichever is greater. When a member dies after retirement, death benefits depend on the benefit option the member selected at retirement.

<u>Contributions</u> – Contribution rates are established by IPERS following the annual actuarial valuation which applies IPERS' Contribution Rate Funding Policy and Actuarial Amortization Method. State statute limits the amount rates can increase or decrease each year to 1 percentage point. IPERS Contribution Rate Funding Policy requires the actuarial contribution rate be determined using the "entry age normal" actuarial cost method and the actuarial assumptions and methods approved by the IPERS Investment Board. The actuarial contribution rate covers normal cost plus the unfunded actuarial liability payment based on a 30-year amortization period. The payment to amortize the unfunded actuarial liability is

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determined as a level percentage of payroll based on the Actuarial Amortization Method adopted by the Investment Board.

In fiscal year 2023, pursuant to the required rate, Regular members contributed 6.29% of covered payroll and the City contributed 9.44% of covered payroll, for a total rate of 15.73%.

The City's contributions to IPERS for the year ended June 30, 2023 totaled \$168,178.

Net Pension Liability, Pension Expense, and Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions – At June 30, 2023, the City reported a liability of \$748,830 for its proportionate share of the net pension liability. The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2022 and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date. The City's proportion of the net pension liability was based on the City's share of contributions to IPERS relative to the contributions of all IPERS participating employers. At June 30, 2022, the City's proportion was 0.018867%, which was a decrease of 0.002256% from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2021.

For the year ended June 30, 2023, the City's pension expense, deferred outflows of resources, and deferred inflows of resources totaled (\$10,752), \$758,869 and \$815,473, respectively.

There were no non-employer contributing entities to IPERS.

<u>Actuarial Assumptions</u> – The total pension liability in the June 30, 2022 actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods included in the measurement:

Rate of inflation
(effective June 30, 2017)
Rates of salary increase
(effective June 30, 2017)
Long-term investment rate of return
(effective June 30, 2017)
Wage growth
(effective June 30, 2017)

2.60% per annum.
3.25 to 16.25% average, including inflation.
Rates vary by membership group.
7.00% compounded annually, net of investment expense, including inflation.
3.25% per annum, based on 2.60% inflation and 0.65% real wage inflation.

The actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2022 valuation were based on the results of a quadrennial experience study covering the period of July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2021.

Mortality rates used in the 2022 valuation were based on the PubG-2010 mortality tables with future mortality improvements modeled using Scale MP-2021.

The long-term expected rate of return on pension plan investments was determined using a building-block method in which best-estimate ranges of expected future real rates (expected returns, net of pension plan investment expense and inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target asset allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation. The target allocation and best estimates of geometric real rates of return for each major asset class are summarized in the following table:

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	Asset	Long-Term Expected
Asset Class	Allocation	Real Rate of Return
Domestic equity	22.0%	3.57%
International equity	17.5	4.79
Global smart beta equity	6.0	4.16
Core plus fixed income	20.0	1.66
Public credit	4.0	3.77
Cash	1.0	0.77
Private equity	13.0	7.57
Private real assets	8.5	3.55
Private credit	8.0	3.63
Total	100.0%	

<u>Discount Rate</u> – The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.00%. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed employee contributions will be made at the contractually required rate and contributions from the City will be made at contractually required rates, actuarially determined. Based on those assumptions, IPERS' fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments of current active and inactive employees. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on IPERS' investments was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability.

Sensitivity of City's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability (Asset) to Changes in the Discount Rate – The following presents the City's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset) calculated using the discount rate of 7.00%, as well as what the City's proportionate share of the net pension liability (asset) would be if it were calculated using a discount rate that is 1% lower (6.00%) or 1% higher (8.00%) than the current rate.

	1%	Discount	1%
	Decrease	Rate	Increase
	(6.00%)	(7.00%)	(8.00%)
City's proportionate share of			
the net pension liability	\$ 1,395,161	748,830	179,235

<u>IPERS' Fiduciary Net Position</u> – Detailed information about IPERS' fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued IPERS financial report which is available on IPERS' website at <u>www.ipers.org</u>.

Municipal Fire and Police Retirement System of Iowa (MFPRSI)

<u>Plan Description</u> – MFPRSI membership is mandatory for fire fighters and police officers covered by the provisions of Chapter 411 of the Code of Iowa. Employees of the City are provided with pensions through a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan administered by MFPRSI. MFPRSI issues a stand-alone financial report which is available to the public by mail at 7155 Lake Drive, Suite #201, West Des Moines, Iowa 50266 or at www.mfprsi.org.

MFPRSI benefits are established under Chapter 411 of the Code of Iowa and the administrative rules thereunder. Chapter 411 of the Code of Iowa and the administrative rules are the official plan documents. The following brief description is provided for general informational purposes only. Refer to the plan document for more information.

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<u>Pension Benefits</u> – Members with 4 or more years of service are entitled to pension benefits beginning at age 55. Full-service retirement benefits are granted to members with 22 years of service, while partial benefits are available to those members with 4 to 22 years of service based on the ratio of years completed to years required (i.e. 22 years). Members with less than 4 years of service are entitled to a refund of their contribution only, with interest, for the period of employment.

Benefits are calculated based upon the member's highest 3 years of compensation. The average of these 3 years becomes the member's average final compensation. The base benefit is 66% of the member's average final compensation. Members who perform more than 22 years of service receive an additional 2% of the member's average final compensation for each additional year of service, up to a maximum of 8 years. Survivor benefits are available to the beneficiary of a retired member according to the provisions of the benefit option chosen, plus an additional benefit for each child. Survivor benefits are subject to a minimum benefit for those members who chose the basic benefit with a 50% surviving spouse benefit.

Active members at least 55 years of age with 22 or more years of service have the option to participate in the Deferred Retirement Option Program (DROP). The DROP is an arrangement whereby a member who is otherwise eligible to retire and commence benefits opts to continue to work. A member can elect a 3, 4, or 5 year DROP period. When electing to participate in DROP, the member signs a contract stating the member will retire at the end of the selected DROP period. During the DROP period, the member's retirement benefit is frozen and a DROP benefit is credited to a DROP account established for the member. Assuming the member completes the DROP period, the DROP benefit is equal to 52% of the member's retirement benefit at the member's earliest date eligible and 100% if the member delays enrollment for 24 months. At the member's actual date of retirement, the member's DROP account will be distributed to the member in the form of a lump sum to rollover to an eligible plan.

<u>Disability</u> and <u>Death Benefits</u> – Disability benefits may be either accidental or ordinary. Accidental disability is defined as a permanent disability incurred in the line of duty, with benefits equivalent to the greater of 60% of the member's average final compensation or the member's service retirement benefit calculation amount. Ordinary disability occurs outside the call of duty and pays benefits equivalent to the greater of 50% of the member's average final compensation for those with 5 or more years of service or the member's service retirement benefit calculation amount and 25% of average final compensation for those with less than 5 years of service.

Death benefits are similar to disability benefits. Benefits for accidental death are 50% of the average final compensation of the member plus an additional amount for each child, or the provisions for ordinary death. Ordinary death benefits consist of a pension equal to 40% of the average final compensation of the member plus an additional amount for each child, or a lump-sum distribution to the designated beneficiary equal to 50% of the previous year's earnable compensation of the member or equal to the amount of the member's total contributions plus interest.

Benefits are increased annually in accordance with Chapter 411.6 of the Code of Iowa, which provides a standard formula for the increases.

The surviving spouse or dependents of an active member who dies due to a traumatic personal injury incurred in the line of duty receives a \$100,000 lump-sum payment.

<u>Contributions</u> – Member contribution rates are set by state statute. In accordance with Chapter 411 of the Code of Iowa, the contribution rate was 9.40% of earnable compensation for the year ended June 30, 2023.

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Employer contribution rates are based upon an actuarially determined normal contribution rate and set by state statute. The required actuarially determined contributions are calculated on the basis of the entry age normal method as adopted by the Board of Trustees as permitted under Chapter 411 of the Code of Iowa. The normal contribution rate is provided by state statute to be the actuarial liabilities of the plan less current plan assets, with such total divided by 1% of the actuarially determined present value of prospective future compensation of all members, further reduced by member contributions and state appropriations. Under the Code of Iowa, the City's contribution rate cannot be less than 17.00% of earnable compensation. The contribution rate was 23.90% for the year ended June 30, 2023.

The City's contributions to MFPRSI for the year ended June 30, 2023 totaled \$188,526.

If approved by the State Legislature, state appropriations may further reduce the City's contribution rate, but not below the minimum statutory contribution rate of 17.00% of earnable compensation. The State of Iowa, therefore, is considered to be a non-employer contributing entity in accordance with the provisions of Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 67, *Financial Reporting for Pension Plans*.

There were no state appropriations to MFPRSI during the year ended June 30, 2023.

Net Pension Liability, Pension Expense, Deferred Outflows of Resources and Deferred Inflows of Resources Related to Pensions – At June 30, 2023, the City reported a liability of \$1,133,165 for its proportionate share of the net pension liability. The net pension liability was measured as of June 30, 2022 and the total pension liability used to calculate the net pension liability was determined by an actuarial valuation as of that date. The City's proportion of the net pension liability was based on the City's share of contributions to the MFPRSI relative to the contributions of all MFPRSI participating employers. At June 30, 2022, the City's proportion was 0.201785%, which was a decrease of 0.004974% from its proportion measured as of June 30, 2021.

For the year ended June 30, 2023, the City's pension expense, deferred outflows of resources and deferred inflows of resources totaled \$107,130, \$779,054 and \$720,391, respectively.

<u>Actuarial Assumptions</u> – The total pension liability in the June 30, 2022 actuarial valuation was determined using the following actuarial assumptions, applied to all periods included in the measurement:

Rate of inflation 3.00% per annum.

Rates of salary increase 3.75 to 15.11% average, including inflation.

Investment rate of return 7.50%, net of investment expense, including inflation.

The actuarial assumptions used in the June 30, 2022 valuation were based on the results of an actuarial experience study for the period July 1, 2010 through June 30, 2020.

Mortality rates were based on the RP-2014 Blue Collar Combined Healthy Annuitant Table with males set forward zero years, females set forward two years and disabled individuals set forward three years (male only rates), with generational projection of future mortality improvement with 50% of Scale BB beginning in 2017.

The long-term expected rate of return on MFPRSI investments was determined using a building-block method in which best-estimate ranges of expected future real rates (i.e., expected returns, net of investment expense and inflation) are developed for each major asset class. These ranges are combined to produce the long-term expected rate of return by weighting the expected future real rates of return by the target asset

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allocation percentage and by adding expected inflation. The best estimates of geometric real rates of return for each major asset class are summarized in the following table:

	Long-Term Expected
Asset Class	Real Rate of Return
Broad Fixed Income	3.5%
Broad U.S. Equity	6.7
Global Equity	6.8
Broad Non-US Equity	7.0
Managed Futures	5.1
Emerging Market	7.2
Real Estate – Core	6.4
Opportunistic Real Estate	11.0
Global Infrastructure	6.8
Private Credit	8.6
Private Equity	12.0

<u>Discount Rate</u> – The discount rate used to measure the total pension liability was 7.50%. The projection of cash flows used to determine the discount rate assumed contributions will be made at 9.40% of covered payroll and the City's contributions will be made at rates equal to the difference between actuarially determined rates and the member rate. Based on those assumptions, the MFPRSI's fiduciary net position was projected to be available to make all projected future benefit payments to current plan members. Therefore, the long-term expected rate of return on MFPRSI's investments was applied to all periods of projected benefit payments to determine the total pension liability.

Sensitivity of the City's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability to Changes in the Discount Rate – The following presents the City's proportionate share of the net pension liability calculated using the discount rate of 7.50%, as well as what the City's proportionate share of the net pension liability would be if it were calculated using a discount rate 1% lower (6.50%) or 1% higher (8.50%) than the current rate.

	1%	Discount	1%
	Decrease	Rate	Increase
	(6.50%)	(7.50%)	(8.50%)
City's proportionate share of			
the net pension liability	\$ 2,050,817	1,133,165	372,877

<u>MFPRSI's Fiduciary Net Position</u> – Detailed information about MFPRSI's fiduciary net position is available in the separately issued MFPRSI financial report which is available on MFPRSI's website at www.mfprsi.org.

(5) Other Postemployment Benefits (OPEB)

<u>Plan Description</u> – The City operates a single-employer health benefit plan which provides medical/prescription drug benefits for employees, retirees, and their spouses. Group insurance benefits are established under Iowa Code Chapter 509A.13. The City currently finances the benefit plan on a pay-asyou-go basis. For the year ended June 30, 2023, the City contributed \$575,060 and plan members eligible for benefits contributed \$66,078 to the plan. At June 30, 2023, no assets have been accumulated in a trust that meets the criteria in paragraph 4 of GASB Statement No. 75.

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<u>OPEB Benefits</u> – Individuals who are employed by the City and are eligible to participate in the group health plan are eligible to continue healthcare benefits upon retirement. Retirees under age 65 pay the same premium for the medical/prescription drug benefits as active employees, which results in an implicit rate subsidy.

Retired participants must be age 55 or older at retirement, with the exception of special service participants who must be age 50 with 22 years of services. At June 30, 2023, there were 35 active and no retired members covered by the benefit terms.

(6) Compensated Absences

City employees accumulate a limited amount of earned but unused vacation and sick leave hours for subsequent use or for payment upon termination. Earned vacation is paid when used or when employment is terminated upon retirement or death. These accumulations are not recognized as expenditures by the City until they are used or paid.

Certain unused sick leave, while not payable to a City employee upon retirement, may be credited to a "benefit account." Amounts credited to the "benefit account" are based on an employee's pay rate, their accumulated sick leave hours, and their years of service. Funds deposited to these accounts may be used by a former employee for certain health care related expenses.

The City's approximate liability for earned vacation and sick leave payable at June 30, 2023, primarily relating to the General Fund, is as follows:

Type of Benefit	Amount
Vacation	\$ 142,923
Sick Leave	747,063
Total	\$ 889,986

This liability has been computed based on rates of pay in effect at July 1, 2024.

(7) Deficit Balances

At June 30, 2023, the following funds had deficit balances:

Fund:	 Amount:
Capital Project - Airport Grant	\$ (24,910)
Capital Project - Plaza Park Expansion	(339,122)
Proprietary - West Water Tower	(300,682)

The City is aware of these deficits, and is actively working to eliminate them.

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(8) Interfund Transfers

The detail of interfund transfers, for the year ended June 30, 2023 is as follows:

Transfer to	Transfer from	Amount
General	Special Revenue: Road Use Tax Emergency Local Option Sales Tax Hotel/Motel Tax Gas-Electric Franchise Economic Development	\$ 20,000 43,233 207,658 32,367 204,790 55,000
	Enterprise: Water Landfill Sewer	20,000 36,630 20,000 639,678
Special Revenue: Economic Development	Special Revenue: Local Option Sales Tax Downtown TIF	484,534 150,000 634,534
Special Revenue: Downtown Business Grants	Special Revenue: Economic Development	 75,000
Special Revenue: Volunteer Fire Department	General	 11,000
Debt Service	Special Revenue: Gas-Electric Franchise East Penn	159,001 661,703
	Enterprise: Water	82,970 903,674
Enterprise: Sewer Bond Sinking	Enterprise: Sewer Infrastructure	 50,940
Capital Projects: Tri Park Trail Extensions	Special Revenue: Hotel/Motel Tax	 10,000
Capital Projects: '23 HMA Paving Imp	Special Revenue: Special Assessments	 56,428

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Enterprise: Capital Projects:

Water West Water Tower Project 174,466

Enterprise:

Water Infrastructure Fee 380,755

555,221

Capital Projects: Enterprise:

Cares Act Sewer 441,912

Enterprise: Enterprise:

Reed Bed Exp Sewer Infrastructure 66,470

\$ 3,444,857

Transfers generally move resources from the fund statutorily required to collect the resources to the fund statutorily required to disburse the resources.

(9) Risk Management

The City is exposed to various risks of loss related to torts; theft, damage to and destruction of assets; errors and omissions; injuries to employees; and natural disasters. These risks are covered by the purchase of commercial insurance. The City assumes liability for any deductibles and claims in excess of coverage limitations. Settled claims from these risks have not exceeded commercial insurance coverage in any of the past three fiscal years.

(10) Related Party Transactions

The City had business transactions between the City and City officials totaling \$100,349 during the year ended June 30, 2023.

(11) Contracts/Commitments

In 2016, the City agreed to contribute \$350,000 to the Oelwein Community School District over a period of ten years for the College and Career Ready Program. The amount remaining on this commitment is \$140,000 at June 30, 2023.

The City has contracted with Fayette County Solid Waste Management Commission for solid waste disposal. Total payments by the City under this agreement for the year ended June 30, 2023 were \$197,313. This agreement is perpetual unless otherwise terminated or dissolved. The City is assessed a fee based on tonnage received at the landfill. The fee is adjusted annually.

The City has contracted with Black Hawk Waste Disposal for the collection and hauling of residential solid waste. The City bills and collects the fees for this service according to the rates prescribed in the agreement. Total payments by the City under this agreement for the year ended June 30, 2023 were \$258,020. This agreement extends through April 1, 2023.

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The City has contracted with Kluesner Sanitation LLC for the collection and hauling of residential solid waste. The City bills and collects the fees for this service according to the rates prescribed in the agreement. Total payments by the City under this agreement for the year ended June 30, 2023 were \$95,419. This agreement extends through March 31, 2028.

The City has contracted with Oelwein Community School District for the shared use and occupancy of Oelwein Wellness Center on September 1, 2019. Oelwein Community School District agrees to pay \$24,000 each year for the use of the Wellness facility. This agreement extends through August 31, 2024.

(12) Lease Receivable

The City has an agreement to lease tillable land to a third party that began March 1, 2022 and is effective for a 3 year period. The City is to receive \$36,225 in land rent annually with an estimated incremental lending rate of 5.0%.

Year Ended June 30,	Principal	Interest	Total
2024	\$ 35,040	\$ 1,185	\$ 36,225

(13) Litigation

The City is subject to pending litigation where the estimate of damages and probability of loss, if any, is undeterminable as of June 30, 2023.

(14) Development Agreements

<u>Forsyth Management Company, LLC</u> - The City agreed to pay an amount not to exceed \$750,000 subject to annual appropriation by the City Council. The agreement requires up to ten annual payments, provided the developer is in compliance with the terms of the agreement. During the year ended June 30, 2023, the City rebated \$49,661 of incremental property tax to the developer. At June 30, 2023 the remaining balance to be paid on the agreement was approximately \$269,826.

Boulders Inn/Cornerstone Inn - The City agreed to pay an amount not to exceed \$395,000 subject to annual appropriation by the City Council. The agreement requires up to ten annual payments, provided the developer is in compliance with the terms of the agreement. During the year ended June 30, 2023, the City rebated \$28,134 of incremental property tax to the developer. At June 30, 2023 the remaining balance to be paid on the agreement was approximately \$269,646.

<u>Performance Rehab</u> - The City agreed to pay an amount not to exceed \$30,000 subject to annual appropriation by the City Council. The agreement requires up to five annual payments, provided the developer is in compliance with the terms of the agreement. During the year ended June 30, 2023, the City rebated \$2,126 of incremental property tax to the developer. At June 30, 2023 the remaining balance to be paid on the agreement was approximately \$15,577.

<u>ICE Manufacturing</u> - The City agreed to pay an amount not to exceed \$106,750 subject to annual appropriation by the City Council. The agreement requires up to ten annual payments, provided the developer is in compliance with the terms of the agreement. During the year ended June 30, 2023, the City rebated \$3,236 of incremental property tax to the developer. At June 30, 2023 the remaining balance to be paid on the agreement was approximately \$103,514.

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(15) Tax Abatements

Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 77 defines tax abatements as a reduction in tax revenues that results from an agreement between one or more governments and an individual or entity in which (a) one or more governments promise to forgo tax revenues to which they are otherwise entitled and (b) the individual or entity promises to take a specific action after the agreement has been entered into that contributes to economic development or otherwise benefits the governments or the citizens of those governments.

City Tax Abatements

The City provides tax abatements for urban renewal and economic development projects with tax increment financing as provided for in Chapters 15A and 403 of the Code of Iowa. For these types of projects, the City enters into agreements with developers which require the City, after developers meet the terms of the agreements, to rebate a portion of the property tax paid by the developers, to pay the developers an economic development grant or pay the developers a predetermined dollar amount. No other commitments were made by the City as part of these agreements.

For the year ended June 30, 2023, the City abated \$95,634 of property tax under the urban renewal and economic development projects.

(16) Subsequent Events

In preparing the financial statements, the City has evaluated events and transactions for potential recognition or disclosure through the date of the independent auditor's report, which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

Subsequent to June 30, 2023, the City entered into a contract with Shift Companies for the Reed Bed Expansion and EQ Liner Replacement project for the amount of \$1,347,000. The City also subsequently approved a Sewer Revenue Loan and Disbursement Agreement for an amount not to exceed \$1,200,000.

OTHER INFORMATION

Budgetary Comparison Schedule of Receipts, Disbursements, and Changes in Balances -Budget and Actual (Cash Basis) - All Governmental Funds and Proprietary Funds

Other Information

Year ended June 30, 2023

	Governmental		Proprietary	
		Funds	Funds	
		Actual	Actual	Total
Receipts:				
Property tax	\$	2,854,756	-	2,854,756
Tax increment financing		823,599	-	823,599
Other city tax		1,760,577	-	1,760,577
Licenses and permits		90,318	-	90,318
Use of money and property		153,069	37,281	190,350
Intergovernmental		2,190,770	245,633	2,436,403
Charges for service		231,906	4,239,426	4,471,332
Special assessments		55,897	-	55,897
Miscellaneous		1,244,173	5,732	1,249,905
Total receipts		9,405,065	4,528,072	13,933,137
Disbursements:				
Public safety		2,078,676	-	2,078,676
Public works		913,126	-	913,126
Health and social services		19,667	-	19,667
Culture and recreation		1,140,435	-	1,140,435
Community and economic development		697,751	-	697,751
General government		588,245	-	588,245
Debt service		1,458,354	-	1,458,354
Capital projects		2,527,004	-	2,527,004
Business-type activities		-	4,365,928	4,365,928
Total disbursements		9,423,258	4,365,928	13,789,186
Excess (deficiency) of receipts				
over (under) disbursements		(18,193)	162,144	143,951
Other financing sources (uses), net		607,209	(601,512)	5,697
Excess of receipts and other financing				
sources over disbursements and other financing sources		589,016	(439,368)	149,648
Balances, beginning of year		7,648,058	2,555,140	10,203,198
Balances, end of year	\$	8,237,074	2,115,772	10,352,846

See accompanying independent auditor's report.

Final to								
Budgeted A	mounts	Total						
Original	Final	Variance						
2,757,508	2,757,508	97,248						
832,283	832,283	(8,684)						
1,483,643	1,623,643	136,934						
84,500	84,500	5,818						
91,165	211,165	(20,815)						
1,974,641	2,973,540	(537,137)						
4,763,250	5,063,250	(591,918)						
20,000	60,000	(4,103)						
128,700	221,700	1,028,205						
12,135,690	13,827,589	105,548						
1,971,237	2,285,237	206,561						
905,929	965,929	52,803						
31,000	31,000	11,333						
1,094,017	1,153,916	13,481						
1,062,930	1,077,930	380,179						
546,040	623,040	34,795						
1,592,909	1,600,909	142,555						
3,143,630	4,430,630	1,903,626						
4,788,169	5,097,169	731,241						
15,135,861	17,265,760	3,476,574						
13,133,001	17,200,700	3,170,371						
(3,000,171)	(3,438,171)	3,582,122						
406,000	406,000	(400,303)						
(2,594,171)	(3,032,171)	3,181,819						
9,856,452	9,856,452	346,746						
7,262,281	6,824,281	3,528,565						

Notes to Other Information – Budgetary Reporting

June 30, 2023

The budgetary comparison is presented in accordance with Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 41 for governments with significant budgetary perspective differences resulting from not being able to present budgetary comparisons for the General Fund and each major Special Revenue Fund.

In accordance with the Code of Iowa, the City Council annually adopts a budget on the cash basis following required public notice and hearing for all funds except Internal Service Funds. The annual budget may be amended during the year utilizing similar statutorily prescribed procedures.

Formal and legal budgetary control is based upon nine major classes of disbursements known as functions, not by fund. These nine functions are: public safety, public works, health and social services, culture and recreation, community and economic development, general government, debt service, capital projects, and business-type activities. Function disbursements required to be budgeted include disbursements for the General Fund, Special Revenue Funds, the Debt Service Fund, Capital Projects Funds, the Permanent Fund, and the Enterprise Funds. Although the budget document presents function disbursements by fund, the legal level of control is at the aggregated function level, not by fund. During the year, one budget amendment increased budgeted disbursements by \$2,129,899. The budget amendment is reflected in the final budgeted amounts.

During the year ended June 30, 2023, disbursements did not exceed budgeted limits.

City of Oelwein

Schedule of the City's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability

Iowa Public Employees' Retirement System For the Last Nine Years* (In Thousands)

Other Information

		2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	
City's proportion of the net pension liability	0	.00189%	0.02112%	0.02088%	0.02024%	0.01847%	
City's proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$	749	30	1,467	1,172	1,169	
City's covered-employee payroll	\$	1,598	1,714	1,657	1,541	1,388	
City's proportionate share of the net pension liability as a percentage of its covered-employee payroll		46.87%	1.75%	88.53%	76.05%	84.22%	
IPERS' net position as a percentage of the total pension liability		91.40%	100.81%	82.90%	85.45%	83.62%	

^{*} In accordance with GASB Statement No. 68, the amounts presented for each fiscal year were determined as of June 30 of the preceding fiscal year.

See accompanying independent auditor's report

2015	2016	2017	2018	
0.02101%	0.02041%	0.01969%	0.01973%	
850	1,008	1,228	1,302	
1,405	1,398	1,400	1,460	
60.50%	72.10%	87.71%	89.18%	
87.61%	85.19%	81.82%	82.21%	

Schedule of City Contributions

Iowa Public Employees' Retirement System For the Last Ten Years

Other Information

	2023	2022	2021	2020
Statutorily required contribution	168,178	150,850	161,839	156,410
Contribution in relation to the statutorily required contribution	(168,178)	(150,850)	(161,839)	(156,410)
Contribution deficiency (excess)		-	-	
Commission's covered-employee payroll	1,781,542	1,597,989	1,714,401	1,656,886
Contribution as a percentage of covered-employee payroll	9.44%	9.44%	9.44%	9.44%

	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
	145,440	123,962	130,333	124,971	124,873	125,439
_	(145,440)	(123,962)	(130,333)	(124,971)	(124,873)	(125,439)
_	-	-	-	-	-	
	1,540,678	1,388,152	1,459,501	1,400,014	1,398,359	1,404,691
	9.44%	8.93%	8.93%	8.93%	8.93%	8.93%

City of Oelwein, Iowa

Schedule of the City's Proportionate Share of the Net Pension Liability

Municipal Fire and Police Retirement System of Iowa For the Last Eight Years*

Other Information

	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
City's proportion of the net pension liability	0.201785%	0.206759%	0.206798%	0.208602%	0.202923%	0.226444%	0.221144%	0.230028%
City's proportionate share of the net pension liability	\$ 1,133,165	\$ 464,327	\$ 1,649,421	\$ 1,368,276	\$ 1,208,210	\$ 1,328,038	\$ 1,382,721	\$ 1,080,705
City's covered payroll	\$ 681,520	\$ 671,871	\$ 657,003	\$ 631,467	\$ 589,817	\$ 641,429	\$ 599,281	\$ 603,240
City's proportionate share of the net pension liability as a percentage of its covered payroll	166.27%	69.11%	251.05%	216.68%	204.84%	207.04%	230.73%	179.15%
MFPRSI's net position as a percentage of the total pension liability	84.62%	93.62%	76.47%	79.94%	81.07%	80.60%	78.20%	83.04%

See accompanying independent auditor's report.

^{*} In accordance with GASB Statement No. 68, the amounts presented for each fiscal year were determined as of June 30 of the preceding fiscal year.

Schedule of the City Contributions

Municipal Fire and Police Retirement System of Iowa For the Last Ten Years

Other Information

	2023	2022	2021	2020
Statutorily required contribution	188,526	178,422	170,050	160,375
Contribution in relation to the statutorily required contribution	(188,526)	(178,422)	(170,050)	(160,375)
Contribution deficiency (excess)		-	-	_
City's covered-employee payroll	788,811	681,520	671,871	657,003
Contribution as a percentage of covered-employee payroll	23.90%	26.18%	25.31%	24.41%

2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
 164,308	151,465	166,258	166,420	183,445	180,503
 (164,308)	(151,465)	(166,258)	(166,420)	(183,445)	(180,503)
 -	-	-	-	-	
631,467	589,817	641,429	599,281	603,240	599,280
26.02%	25.68%	25.92%	27.77%	30.41%	30.12%

Notes to Other Information – Pension Liability

Year Ended June 30, 2023

IPERS

Changes of benefit terms:

There are no significant changes in benefit terms.

Changes of assumptions:

The 2022 valuation incorporated the following refinements after a quadrennial experience study:

- Changed mortality assumptions to the PubG-2010 mortality tables with mortality improvements modeled using Scale MP-2021.
- Adjusted retirement rates for Regular members
- Lowered disability rates for Regular members.
- Adjusted termination rates for all membership groups.

The 2018 valuation implemented the following refinements as a result of a demographic assumption study dated June 28, 2018:

- Changed mortality assumptions to the RP-2014 mortality tables with mortality improvements modeled using Scale MP-2017.
- Adjusted retirement rates.
- Lowered disability rates.
- Adjusted the probability of a vested Regular member electing to receive a deferred benefit.
- Adjusted the merit component of the salary increase assumption.

The 2017 valuation implemented the following refinements as a result of an experience study dated March 24, 2017:

- Decreased the inflation assumption from 3.00% to 2.60%.
- Decreased the assumed rate of interest on member accounts from 3.75% to 3.50% per year.
- Decreased the discount rate from 7.50% to 7.00%.
- Decreased the wage growth assumption from 4.00% to 3.25%.
- Decreased the payroll growth assumption from 4.00% to 3.25%.

The 2014 valuation implemented the following refinements as a result of a quadrennial experience study:

- Decreased the inflation assumption from 3.25% to 3.00%.
- Decreased the assumed rate of interest on member accounts from 4.00% to 3.75% per year.
- Adjusted male mortality rates for retirees in the regular membership group.
- Moved from an open 30-year amortization period to a closed 30-year amortization period for the UAL beginning June 30, 2015. Each year thereafter, changes in the UAL from plan experience will be amortized on a separate closed 20-year period.

MFPRSI

Changes of benefit terms:

There were no significant changes of benefit terms.

Notes to Other Information – Pension Liability

Year Ended June 30, 2023

Changes of assumptions:

The 2018 valuation changed postretirement mortality rates to the RP-2014 Blue Collar Healthy Annuitant Table with males set-forward zero years, females set-forward two years and disabled individuals set-forward three years (male only rates), with generational projection of future mortality improvement with 50% of Scale BB beginning in 2017.

The 2017 valuation added five years projection of future mortality improvement with Scale BB.

The 2016 valuation changed postretirement mortality rates to the RP-2000 Blue Collar Combined Healthy Mortality Table with males set-back two years, females set-forward one year and disabled individuals set-forward one year (male only rates), with no projection of future mortality improvement.

The 2015 valuation phased in the 1994 Group Annuity Mortality Table for post-retirement mortality. This resulted in a weighting of 1/12 of the 1971 Group Annuity Mortality Table and 11/12 of the 1994 Group Annuity Mortality Table.

The 2014 valuation phased in the 1994 Group Annuity Mortality Table for post-retirement mortality. This resulted in a weighting of 2/12 of the 1971 Group Annuity Mortality Table and 10/12 of the 1994 Group Annuity Mortality Table.

Supplementary Information

City of Oelwein, Iowa

Schedule of Cash Receipts, Disbursements, and Changes in Cash Balances Nonmajor Governmental Funds

As of and for the year ended June 30, 2023

			Permanent	
			Cemetery	
	Special	Capital	Perpetual	
	Revenue	Projects	Care	Total
Receipts:				
Property tax	\$ 63,931	-	-	63,931
Tax increment financing	823,599	-	-	823,599
Other city tax	1,644,483	-	-	1,644,483
Use of money and property	25,236	13,555	-	38,791
Intergovernmental	5,000	779,304	-	784,304
Special assessments	55,897	-	-	55,897
Miscellaneous	244,914	60,976	2,220	308,110
Total receipts	2,863,060	853,835	2,220	3,719,115
Disbursements:				
Public safety	26,554	-	-	26,554
Health and social services	19,667	-	-	19,667
Culture and recreation	56,625	-	-	56,625
Community and economic development	345,117	-	-	345,117
Capital projects	376,591	1,551,574	_	1,928,165
Total disbursements	824,554	1,551,574		2,376,128
Excess of receipts				
over disbursements	2,038,506	(697,739)	2,220	1,342,987
Other financing sources (uses):				
Transfers in	86,000	56,428	_	142,428
Transfers out	(2,009,714)	_	_	(2,009,714)
Net other financing sources (uses)	(1,923,714)	56,428		(1,867,286)
Change in cash balance	114,792	(641,311)	2,220	(524,299)
Cash balances, beginning of year	1,548,294	1,631,110	292,812	3,472,216
Cash balances, end of year	\$ 1,663,086	989,799	295,032	2,947,917
Cash Basis Fund Balances				
Nonspendable	\$ -	-	295,032	295,032
Restricted for other purposes	1,334,156	1,353,831	, -	2,687,987
Committed	328,930	- -	-	328,930
Unassigned	, -	(364,032)	-	(364,032)
Total cash basis fund balances	\$ 1,663,086	989,799	295,032	2,947,917

Schedule of Cash Receipts, Disbursements, and Changes in Cash Balances Nonmajor Governmental Special Revenue Funds

As of and for the year ended June $30,\,2023$

					Special	Revenue			
	En	County nergency nagement	Flex Spending	Emergency	Local Option Sales Tax	Hotel-Motel Tax	Gas-Electric Franchise Fees	Library Bequest	Downtown TIF
Receipts:									
Property tax	\$	21,892	-	42,039	-	-	-	-	-
Tax increment financing		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	32,418
Other city tax		626	-	1,194	694,494	74,219	873,950	-	-
Use of money and property		-	-	-	4,618	566	3,488	4,688	-
Intergovernmental		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Special assessments		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Miscellaneous		-	19,667	-	-	-	-	4,980	
Total receipts		22,518	19,667	43,233	699,112	74,785	877,438	9,668	32,418
Disbursements:									
Public safety		21,883	-	-	-	-	-	_	-
Health and social services		-	19,667	-	-	-	-	-	-
Culture and recreation		-	-	-	-	44,453	-	7,056	-
Community and economic development		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,126
Capital projects		-	-	-	-	-	376,591	-	-
Total disbursements		21,883	19,667	-	-	44,453	376,591	7,056	2,126
Excess (deficiency) of receipts									
over (under) disbursements		635	-	43,233	699,112	30,332	500,847	2,612	30,292
Other financing sources (uses):									
Transfers in		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transfers out		-	-	(43,233)	(692,192)	(42,367)	(363,791)	-	(150,000)
Net other financing sources (uses)		-	-	(43,233)	(692,192)	(42,367)	(363,791)	-	(150,000)
Change in cash balance		635	-	-	6,920	(12,035)	137,056	2,612	(119,708)
Cash balances, beginning of year		1,971	1,437	-	56,980	24,970	87,656	373,294	214,750
Cash balances, end of year	\$	2,606	1,437	-	63,900	12,935	224,712	375,906	95,042
Cash Basis Fund Balances									
Restricted for other purposes	\$	2,606	_	_	63,900	12,935	_	375,906	95,042
Committed	4	-,000	1,437	_	-		224,712	-	-
Total cash basis fund balances	\$	2,606	1,437	-	63,900	12,935	224,712	375,906	95,042

					Revenue	Special R				
				Downtown	IRP	First Time				Industrial
	Special	Forfeited	Volunteer Fire	Business	Revolving	Home Buyer	Trees			Park
Total	Assessments	Assets	Department	Grant	Loan	Program	Forever	DARE	East Penn TIF	TIF
63,	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
823,	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	697,673	93,508
1,644,	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	-	-
25,	514	_	_	1,946	278	1,211	_	_	7,927	_
5,	-	_	_		-	-	5,000	_		_
55,	55,897	_	_	_	_	-	-	-	_	_
244,	, <u>-</u>	4,083	2,750	_	211,482	1,952	_	-	_	-
2,863,	56,411	4,083	2,750	1,946	211,760	3,163	5,000	-	705,600	93,508
26,	-	3,900	-	-	-	-	-	771	-	-
19,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
56,	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,116	-	-	-
345,	-	-	16,175	-	203,843	29,465	-	-	-	93,508
376,	<u> </u>			-	- _				-	-
824,	- -	3,900	16,175	-	203,843	29,465	5,116	771	-	93,508
2,038,	56,411	183	(13,425)	1,946	7,917	(26,302)	(116)	(771)	705,600	-
86,	_	_	11,000	75,000	_		_		_	
(2,009,	(56,428)	_	11,000	75,000	-	-	-	-	(661,703)	_
(1,923,	(56,428)	-	11,000	75,000	-	-	-	-	(661,703)	-
114	(17)	183	(2,425)	76,946	7,917	(26,302)	(116)	(771)	43,897	-
1,548	17	2,436	19,675	155,492	232,103	126,464	19,456	5,159	226,434	-
1,663		2,619	17,250	232,438	240,020	100,162	19,340	4,388	270,331	-
1,334,	-	-	17,250	232,438	240,020	-	19,340	4,388	270,331	-
328,	-	2,619	-	-	-	100,162	-	-	-	-
1,663,	-	2,619	17,250	232,438	240,020	100,162	19,340	4,388	270,331	-

Schedule of Cash Receipts, Disbursements, and Changes in Cash Balances Nonmajor Governmental Capital Projects Funds

As of and for the year ended June 30, 2023

		Capital Projects					
		Oelwein					
		Housing		Plaza Park	Industrial Park		
	2020 GO Bond	Teardown	Airport Grant	Expansion	3rd Addition		
Receipts:							
Use of money and property	107	-	-	-	100		
Intergovernmental	-	-	364,505	213,049	-		
Miscellaneous		35,976	-	-	-		
Total receipts	107	35,976	364,505	213,049	100		
Disbursements:							
Capital projects	84,795	142,054	372,595	732,861	149,305		
Total disbursements	84,795	142,054	372,595	732,861	149,305		
Excess (deficiency) of receipts							
over (under) disbursements	(84,688)	(106,078)	(8,090)	(519,812)	(149,205)		
Other financing sources (uses):							
Loan proceeds	-	-	-	-	-		
Transfers in	-	-	-	-	-		
Transfers out		-	-	-			
Net other financing sources	-	-	-	-			
Change in cash balance	(84,688)	(106,078)	(8,090)	(519,812)	(149,205)		
Cash balances, beginning of year	92,991	146,800	(16,820)	180,690	149,205		
Cash balances, end of year	8,303	40,722	(24,910)	(339,122)			
Cash Basis Fund Balances							
Restricted for other purposes	8,303	40,722	_	_	_		
Unassigned	-	-	(24,910)	(339,122)	-		
Total cash basis fund balances	8,303	40,722	(24,910)	(339,122)	-		

Total	Railroad Viaduct	2022 GO Bond Construction	10th Street Paving
13,555	332	5,645	7,371
779,304	-	201,750	-
60,976	25,000	-	-
853,835	25,332	207,395	7,371
1,551,574	22,433	32,488	15,043
1,551,574	22,433	32,488	15,043
(697,739)	2,899	174,907	(7,672)
-	-	-	_
56,428	-	-	56,428
-	<u> </u>	-	-
56,428	<u> </u>	-	56,428
(641,311)	2,899	174,907	48,756
1,631,110	22,590	465,030	590,624
989,799	25,489	639,937	639,380
1,353,831	25,489	639,937	639,380
(364,032)	-	-	-
989,799	25,489	639,937	639,380

Schedule of Cash Receipts, Disbursements, and Changes in Cash Balances Nonmajor Proprietary Funds

As of and for the year ended June 30, 2023

	Water	Sewer	Customer	
	Infrastructure	Infrastructure	Deposits	Fuel
Operating receipts:				
Charges for service	71,847	77	32,006	79,320
Intergovernmental	-	-	-	-
Miscellaneous		-	-	5,732
Total operating receipts	71,847	77	32,006	85,052
Operating disbursements: Business-type activities	-	_	32,290	85,082
				-
Excess (deficiency) of operating receipts over (under) operating disbursements	71,847	77	(284)	(30)
Non-operating receipts (disbursements):				
Interest on investments	_	_	_	_
Capital projects	(61,990)	_	_	_
Net non-operating disbursements	(61,990)			
	(01,550)			_
Excess (deficiency) of receipts				
over (under) disbursements	9,857	77	(284)	(30)
Transfers in	-	-	-	-
Transfers out	(380,755)	(117,410)	-	_
Net transfers	(380,755)	(117,410)	-	-
Change in cash balance	(370,898)	(117,333)	(284)	(30)
Cash balances, beginning of year	376,338	117,335	141,515	7,162
Cash balances, end of year	5,440	2	141,231	7,132
Cash Basis Fund Balances				
Restricted for:				
Other purposes	-	-	141,231	-
Unassigned	5,440	2		7,132
Total cash basis fund balances	5,440	2	141,231	7,132

See accompanying independent auditor's report.

		West Water		Wellness	Sewer Main	
Landfill	Recycling	Tower	Tree	Center	Construction	Total
600,690	78,127	_	99,662	170,874	-	1,132,603
-	, -	245,633	-	-		245,633
-	-	-	-	-	-	5,732
600,690	78,127	245,633	99,662	170,874		1,383,968
553,139	73,744	-	86,631	199,489		1,030,375
47,551	4,383	245,633	13,031	(28,615)		353,593
_	_	_	_	_	451	451
_	_	(371,849)	_	_	(120,524)	(554,363)
-	-	(371,849)	-	-	(120,073)	(553,912)
47,551	4,383	(126,216)	13,031	(28,615)	(120,073)	(200,319)
-	-	-	-	-	66,470	66,470
(36,630)	-	(174,466)	-	-		(709,261)
(36,630)	-	(174,466)	-	-	66,470	(642,791)
10,921	4,383	(300,682)	13,031	(28,615)	(53,603)	(843,110)
18,614	247	-	20,101	35,412	76,288	793,012
29,535	4,630	(300,682)	33,132	6,797	22,685	(50,098)
-	-	-	-	-	-	141,231
29,535	4,630	(300,682)	33,132	6,797	22,685	(191,329)
29,535	4,630	(300,682)	33,132	6,797	22,685	(50,098)

Schedule of Receipts by Source and Disbursements by Function Governmental Funds

For the Last Ten Years

	2023	2022	2021	2020
Receipts				
Property tax	\$ 2,854,756	\$ 3,240,435	3,012,076	2,616,016
Tax increment financing	823,599	1,006,886	977,915	789,469
Other city tax	1,760,577	1,503,041	1,544,391	1,449,548
Licenses and permits	90,318	87,653	95,913	79,541
Use of money and property	153,069	75,188	74,074	125,779
Intergovernmental	2,190,770	3,252,374	1,169,261	1,440,844
Charges for service	231,906	201,963	182,760	150,159
Special assessments	55,897	86,057	2,667	-
Miscellaneous	1,244,173	415,476	1,028,815	740,341
	\$ 9,405,065	\$ 9,869,073	8,087,872	7,391,697
Disbursements				
Public safety	\$ 2,078,676	\$ 1,772,506	1,768,125	1,773,341
Public works	913,126	1,075,947	812,270	684,588
Health and social services	19,667	19,125	20,016	19,836
Culture and recreation	1,140,435	1,016,809	926,349	905,295
Community and economic development	697,751	939,768	986,416	1,148,628
General government	588,245	527,547	500,093	488,132
Debt service	1,458,354	4,679,015	1,577,912	1,744,359
Capital projects	 2,527,004	3,636,179	3,087,107	1,957,005
	\$ 9,423,258	\$ 13,666,896	9,678,288	8,721,184

2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
2,511,243	2,446,809	2,622,915	2,550,327	2,433,871	2,265,317
320,501	68,956	53,616	69,105	73,362	106,380
1,465,729	1,179,371	869,807	878,525	1,051,291	1,082,086
72,679	109,853	82,788	53,257	80,539	98,623
124,650	219,825	347,083	143,177	286,659	289,316
1,210,033	1,641,704	2,820,235	1,011,483	987,685	1,260,775
190,880	151,896	190,692	141,082	91,439	95,180
392	30,590	41,301	37,582	43,223	60,791
435,275	712,839	324,901	1,105,087	479,997	352,787
6,331,382	6,561,843	7,353,338	5,989,625	5,528,066	5,611,255
1,682,373	1,544,804	1,598,188	1,602,959	1,645,848	1,740,553
755,382	729,542	732,688	695,231	785,430	779,828
18,117	21,603	24,733	27,428	37,232	40,204
929,980	811,850	818,311	780,172	844,486	818,383
783,959	893,869	622,087	1,463,655	918,572	1,198,140
418,572	389,086	374,222	378,446	368,157	373,809
1,117,626	1,873,831	1,034,354	780,858	893,757	526,908
666,989	1,033,130	2,529,927	4,959,048	3,617,762	123,998
6,372,998	7,297,715	7,734,510	10,687,797	9,111,244	5,601,823

Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards

Year ended June 30, 2023

	Assistance	Pass-Through	D
Grantor/Program	Listings Number	Entity Identifying Number	Program Expenditures
U.S. Department of Transportation: Airport Improvement Program, COVID 19 Airport Program and Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act Program Total U.S. Department of Transportation:	20.106		\$ 335,336 335,336
U.S. Department of Homeland Security: Passed through Iowa Department of Homeland Security and Emergency Management: Hazard Mitigation Grant Program and Non-Entitled Grants in Hawaii Total U.S. Department of Homeland Security	97.039	HMGP-DR-4483-0006	27,450 27,450
U.S. Department of Housing & Urban Development: Passed through Iowa Economic Development Authority: Community Development Block Grants/State's			
Program and Non-Entitlement Grants in Hawaii Community Development Block Grants/State's	14.228	19-WS032	121,010
Program and Non-Entitlement Grants in Hawaii - COVID Community Development Block Grants/State's	14.228	20-CVN-023	391,573
Program and Non-Entitlement Grants in Hawaii	14.228	22-WS-021	5,383
Total U.S. Department of Housing & Urban Development			517,966
Total			\$ 880,752

Notes to Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards

Year ended June 30, 2023

(1) Basis of Presentation

The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards (Schedule) includes the federal award activity of the City of Oelwein under programs of the federal government for the year ended June 30, 2023. The information in this Schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of Title 2, U.S. Code of Federal Regulations, Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards (Uniform Guidance). Because the Schedule presents only a selected portion of the operations of the City, it is not intended to and does not present the financial position, changes in financial position or cash flows of the City.

(2) Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Expenditures reported in the Schedule are reported on the basis of cash receipts and disbursements, which is a basis of accounting other than U.S. generally accepted accounting principles. Such expenditures are recognized following the cost principles contained in the Uniform Guidance, wherein certain types of expenditures are not allowable or are limited as to reimbursement.

(3) Indirect Cost Rate

The City has not elected to use the 10% de minimis indirect cost rate as allowed under the Uniform Guidance.

(4) Sub-recipients

The City of Oelwein did not pass through any federal funds to sub-recipients for the year ended June 30, 2023.

See accompanying independent auditor's report.

Summary Schedule of Prior Audit Findings

Year ended June 30, 2023

Comment Reference	Comment Title	Status	If not corrected, provide reason for finding's recurrence and planned corrective action or other explanation
2022-001	Segregation of Duties	Not corrected.	The City continually weighs the costs and benefits of additional staff to address this issue.
2022-002	Utility Billing	Partially corrected.	The City continually weighs the costs and benefits of changes to a system on the utility billing. The City did adopt a write-off policy.
2022-003	Monitoring and Reporting Program Performance	Completed	
2022-004	Procurement Suspension & Debarment	Completed	
2022-005	Single Audit Process	Completed	

Item 11.

City of Oelwein, Iowa

Corrective Action Plan

Year ended June 30, 2023

Comment Number	Comment Title	Corrective Action Plan	Contact Person, Title and Phone	Anticipated Date of Completion
2023-001	Segregation of Duties	The City continues to review procedures to ensure the highest segregation of duties while weighing the costs and benefits of additional staff to address this issue.	Dylan Mulfinger City Administrator 319-283-5440	On Going
2023-002	Utility Billing	The City continually weighs the costs and benefits of additional staff to address this issue.	Dylan Mulfinger City Administrator 319-283-5440	On Going



Independent Auditor's Report on Internal Control
Over Financial Reporting and on Compliance and Other Matters
Based on an Audit of Financial Statements Performed in Accordance
with Government Auditing Standards

To the Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council:

We have audited in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the Unites States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements of the governmental activities, the business type activities, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the City of Oelwein, Iowa, as of and for the year ended June 30, 2023, and the related Notes to Financial Statements, which collectively comprise the City's basic financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated October 23, 2023. Our report expressed unmodified opinions on the financial statements which were prepared on the basis of cash receipts and disbursements, a basis of accounting other than U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

Report Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the City of Oelwein's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinions on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the City's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the City's internal control.

A deficiency in internal control exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect and correct misstatements on a timely basis. A material weakness is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the City's financial statements will not be prevented or detected and corrected on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control which is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies and therefore, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that were not identified. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses. We identified certain deficiencies in internal control, described in Part II of the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs as items 2023-001 and 2023-002 to be significant deficiencies.

Report on Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the City's financial statements are free from material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, non-compliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the financial statements. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit and, accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of non-compliance or other matters which are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

However, we noted certain immaterial instances of non-compliance or other matters which are described in Part IV of the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs.

Comments involving statutory and other legal matters about the City's operations for the year ended June 30, 2023 are based exclusively on knowledge obtained from procedures performed during our audit of the financial statements of the City. Since our audit was based on tests and samples, not all transactions that might have had an impact on the comments were necessarily audited. The comments involving statutory and other legal matters are not intended to constitute legal interpretations of those statutes.

City of Oelwein Responses to Findings

Government Auditing Standards requires the auditor to perform limited procedures on the City's responses to the findings identified in our audit and described in the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs. The City's responses were not subjected to the other auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and, accordingly, we express no opinion on the responses.

Purpose of This Report

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the City's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the City's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

We would like to acknowledge the many courtesies and assistance extended to us by personnel of the City of Oelwein during the course of our audit. Should you have any questions concerning any of the above matters, we shall be pleased to discuss them with you at your convenience.

T.P. Anderson & Company, P.C.

October 23, 2023 Humboldt, Iowa



Independent Auditor's Report on Compliance for Each Major Program and on Internal Control over Compliance Required by the Uniform Guidance

To the Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council:

Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program

Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

We have audited the City of Oelwein, Iowa's compliance with the types of compliance requirements identified as subject to audit in the U.S. Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Compliance Supplement that could have a direct and material effect on the City's major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2023. The City's major federal programs are identified in Part 1 of the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs.

In our opinion, the City of Oelwein complied, in all material respects, with the compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on its major federal programs for the year ended June 30, 2023.

Basis for Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS), the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States and the audit requirements of Title 2, U.S. *Code of Federal Regulations, Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance). Our responsibilities under those standards and the Uniform Guidance are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section of our report.

We are required to be independent of the City and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion on compliance for each major federal program. Our audit does not provide a legal determination of the City's compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above.

Responsibilities of Management for Compliance

Management is responsible for compliance with the requirements referred to above and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of effective internal control over compliance with the requirements of laws, statutes, regulations, rules and provisions of contracts or grant agreements applicable to the City's federal programs.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether material noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above occurred, whether due to fraud or error, and express an opinion on the City's compliance based on our audit. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS, *Government Auditing Standards* and the Uniform Guidance will always detect material noncompliance when it exists.

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The risk of not detecting material noncompliance resulting from fraud is higher than for that resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above is considered material, if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, it would influence judgement made by a reasonable user of the report on compliance about the City's compliance with the requirements of each major federal program as a whole.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, Government Auditing Standards, and the Uniform Guidance, we:

- Exercise professional judgement and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material noncompliance, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the City's compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.
- Obtain an understanding of the City's internal control over compliance relevant to the audit in order to
 design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances and to test and report on internal control
 over compliance in accordance with the Uniform Guidance, but not for the purpose of expressing an
 opinion on the effectiveness of the City's internal control over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion
 is expressed.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and any significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in internal control over compliance that we identified during the audit.

Report on Internal Control over Compliance

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section above and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies in internal control over compliance and therefore, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies may exist that was not identified. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, as discussed below, we did identify certain deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be significant deficiencies.

A deficiency in internal control over compliance exists when the design or operation of a control over compliance does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect and correct, noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program on a timely basis. A material weakness in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance, such that there is a reasonable possibility that material noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. A significant deficiency in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program that is less severe than a material weakness in internal control over compliance, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance. We consider the deficiency in internal control over compliance described in the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs as item 2023-003 to be a significant deficiency.

Our audit was not designed for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

Government Auditing Standards requires the auditor to perform limited procedures on the City's response to the internal control over compliance finding identified in our audit described in the accompanying Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs. The City's response was not subjected to the other auditing procedures applied in the audit of compliance and, accordingly, we express no opinion on the response.

The purpose of this report on internal control over compliance is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over compliance and the results of that testing based on the requirements of the Uniform Guidance. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

T.P. Anderson & Company, P.C.

October 23, 2023 Humboldt, Iowa

CITY OF OELWEIN, IOWA

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS

YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

Part I: Summary of the Independent Auditor's Results

Basic Financial Statements

- a) Type of auditor's report issued: **Unmodified** opinions were issued on the financial statements which were prepared using cash receipts and disbursements method of accounting, which is a basis of accounting other than U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.
- b) Internal control over financial reporting:
 - Material weaknesses identified: No
 - Significant deficiencies identified: Yes
- c) Noncompliance material to financial statements noted: No

Federal Awards

- d) Internal control over major programs:
 - Material weaknesses identified: No
 - Significant deficiencies identified: Yes
- e) Type of auditor's report issued on compliance for major programs: Unmodified
- f) Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance 2 CFR section 200.516(a): **Yes**
- g) Major programs:
 - Assistance Listing Number 20.106 Airport Improvement Program
 - Assistance Listing Number 14.228 Community Development Block Grants/State' Program and Non-Entitlement Grants in Hawaii
- h) Dollar threshold used to distinguish between Type A and Type B programs: \$750,000
- i) Auditee qualified as a low-risk auditee: No

CITY OF OELWEIN, IOWA

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS

YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

Part II: Findings Related to the Financial Statements

INTERNAL CONTROL DEFICIENCIES:

2023-001 <u>Segregation of Duties</u> – Generally, we noted that from time to time one individual has control over each one of the following areas:

- 1) Cash handling, reconciling and recording.
- 2) Receipts opening mail, collecting, depositing, journalizing, reconciling and posting.
- 3) Disbursements purchasing, invoice processing, check writing, mailing, reconciling and recording.
- 4) Payroll entering rates and hours into the system, recordkeeping, preparing, signing and distributing.
- 5) Utilities billing, collecting, depositing, posting, and entering rates into the system.
- 6) Financial Reporting and Budgeting preparing and reconciling.
- 7) Journal entries preparing and journalizing.

<u>Criteria</u> –A proper system of internal control provides for adequate segregation of duties so no one individual handles a transaction from its inception to completion. In order to maintain proper internal control, duties should be segregated so the authorization, custody, and recording of transactions are not under the control of the same employee. This segregation of duties helps prevent losses from employee error or dishonesty and maximizes the accuracy of the City's financial statements.

<u>Condition</u> – One individual has control over various functions of the City.

<u>Cause</u> – The City has a limited number of employees and procedures have not been designed to adequately segregate duties or provide compensating controls through additional oversight of transactions and processes.

<u>Effect</u> – Inadequate segregation of duties could adversely affect the City's ability to prevent or detect and correct misstatements, errors, or misappropriation on a timely basis.

<u>Recommendation</u> — We realize segregation of duties is difficult and may impede productivity with a limited number of employees. However, the City should review its control procedures to obtain the maximum internal control possible under the circumstances utilizing all available staff and elected officials. Independent reviews of bank reconciliations and payroll records and payment should be done independent of those involved in the processes and the review should be evidenced by the signature or initials of the reviewer and the date of the review. Council members can also pick months at random and review bank statement activity and request supporting documentation for any large or unusual payments noted.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS

YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

Response – We will continue to work toward improving segregation of duties.

Conclusion – Response accepted.

2023-002 <u>Charges for Services</u> – Certain charges for services are not properly reviewed and approved to ensure proper billing.

<u>Criteria</u> – During the audit, we noted the following:

- 1) One customer in one category of water and sewer rates were not updated timely in accordance with the approved ordinance.
- 2) One large customer was not billed timely for shared use of the Wellness Center.
- 3) Landfill and recycling rates are based upon the number of individual recipients per household, however, documentation to support the number per household was inadequate to determine if the amounts that the City was using for utility billing were complete and accurate.

<u>Condition</u> – A properly designed system of internal control provides for the prevention or the detection and correction of material misstatements in a timely manner.

<u>Cause</u> – The City does not have adequate controls in place to ensure rates for certain changes for services are being billed completely and accurately. Additionally, procedures have not been implemented to ensure documentation is updated and maintained to substantiate the accuracy of landfill and recycling charges.

<u>Effect</u> – The City billed a customer less than what was approved in the ordinance, causing the City to forgo approximately \$25,000 in water and sewer charges for services. The City also did not adequately monitor the receipts from a customer for shared use of the Wellness Center, which caused the City to have \$48,000 less in membership fees. The effect of inadequate documentation to support proper landfill and recycling charges has not been determined.

<u>Recommendation</u> – The charges for services should be properly supported by documentation that is periodically reviewed for completeness and accuracy.

<u>Response</u> – We have reviewed procedures and plan to make improvements to internal controls related to charges for services on water/sewer rates and Wellness Center fees. The City is currently working on making an update to the landfill and recycling charges.

Conclusion – Response accepted.

INSTANCES OF NON-COMPLIANCE:

No matters were noted.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS

YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

Part III: Findings and Questioned Costs for Federal Awards

INSTANCES OF NON-COMPLIANCE:

None were noted.

INTERNAL CONTROL DEFICIENCIES:

Assistance Listing Number 20.106: Airport Improvement Program Federal Award Year: 2023
Prior Year Finding Number: N/A
U.S. Department of Transportation

2023-003 Special Tests and Provision

<u>Criteria</u> – The basic requirement for use of airport revenue is that all revenues generated by a public airport must be expended for the capital or operating costs of the airport and the local airport system. The City should have a proper policy in regards to how airport revenue is to be spent.

<u>Condition</u> – The City did not establish a policy for the use of airport revenue.

<u>Cause</u> – The City's management was not aware that they needed to have a policy in regards to airport revenue.

<u>Effect</u> – The City is not in compliance with Federal regulations pertaining special tests and provisions as required by the Uniform Guidance.

<u>Recommendation</u> – The City should establish a policy for the use of airport revenue.

<u>Corrective Action</u> – The City will establish a policy for the use of airport revenue.

<u>Conclusion</u> – Response accepted.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS

YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

Part IV: Other Findings Related to Required Statutory Reporting

- 2023-A <u>Certified Budget</u> Disbursements during the year ended June 30, 2023 did not exceed the amounts budgeted.
- 2023-B <u>Questionable Disbursements</u> No disbursements we believe may not meet the requirements of public purpose as defined in an Attorney General's opinion dated April 25, 1979 were noted.
- 2023-C <u>Travel Expense</u> No disbursements of the City's money for travel expense of spouses of its officials or employees were noted.
- 2023-D <u>Business Transactions</u> –Business transactions between the City and its officials or employees are detailed as follows:

Name, Title, and Business Connection	Transaction Description	Amount
Business Connection	Description	 Amount
Dave Garrigus, Council Member		
Greg Bryan, Airport Board Member	2022 Residential & Comm	
Owners of Bryan Construction	Building Demolition	\$ 100,349

In accordance with Chapter 362.5(3)(j) of the Code of Iowa, the transaction listed above does not appear to represent a conflict of interest since it was entered into through competitive bidding in accordance with Chapter 362.5(3)(d) of the Code of Iowa.

<u>Recommendation</u> – The City should be aware of the potential for a conflict of interest when dealing with members of the City Council, its employees, and relatives of council and employees.

<u>Response</u> – We understand the compliance requirements for related parties and will keep this in mind when future possible conflicts of interest arise.

<u>Conclusion</u> – Response accepted.

- 2023-E Restricted Donor Activity No transactions were noted between the City, City officials, City employees and restricted donors in compliance with 68B of the Code of Iowa.
- 2023-F <u>Bond Coverage</u> Surety bond coverage of City officials and employees is in accordance with statutory provisions. The amount of coverage should be reviewed annually to ensure that the coverage is adequate for current operations.

SCHEDULE OF FINDINGS AND QUESTIONED COSTS

YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023

- 2023-G <u>Council Minutes</u> No transactions were found that we believe should have been approved in the City Council meeting minutes but were not. Minutes of City Council proceedings were published as required by Chapter 372.13(6) of the Code of Iowa.
- 2023-H <u>Deposits and Investments</u> We noted no instances of noncompliance with the deposit and investment provisions of Chapter 12B and 12C of the Code of Iowa and the City's investment policy.
- 2023-I <u>Revenue Bonds and Notes</u> No instances of non-compliance with the revenue bond and note resolutions were noted.
- 2023-J <u>Financial Condition</u> The Capital Projects Airport Grant fund and Plaza Park Expansion fund had deficit balances of \$24,910 and \$339,122, respectively at June 30, 2023. The Proprietary West Water Tower fund had a deficit balance of \$300,682 at June 30, 2023.

<u>Recommendation</u> – The City should investigate alternatives to eliminate this deficit in order to return these funds to a sound financial position.

<u>Response</u> – The city works to ensure that all accounts do not carry a deficit. This can be difficult as the city works on a reimbursement basis for some projects. The problem with a reimbursement basis is that contractors do not finish on time and the city must wait to close out a project and carry the deficit of the project.

Conclusion – Response accepted.

2023-K Annual Urban Renewal Report – The annual urban renewal report was approved and certified to the Iowa Department of Management on or before December 1 as required.

APPENDIX B

DESCRIBING BOOK-ENTRY-ONLY ISSUANCE

The Depository Trust Company, New York, New York ("DTC"), will act as securities depository for the Bonds (the "Securities"). The Securities will be issued as fully registered securities registered in the name of Cede & Co. (DTC's partnership nominee) or such other name as may be requested by an authorized representative of DTC. One fully registered Security certificate will be issued for each issue of the Securities, each in the aggregate principal amount of such issue, and will be deposited with DTC.

- DTC, the world's largest securities depository, is a limited-purpose trust company organized under the New York Banking Law, a "banking organization" within the meaning of the New York Banking Law, a member of the Federal Reserve System, a "clearing corporation" within the meaning of the New York Uniform Commercial Code, and a "clearing agency" registered pursuant to the provisions of Section 17A of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. DTC holds and provides asset servicing for over 3.5 million issues of U.S. and non-U.S. equity issues, corporate and municipal debt issues, and money market instruments (from over 100 countries) that DTC's participants ("Direct Participants") deposit with DTC. DTC also facilitates the post-trade settlement among Direct Participants of sales and other securities transactions in deposited securities, through electronic computerized book-entry transfers and pledges between Direct Participants' accounts. This eliminates the need for physical movement of securities certificates. Direct Participants include both U.S. and non-U.S. securities brokers and dealers, banks, trust companies, clearing corporations, and certain other organizations. DTC is a wholly owned subsidiary of The Depository Trust & Clearing Corporation ("DTCC"). DTCC is the holding company for DTC, National Securities Clearing Corporation and Fixed Income Clearing Corporation, all of which are registered clearing agencies. DTCC is owned by the users of its regulated subsidiaries. Access to the DTC system is also available to others such as both U.S. and non-U.S. securities brokers and dealers, banks, trust companies, and clearing corporations that clear through or maintain a custodial relationship with a Direct Participant, either directly or indirectly ("Indirect Participants"). DTC has an S&P Global Ratings rating of AA+. The DTC Rules applicable to its Participants are on file with the Securities and Exchange Commission. More information about DTC can be found at www.dtcc.com.
- 2. Purchases of Securities under the DTC system must be made by or through Direct Participants, which will receive a credit for the Securities on DTC's records. The ownership interest of each actual purchaser of each Security ("Beneficial Owner") is in turn to be recorded on the Direct and Indirect Participants' records. Beneficial Owners will not receive written confirmation from DTC of their purchase. Beneficial Owners are, however, expected to receive written confirmations providing details of the transaction, as well as periodic statements of their holdings, from the Direct or Indirect Participant through which the Beneficial Owner entered into the transaction. Transfers of ownership interests in the Securities are to be accomplished by entries made on the books of Direct and Indirect Participants acting on behalf of Beneficial Owners. Beneficial Owners will not receive certificates representing their ownership interests in Securities, except in the event that use of the book-entry system for the Securities is discontinued.
- 3. To facilitate subsequent transfers, all Securities deposited by Direct Participants with DTC are registered in the name of DTC's partnership nominee, Cede & Co., or such other name as may be requested by an authorized representative of DTC. The deposit of Securities with DTC and their registration in the name of Cede & Co. or such other DTC nominee do not affect any change in beneficial ownership. DTC has no knowledge of the actual Beneficial Owners of the Securities; DTC's records reflect only the identity of the Direct Participants to whose accounts such Securities are credited, which may or may not be the Beneficial Owners. The Direct and Indirect Participants will remain responsible for keeping account of their holdings on behalf of their customers.

- 4. Conveyance of notices and other communications by DTC to Direct Participants, by Direct Participants to Indirect Participants, and by Direct Participants and Indirect Participants to Beneficial Owners will be governed by arrangements among them, subject to any statutory or regulatory requirements as may be in effect from time to time. Beneficial Owners of Securities may wish to take certain steps to augment the transmission to them of notices of significant events with respect to the Securities, such as redemptions, tenders, defaults, and proposed amendments to the Security documents. For example, Beneficial Owners of Securities may wish to ascertain that the nominee holding the Securities for their benefit has agreed to obtain and transmit notices to Beneficial Owners. In the alternative, Beneficial Owners may wish to provide their names and addresses to the Registrar and request that copies of notices be provided directly to them.
- 5. Redemption notices shall be sent to DTC. If less than all of the Securities within an issue are being redeemed, DTC's practice is to determine by lot the amount of the interest of each Direct Participant in such issue to be redeemed.
- 6. Neither DTC nor Cede & Co. (nor any other DTC nominee) will consent or vote with respect to Securities unless authorized by a Direct Participant in accordance with DTC's MMI Procedures. Under its usual procedures, DTC mails an Omnibus Proxy to the City as soon as possible after the record date. The Omnibus Proxy assigns Cede & Co.'s consenting or voting rights to those Direct Participants to whose accounts Securities are credited on the record date (identified in a listing attached to the Omnibus Proxy).
- 7. Redemption proceeds, distributions, and dividend payments on the Securities will be made to Cede & Co., or such other nominee as may be requested by an authorized representative of DTC. DTC's practice is to credit Direct Participants' accounts upon DTC's receipt of funds and corresponding detail information from the City or the Paying Agent, on payable date in accordance with their respective holdings shown on DTC's records. Payments by Participants to Beneficial Owners will be governed by standing instructions and customary practices, as is the case with securities held for the accounts of customers in bearer form or registered in "street name," and will be the responsibility of such Participant and not of DTC, the Paying Agent, or the City, subject to any statutory or regulatory requirements as may be in effect from time to time. Payment of redemption proceeds, distributions, and dividend payments to Cede & Co. (or such other nominee as may be requested by an authorized representative of DTC) is the responsibility of the City or the Paying Agent, disbursement of such payments to Direct Participants will be the responsibility of DTC, and disbursement of such payments to the Beneficial Owners will be the responsibility of Direct and Indirect Participants.
- 8. A Beneficial Owner shall give notice to elect to have its Securities purchased or tendered, through its Participant, to any Tender/Remarketing Agent, and shall effect delivery of such Securities by causing the Direct Participant to transfer the Participant's interest in the Securities, on DTC's records, to any Tender/Remarketing Agent. The requirement for physical delivery of Securities in connection with an optional tender or a mandatory purchase will be deemed satisfied when the ownership rights in the Securities are transferred by Direct Participants on DTC's records and followed by a bookentry credit of tendered Securities to any Tender/Remarketing Agent's DTC account.
- 9. DTC may discontinue providing its services as depository with respect to the Securities at any time by giving reasonable notice to the City or the Paying Agent. Under such circumstances, in the event that a successor depository is not obtained, Security certificates are required to be printed and delivered.
- 10. The City may decide to discontinue use of the system of book-entry-only transfers through DTC (or a successor securities depository). In that event, Security certificates will be printed and delivered to DTC.
- 11. The information in this section concerning DTC and DTC's book-entry system has been obtained from sources that the City believes to be reliable, but the City takes no responsibility for the accuracy thereof.

APPENDIX C

DRAFT FORM OF BOND COUNSEL OPINION

We hereby certify that we have examined certified copies of the proceedings (the "Proceedings") of the City Council of the City of Oelwein (the "Issuer"), in Fayette County, State of Iowa, passed preliminary to the issue by the Issuer of its General Obligation Bridge Improvement Bonds, Series 2024 (the "Bonds") in the amount of \$1,450,000, in the denomination of \$5,000 each, or any integral multiple thereof, dated June 25, 2024, in evidence of the Issuer's obligation under a certain loan agreement (the "Loan Agreement"), dated as of June 25, 2024. The Bonds mature on June 1 in each of the respective years and in the principal amounts and bear interest payable semiannually on June 1 and December 1 in each year, commencing December 1, 2024, at the respective rates as follows:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Principal</u>	Interest Rate	<u>Date</u>	<u>Principal</u>	Interest Rate
2025	\$120,000		2030	\$145,000	%
2026	\$125,000	%	2031	\$155,000	%
2027	\$130,000	%	2032	\$160,000	%
2028	\$135,000	%	2033	\$165,000	%
2029	\$140,000	%	2034	\$175,000	%

Principal of the Bonds maturing in the years 2032 through 2034, inclusive, is subject to optional redemption prior to maturity on June 1, 2031, or on any date thereafter on terms of par plus accrued interest.

Based upon our examination, we are of the opinion, as of the date hereof, that:

- 1. The Proceedings show lawful authority for such issue under the laws of the State of Iowa.
- 2. The Bonds and the Loan Agreement are valid and binding general obligations of the Issuer.
- 3. All taxable property within the corporate boundaries of the Issuer is subject to the levy of taxes to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds without constitutional or statutory limitation as to rate or amount.
- 4. The interest on the Bonds (including any original issue discount properly allocable to an owner thereof) is excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes and is not treated as a preference item in calculating the federal alternative minimum tax imposed on noncorporate taxpayers under the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (the "Code"). The opinions set forth in the preceding sentence are subject to the condition that the Issuer comply with all requirements of the Code that must be satisfied subsequent to the issuance of the Bonds in order that interest thereon be, or continue to be, excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes. The Issuer has covenanted to comply with each such requirement. Failure to comply with certain of such requirements may cause the inclusion of interest on the Bonds in gross income for federal income tax purposes to be retroactive to the date of issuance of the Bonds.
- 5. The Bonds are "qualified tax-exempt obligations" within the meaning of Section 265(b)(3) of the Code. The opinion set forth in the preceding sentence is subject to the condition that the Issuer comply with all requirements of the Code that must be satisfied subsequent to the issuance of the Bonds in order that the Bonds be, or continue to be, qualified tax-exempt obligations. The Issuer has covenanted to comply with each such requirement.

We express no opinion regarding other federal tax consequences arising with respect to the Bonds. We note, however, that interest on the Bonds may be taken into account in determining adjusted financial statement income for purposes of the federal alternative minimum tax imposed on applicable corporations (as defined in Section 59(k) of the Code).

The rights of the owners of the Bonds and the enforceability thereof may be subject to bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium and other similar laws affecting creditors' rights heretofore or hereafter enacted to the extent constitutionally applicable, and their enforcement may also be subject to the exercise of judicial discretion in appropriate cases.

DORSEY & WHITNEY LLP

*This form of bond counsel opinion is subject to change pending the results of the sale of the Bonds contemplated herein.

APPENDIX D

DRAFT CONTINUING DISCLOSURE CERTIFICATE

This Continuing Disclosure Certificate (the "Disclosure Certificate") is executed and delivered by the City of Oelwein, Iowa (the "Issuer"), in connection with the issuance of \$1,450,000 General Obligation Bridge Improvement Bonds, Series 2024 (the "Bonds"), dated June 25, 2024. The Bonds are being issued pursuant to a resolution of the Issuer approved on June 10, 2024 (the "Resolution"). The Issuer covenants and agrees as follows:

- Section 1. <u>Purpose of the Disclosure Certificate</u>. This Disclosure Certificate is being executed and delivered by the Issuer for the benefit of the Holders and Beneficial Owners of the Bonds and in order to assist the Participating Underwriters in complying with S.E.C. Rule 15c2-12.
- Section 2. <u>Definitions</u>. In addition to the definitions set forth in the Resolution, which apply to any capitalized term used in this Disclosure Certificate unless otherwise defined in this Section, the following capitalized terms shall have the following meanings:
 - "Annual Report" shall mean any Annual Report provided by the Issuer pursuant to, and as described in, Sections 3 and 4 of this Disclosure Certificate.
 - "Beneficial Owner" shall mean any person which (a) has the power, directly or indirectly, to vote or consent with respect to, or to dispose of ownership of, any Bonds (including persons holding Bonds through nominees, depositories or other intermediaries), or (b) is treated as the owner of any Bonds for federal income tax purposes.
 - "Dissemination Agent" shall mean the Dissemination Agent, if any, designated in writing by the Issuer and which has filed with the Issuer a written acceptance of such designation.
 - "EMMA" shall mean the MSRB's Electronic Municipal Market Access system available at http://emma.msrb.org.
 - "Financial Obligation" shall mean a (i) debt obligation, (ii) derivative instrument entered into in connection with, or pledged as security or a source of payment for, an existing or planned debt obligation, or, (iii) guarantee of either (i) or (ii). The term "Financial Obligation" shall not include municipal securities as to which a final official statement has been provided to the MSRB pursuant to the Rule.
 - "Holders" shall mean the registered holders of the Bonds, as recorded in the registration books of the Registrar.
 - "Listed Events" shall mean any of the events listed in Section 5(a) of this Disclosure Certificate.
 - "Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board" or "MSRB" shall mean the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board, 1300 I Street, N.W., Suite 1000, Washington, D.C. 20005.
 - "Participating Underwriter" shall mean any of the original underwriters of the Bonds required to comply with the Rule in connection with offering of the Bonds.
 - "Rule" shall mean Rule 15c2-12 adopted by the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as the same may be amended from time to time.
 - "State" shall mean the State of Iowa.

Section 3. <u>Provision of Annual Reports.</u>

- (a) Not later than June 30 (the "Submission Deadline") of each year following the end of the 2023-2024 fiscal year, the Issuer shall, or shall cause the Dissemination Agent (if any) to, file on EMMA an electronic copy of its Annual Report which is consistent with the requirements of Section 4 of this Disclosure Certificate in a format and accompanied by such identifying information as prescribed by the MSRB. The Annual Report may be submitted as a single document or as separate documents comprising a package, and may cross-reference other information as provided in Section 4 of this Disclosure Certificate; provided that the audited financial statements of the Issuer may be submitted separately from the balance of the Annual Report and later than the Submission Deadline if they are not available by that date. If the Issuer's fiscal year changes, it shall give notice of such change in the same manner as for a Listed Event under Section 5(c), and the Submission Deadline beginning with the subsequent fiscal year will become one year following the end of the changed fiscal year.
- (b) If the Issuer has designated a Dissemination Agent, then not later than fifteen (15) business days prior to the Submission Deadline, the Issuer shall provide the Annual Report to the Dissemination Agent.
- (c) If the Issuer is unable to provide an Annual Report by the Submission Deadline, in a timely manner thereafter, the Issuer shall, or shall cause the Dissemination Agent (if any) to, file a notice on EMMA stating that there has been a failure to provide an Annual Report on or before the Submission Deadline.
- Section 4. <u>Content of Annual Reports</u>. The Issuer's Annual Report shall contain or include by reference the following:
 - (a) The Audited Financial Statements of the Issuer for the prior fiscal year, prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles promulgated by the Financial Accounting Standards Board as modified in accordance with the governmental accounting standards promulgated by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board or as otherwise provided under State law, as in effect from time to time, or, if and to the extent such audited financial statements have not been prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, noting the discrepancies therefrom and the effect thereof. If the Issuer's audited financial statements are not available by the Submission Deadline, the Annual Report shall contain unaudited financial information (which may include any annual filing information required by State law) accompanied by a notice that the audited financial statements are not yet available, and the audited financial statements shall be filed on EMMA when they become available.
 - (b) Tables, schedules or other information contained in the official statement for the Bonds, under the following captions:

Debt Information:

Debt Limitation Summary of Outstanding General Obligation Bonded Debt General Obligation Debt Statement of Bonded Indebtedness

Property Assessment and Tax Information:

Actual (100%) Valuations for the City Taxable (Rollback) Valuations for the City Tax Extensions and Collections Principal Taxpayers Property Tax Rates

Financial Information

Cash Basis Statement of Activities and Net Position Statement of Cash Receipts, Disbursements, and Changes in Cash Balances

Any or all of the items listed above may be included by specific reference to other documents, including official statements of debt issues of the Issuer or related public entities, which are available on EMMA or are filed with the

Securities and Exchange Commission. If the document included by reference is a final official statement, it must be available on EMMA. The Issuer shall clearly identify each such other document so included by reference.

Section 5. Reporting of Significant Events

- (a) Pursuant to the provisions of this Section 5, the Issuer shall give, or cause to be given, notice of the occurrence of any of the following events with respect to the Bonds:
 - (1) Principal and interest payment delinquencies.
 - (2) Non-payment related defaults, if material.
 - (3) Unscheduled draws on debt service reserves reflecting financial difficulties.
 - (4) Unscheduled draws on credit enhancements reflecting financial difficulties.
 - (5) Substitution of credit or liquidity providers, or their failure to perform.
 - (6) Adverse tax opinions, the issuance by the Internal Revenue Service of proposed or final determinations of taxability, Notices of Proposed Issue (IRS Form 5701-TEB) or other material notices or determinations with respect to the tax status of the security, or other material events affecting the tax status of the security.
 - (7) Modifications to rights of security holders, if material.
 - (8) Bond calls, if material, and tender offers.
 - (9) Defeasances.
 - (10) Release, substitution, or sale of property securing repayment of the securities, if material.
 - (11) Rating changes.
 - (12) Bankruptcy, insolvency, receivership or similar event of the obligated person.

Note to paragraph (12): For the purposes of the event identified in subparagraph (12), the event is considered to occur when any of the following occur: the appointment of a receiver, fiscal agent or similar officer for an obligated person in a proceeding under the U.S. Bankruptcy Code or in any other proceeding under state or federal law in which a court or governmental authority has assumed jurisdiction over substantially all of the assets or business of the obligated person, or if such jurisdiction has been assumed by leaving the existing governing body and officials or officers in possession but subject to the supervision and orders of a court or governmental authority, or the entry of an order confirming a plan of reorganization, arrangement or liquidation by a court or governmental authority having supervision or jurisdiction over substantially all of the assets or business of the obligated person.

- (13) The consummation of a merger, consolidation, or acquisition involving an obligated person or the sale of all or substantially all of the assets of the obligated person, other than in the ordinary course of business, the entry into a definitive agreement to undertake such an action or the termination of a definitive agreement relating to any such actions, other than pursuant to its terms, if material.
- (14) Appointment of a successor or additional trustee or the change of name of a trustee, if material.
- (15) Incurrence of a Financial Obligation of the obligated person, if material, or agreement to covenants, event of default, remedies, priority rights, or other similar terms of a Financial Obligation of the obligated person, any of which affect security holders, if material.

- (16) Default, event of acceleration, termination event, modification of terms, or other similar events under the terms of a Financial Obligation of the obligated person, any of which reflect financial difficulties.
- (b) If a Listed Event described in Section 5(a) paragraph (2), (7), (8) (but only with respect to bond calls under (8)), (10), (13), (14) or (15) has occurred and the Issuer has determined that such Listed Event is material under applicable federal securities laws, the Issuer shall, in a timely manner but not later than ten business days after the occurrence of such Listed Event, promptly file, or cause to be filed, a notice of such occurrence on EMMA, with such notice in a format and accompanied by such identifying information as prescribed by the MSRB.
- (c) If a Listed Event described in Section 5(a) paragraph (1), (3), (4), (5), (6), (8) (but only with respect to tender offers under (8)), (9), (11), (12) or (16) above has occurred the Issuer shall, in a timely manner but not later than ten business days after the occurrence of such Listed Event, promptly file, or cause to be filed, a notice of such occurrence on EMMA, with such notice in a format and accompanied by such identifying information as prescribed by the MSRB. Notwithstanding the foregoing, notice of Listed Events described in Section (5)(a) paragraphs (8) and (9) need not be given under this subsection any earlier than the notice (if any) of the underlying event is given to Holders of affected Bonds pursuant to the Resolution.
- Section 6. <u>Termination of Reporting Obligation</u>. The Issuer's obligations under this Disclosure Certificate shall terminate upon the legal defeasance, prior redemption or payment in full of all of the Bonds or upon the Issuer's receipt of an opinion of nationally recognized bond counsel to the effect that, because of legislative action or final judicial action or administrative actions or proceedings, the failure of the Issuer to comply with the terms hereof will not cause Participating Underwriters to be in violation of the Rule or other applicable requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.
- Section 7. <u>Dissemination Agent</u>. The Issuer may, from time to time, appoint or engage a Dissemination Agent to assist it in carrying out its obligations under this Disclosure Certificate, and may discharge any such Agent, with or without appointing a successor Dissemination Agent. The Dissemination Agent shall not be responsible in any manner for the content of any notice or Annual Report prepared by the Issuer pursuant to this Disclosure Certificate. The initial Dissemination Agent shall be Speer Financial, Inc.
- Section 8. <u>Amendment; Waiver</u>. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Disclosure Certificate, the Issuer may amend this Disclosure Certificate, and any provision of this Disclosure Certificate may be waived, provided that the following conditions are satisfied:
 - (a) (i) the amendment or waiver is made in connection with a change in circumstances that arises from a change in legal requirements, change in law, or change in the identity, nature or status of an obligated person with respect to the Bonds, or the type of business conducted; (ii) the undertaking, as amended or taking into account such waiver, would, in the opinion of nationally recognized bond counsel, have complied with the requirements of the Rule at the time of the original issuance of the Bonds, after taking into account any amendments or interpretations of the Rule, as well as any change in circumstances; and (iii) the amendment or waiver either (1) is approved by a majority of the Holders, or (2) does not, in the opinion of nationally recognized bond counsel, materially impair the interests of the Holders or Beneficial Owners; or
 - (b) the amendment or waiver is necessary to comply with modifications to or interpretations of the provisions of the Rule as announced by the Securities and Exchange Commission.

In the event of any amendment or waiver of a provision of this Disclosure Certificate, the Issuer shall describe such amendment in the next Annual Report, and shall include, as applicable, a narrative explanation of the reason for the amendment or waiver and its impact on the type (or in the case of a change of accounting principles, on the presentation) of financial information or operating data being presented by the Issuer. In addition, if the amendment relates to the accounting principles to be followed in preparing audited financial statements, (i) notice of such change shall be given in the same manner as for a Listed Event under Section 5(c), and (ii) the Annual Report for the year in which the change is made will present a comparison or other discussion in narrative form (and also, if feasible, in quantitative form) describing or illustrating the material differences between the audited financial statements as prepared on the basis of the new accounting principles and those prepared on the basis of the former accounting principles.

Dated: June 25, 2024

Section 9. <u>Additional Information</u>. Nothing in this Disclosure Certificate shall be deemed to prevent the Issuer from disseminating any other information, using the means of dissemination set forth in this Disclosure Certificate or any other means of communication, or including any other information in any Annual Report or notice of occurrence of a Listed Event, in addition to that which is required by this Disclosure Certificate. If the Issuer chooses to include any information in any Annual Report or notice of occurrence of a Listed Event in addition to that which is specifically required by this Disclosure Certificate, the Issuer shall have no obligation under this Certificate to update such information or include it in any future Annual Report or notice of occurrence of a Listed Event.

Section 10. <u>Default</u>. In the event of a failure of the Issuer to comply with any provision of this Disclosure Certificate, any Holder or Beneficial Owner may take such actions as may be necessary and appropriate, including seeking mandate or specific performance by court order, to cause the Issuer to comply with its obligations under this Disclosure Certificate. Direct, indirect, consequential and punitive damages shall not be recoverable by any person for any default hereunder and are hereby waived to the extent permitted by law. A default under this Disclosure Certificate shall not be deemed an event of default under the Resolution, and the sole remedy under this Disclosure Certificate in the event of any failure of the Issuer to comply with this Disclosure Certificate shall be an action to compel performance.

Section 11. <u>Duties, Immunities and Liabilities of Dissemination Agent.</u> The Dissemination Agent, if any, shall have only such duties as are specifically set forth in this Disclosure Certificate, and the Issuer agrees to indemnify and save the Dissemination Agent, its officers, directors, employees and agents, harmless against any loss, expense and liabilities which it may incur arising out of or in the exercise or performance of its powers and duties hereunder, including the costs and expenses (including attorneys' fees) of defending against any claim of liability, but excluding liabilities due to the Dissemination Agent's negligence or willful misconduct. The obligations of the Issuer under this Section shall survive resignation or removal of the Dissemination Agent and payment of the Bonds.

Section 12. <u>Beneficiaries</u>. This Disclosure Certificate shall inure solely to the benefit of the Issuer, the Dissemination Agent, the Participating Underwriters and Holders and Beneficial Owners from time to time of the Bonds, and shall create no rights in any other person or entity.

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	CITY OF OELWEIN, IOWA
	By
Attest:	Mayor
By City Clerk	

OFFICIAL BID FORM

Item 11.

City of Oelwein 20 2nd Avenue SW Oelwein, IA 50662

May 28, 2024 Speer Financial, Inc. Facsimile: (319) 291-8628

City Council:

County, Iowa (the "City"), as d	escribed in the than \$1,438	,400). The Bonds are to bear	Offering, which	is expressly made a par	t of this bid, we will pay you
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The foregoing bid wa of the good faith Deposit which ATTEST:		nd the Bonds sold by resolutio d in accordance with the terms		Official Terms of Offe	
City Clerk		NOT PART OF			Mayor

City Clerk		Mayor
	NOT PART OF THE BID(Calculation of true interest cost)	

	(Calculation	of true interest cost)		
Gross Inter	rest	\$		
Less Premium/Plus Discount		\$		
True Interest Cost		\$		
True Intere	est Rate		%	
	TOTAL BOND YEARS	8,373.33		
	AVERAGE LIFE	5.775 Years		

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OFFICIAL TERMS OF OFFERING

\$1,450,000* CITY OF OELWEIN Fayette County, Iowa

General Obligation Bridge Improvement Bonds, Series 2024

The City of Oelwein, Fayette County, Iowa, (the "City"), will receive electronic bids on the SpeerAuction ("SpeerAuction") website address "www.SpeerAuction.com" for its \$1,450,000* General Obligation Bridge Improvement Bonds, Series 2024 (the "Bonds"), on an all or none basis between 10:30 A.M. and 11:00 A.M., C.D.T., Tuesday, May 28, 2024. To bid electronically, bidders must have: (1) completed the registration form on the SpeerAuction website, and (2) requested and received admission to the City's sale (as described below). The City will also receive sealed bids for the Bonds, on an all or none basis, at City Hall, 20 2nd Avenue SW, Oelwein, Iowa, before 11:00 A.M., C.D.T., Tuesday, May 28, 2024. The City will also receive facsimile bids at (319) 291-8628 for the Bonds, on an all or none basis, before 11:00 A.M., C.D.T., Tuesday, May 28, 2024. Upon receipt, facsimile bids will be sealed and treated as sealed bids, and along with all other sealed bids will be publicly opened and, together with any electronic bids, read.

Award will be made or all bids rejected at a meeting of the City on that date. The City reserves the right to reject all bids, to reject any bid proposal not conforming to this Official Terms of Offering, and to waive any irregularity or informality with respect to any bid. Additionally, the City reserves the right to modify or amend this Official Terms of Offering; however, any such modification or amendment shall not be made less than twenty-four (24) hours prior to the date and time for receipt of bids on the Bonds and any such modification or amendment will be announced on the Amendments Page of the SpeerAuction webpage and through *Thomson Municipal News*.

The Bonds are valid and binding general obligations of the City, and all taxable property within the boundaries of the City is subject to the levy of taxes to pay the principal of and interest on the Bonds without constitutional or statutory limitation as to rate or amount.

*ADJUSTMENTS TO PRINCIPAL AMOUNT AFTER DETERMINATION OF BEST BID. The aggregate principal amount of the Bonds, and each scheduled maturity thereof, are subject to increase or reduction by the City or its designee after the determination of the Winning Bidder. The City may increase or decrease each maturity in increments of \$5,000, but the total amount to be issued will not exceed \$1,500,000. Interest rates specified by the Winning Bidder for each maturity will not change. Final adjustments shall be in the sole discretion of the City.

The dollar amount of the purchase price proposed by the Winning Bidder will be changed if the aggregate principal amount of the Bonds is adjusted as described above. Any change in the principal amount of any maturity of the Bonds will be made while maintaining, as closely as possible, the Winning Bidder's net compensation, calculated as a percentage of bond principal. The Winning Bidder may not withdraw or modify its bid as a result of any post-bid adjustment. Any adjustment shall be conclusive, and shall be binding upon the Winning Bidder.

Establishment of Issue Price

(a) The winning bidder shall assist the City in establishing the issue price of the Bonds and shall execute and deliver to the City at closing an "issue price" or similar certificate setting forth the reasonably expected initial offering price to the Public or the sales price or prices of the Bonds, together with the supporting pricing wires or equivalent communications, substantially in the form attached hereto as **Exhibit A** to this Official Terms of Offering, with such modifications as may be appropriate or necessary, in the reasonable judgment of the winning bidder, the City and Dorsey & Whitney LLP ("Bond Counsel"). All actions to be taken by the City under this Official Terms of Offering to establish the issue price of the Bonds may be taken on behalf of the City by the City's municipal advisor and any notice or report to be provided to the City may be provided to Speer Financial, Inc., Chicago, Illinois ("Speer").

- (b) The City intends that the provisions of Treasury Regulation Section 1.148-1(f)(3)(i) (defining "competitive sale" for purposes of establishing the issue price of the Bonds) will apply to the initial sale of the Bonds (the "competitive sale requirements") because:
 - (i) the City shall disseminate this Official Terms of Offering to potential Underwriters in a manner that is reasonably designed to reach potential Underwriters;
 - (ii) all bidders shall have an equal opportunity to bid;
 - (iii) the City may receive bids from at least three Underwriters of municipal bonds who have established industry reputations for underwriting new issuances of municipal bonds; and
 - (iv) the City anticipates awarding the sale of the Bonds to the bidder who submits a firm offer to purchase the Bonds at the lowest true interest cost, as set forth in this Official Terms of Offering.

Any bid submitted pursuant to this Official Terms of Offering shall be considered a firm offer for the purchase of the Bonds, as specified in the bid.

- (c) In the event that the competitive sale requirements are not satisfied, the City shall so advise the winning bidder. The City will not require bidders to comply with the "hold-the-offering-price rule" and therefore does not intend to use the initial offering price to the Public as of the Sale Date of any maturity of the Bonds as the issue price of that maturity, though the winning bidder may elect to apply the "hold the offering price rule" (as described below). Bids will not be subject to cancellation in the event that the competitive sale requirements are not satisfied. Unless a bidder intends to apply the "hold-the-offering-price rule" as described below, bidders should prepare their bids on the assumption that all of the maturities of the Bonds will be subject to the 10% test (as described below) in order to establish the issue price of the Bonds. If the competitive sale requirements are not satisfied, the 10% test shall apply to determine the issue price of each maturity of the Bonds unless the winning bidder shall request that the "hold-the-offering-price rule" (as described below) shall apply. The winning bidder must notify Speer of its intention to apply the "hold-the-offering-price rule" at or prior to the time the Bonds are awarded.
 - (i) If the winning bidder <u>does not</u> request that the "hold-the-offering-price rule" apply to determine the issue price of the Bonds, the following two paragraphs shall apply:

The City shall treat the first price at which 10% of a maturity of the Bonds (the "10% test") is sold to the Public as the issue price of that maturity, applied on a maturity-by-maturity basis. The winning bidder shall advise the City if any maturity of the Bonds satisfies the 10% test as of the date and time of the award of the Bonds.

Until the 10% test has been satisfied as to each maturity of the Bonds, the winning bidder agrees to promptly report to the City the prices at which the unsold Bonds of that maturity have been sold to the Public. That reporting obligation shall continue, whether or not the closing date has occurred, until the 10% test has been satisfied as to the Bonds of that maturity or until all Bonds of that maturity have been sold to the Public. In addition, if the 10% test has not been satisfied with respect to any maturity of the Bonds prior to closing, then the purchaser shall provide the City with a representation as to the price of prices, as of the date of closing, at which the purchaser reasonably expects to sell the remaining Bonds of such maturity.

(ii) If the winning bidder <u>does</u> request that the "hold-the-offering-price rule" apply to determine the issue price of the Bonds, the following three paragraphs shall apply:

The City may determine to treat (i) pursuant to the 10% test, the first price at which 10% of a maturity of the Bonds is sold to the Public as the issue price of that maturity and/or (ii) the initial offering price to the Public as of the Sale Date of any maturity of the Bonds as the issue price of that maturity (the "hold-the-offering-price rule"), in each case applied on a maturity-by-maturity basis. The winning bidder shall advise the City if any maturity of the Bonds satisfies the 10% test as of the date and time of the award of the Bonds. The City shall promptly advise the winning bidder, at or before the time of award of the Bonds, which maturities of the Bonds shall be subject to the 10% test or shall be subject to the hold-the-offering-price rule or both. Bids will *not* be subject to cancellation in the event that the City determines to apply the hold-the-offering-price rule to any maturity of the Bonds.

By submitting a bid, the winning bidder shall (i) confirm that the Underwriters have offered or will offer the Bonds to the Public on or before the date of award at the offering price or prices (the "initial offering price"), and (ii) agree, on behalf of the Underwriters participating in the purchase of the Bonds, that the Underwriters will neither offer nor sell unsold Bonds of any maturity to which the hold-the-offering-price rule shall apply to any person at a price that is higher than the initial offering price to the Public during the period starting on the Sale Date and ending on the earlier of the following:

- (1) the close of the fifth business day after the Sale Date; or
- (2) the date on which the Underwriters have sold at least 10% of that maturity of the Bonds to the Public at a price that is no higher than the initial offering price to the Public.

The City acknowledges that, in making the representation set forth above, the winning bidder will rely on (i) the agreement of each Underwriter to comply with the hold-the-offering-price rule, as set forth in an agreement among Underwriters and the related pricing wires, (ii) in the event a selling group has been created in connection with the initial sale of the Bonds to the Public, the agreement of each dealer who is a member of the selling group to comply with the hold-the-offeringprice rule, as set forth in a selling group agreement and the related pricing wires, and (iii) in the event that an Underwriter is a party to a retail distribution agreement that was employed in connection with the initial sale of the Bonds to the Public, the agreement of each broker-dealer that is a party to such agreement to comply with the hold-the-offering-price rule, as set forth in the retail distribution agreement and the related pricing wires. The City further acknowledges that each Underwriter shall be solely liable for its failure to comply with its agreement regarding the hold-the-offering-price rule and that no Underwriter shall be liable for the failure of any other Underwriter, or of any dealer who is a member of a selling group, or of any broker-dealer that is a party to a retail distribution agreement to comply with its corresponding agreement regarding the hold-theoffering-price applicable to the Bonds.

- (d) By submitting a bid, each bidder confirms that: (i) any agreement among Underwriters, any selling group agreement and each retail distribution agreement (to which the bidder is a party) relating to the initial sale of the Bonds to the Public, together with the related pricing wires, contains or will contain language obligating each Underwriter, each dealer who is a member of the selling group, and each broker-dealer that is a party to such retail distribution agreement, as applicable, to (a) report the prices at which it sells to the Public the unsold Bonds of each maturity allotted to it until it is notified by the winning bidder that either the 10% test has been satisfied as to the Bonds of that maturity or all Bonds of that maturity have been sold to the Public and (b) comply with the hold-the-offering-price rule, if applicable, in each case if and for so long as directed by the winning bidder and as set forth in the related pricing wires which shall be at least until the 10% test has been satisfied as to the Bonds of that maturity or until the close of the fifth business day following the date of the award, and (ii) any agreement among Underwriters relating to the initial sale of the Bonds to the Public, together with the related pricing wires, contains or will contain language obligating each Underwriter that is a party to a retail distribution agreement to be employed in connection with the initial sale of the Bonds to the Public to require each broker-dealer that is a party to such retail distribution agreement to (a) report the prices at which it sells to the Public the unsold Bonds of each maturity allotted to it until it is notified by the winning bidder or such Underwriter that either the 10% test has been satisfied as to the Bonds of that maturity or all Bonds of that maturity have been sold to the Public and (b) comply with the hold-the-offering-price rule, if applicable, in each case if and for so long as directed by the winning bidder or such Underwriter and as set forth in the related pricing wires, which shall be at least until the 10% test has been satisfied as to the Bonds of that maturity or until the close of the fifth business day following the date of the award.
- (e) Sales of any Bonds to any person that is a Related Party to an Underwriter shall not constitute sales to the Public for purposes of this Official Terms of Offering. Further, for purposes of this Official Terms of Offering:
 - (i) "Public" means any person other than an Underwriter or a Related Party,
 - (ii) "Underwriter" means (A) any person that agrees pursuant to a written contract with the City (or with the lead underwriter to form an underwriting syndicate) to participate in the initial sale of the Bonds to the public including, specifically, the purchaser, and (b) any person that agrees pursuant to a written contract directly or indirectly with a person described in clause (A) to participate in the initial sale of the Bonds to the Public (including a member of a selling group or a party to a retail distribution agreement participating in the initial sale of the Bonds to the Public),
 - (iii) a purchaser of any of the Bonds is a "Related Party" to an Underwriter if the Underwriter and the purchaser are subject, directly or indirectly, to (i) at least 50% common ownership of the voting power or the total value of their stock, if both entities are corporations (including direct ownership by one corporation of another), (ii) more than 50% common ownership of their capital interests or profits interests, if both entities are partnerships (including direct ownership by one partnership of another), or (iii) more than 50% common ownership of the value of the outstanding stock of the corporation or the capital interests or profit interests of the partnership, as applicable, if one entity is a corporation and the other entity is a partnership (including direct ownership of the applicable stock or interests by one entity of the other), and
 - (iv) "Sale Date" means the date that the Bonds are awarded by the City to the winning bidder.

Bond Details

The Bonds will be in fully registered form in the denominations of \$5,000 and integral multiples thereof in the name of Cede & Co. as nominee of The Depository Trust Company ("DTC"), New York, New York, to which principal and interest payments on the Bonds will be paid. Individual purchases will be in book-entry form only. Interest on each Bond shall be paid by check or draft of the Bond Registrar to the person in whose name such Bond is registered at the close of business on the fifteenth day of the month next preceding an interest payment date on such bond. The principal of the Bonds shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the principal office maintained for the purpose by the Bond Registrar in West Des Moines, Iowa. Semiannual interest is due June 1 and December 1 of each year, commencing December 1, 2024 and is payable by UMB Bank, n.a., West Des Moines, Iowa (the "Bond Registrar"). The Bonds are dated the date of delivery (expected to be on or about June 25, 2024).

AMOUNTS* AND MATURITIES – JUNE 1

\$120,0002025	\$135,000	2028	\$160,000	2032
125,0002026	140,000	2029	165,000	2033
130,0002027	145,000	2030	175,000	2034
	155 000	2031		

Any consecutive maturities may be aggregated into term bonds at the option of the bidder, in which case the mandatory redemption provisions shall be on the same schedule as above.

The Bonds due June 1, 2025 - 2031, inclusive, are non-callable. The Bonds due June 1, 2032 - 2034, inclusive, are callable in whole or in part and on any date on or after June 1, 2031, at a price of par and accrued interest. If less than all the Bonds are called, they shall be redeemed in any order of maturity as determined by the City and within any maturity by lot.

Method of Bidding Electronically

Notwithstanding the fact that the City permits receiving bids electronically using SpeerAuction, all bidders must have a signed, but uncompleted, Official Bid Form delivered to Speer Financial, Inc., Suite 608, 531 Commercial Street, Waterloo, Iowa, (319) 291-8628 facsimile, prior to the close of bidding to which a printout of the electronic bid will be attached and delivered to the City.

If bidding electronically, all-or-none bids must be submitted via the internet address www.SpeerAuction.com. The use of SpeerAuction shall be at the bidder's risk and expense and the City shall have no liability with respect thereto, including (without limitation) liability with respect to incomplete, late arriving and non-arriving bids.

To bid via the SpeerAuction webpage, bidders must first visit the SpeerAuction webpage where, if they have not previously registered with either SpeerAuction, Grant Street Group (the "Auction Administrator") or any other website administered by the Auction Administrator, they may register and then request admission to bid on the Bonds. Bidders will be notified prior to the scheduled bidding time of their eligibility to bid. Only registered broker-dealers and dealer banks with DTC clearing arrangements will be eligible to bid electronically.

The "Rules" of the SpeerAuction bidding process may be viewed on the SpeerAuction webpage and are incorporated herein by reference. Bidders must comply with the Rules of SpeerAuction in addition to the requirements of the City's Official Terms of Offering. In the event the Rules of SpeerAuction and this Official Terms of Offering conflict, this Official Terms of Offering shall be controlling.

All electronic bids must be submitted on the SpeerAuction webpage. Electronic bidders may change and submit bids as many times as they choose during the sale period but may not delete a submitted bid. The last bid submitted by an electronic bidder before the deadline for receipt of bids will be compared to all other final bids to determine the winning bidder. During the bidding, no bidder will see any other bidder's bid nor the status of their bid relative to other bids (e.g., whether their bid is a leading bid). The electronic bidder bears all risk of transmission failure. Any questions regarding bidding on the SpeerAuction website should be directed to Grant Street Group at (412) 391-5555 x 370.

Each bidder shall be solely responsible for making necessary arrangements to access SpeerAuction for purposes of submitting its internet bid in a timely manner and in compliance with the requirements of the Terms of Offering. The City is permitting bidders to use the services of the SpeerAuction solely as a communication mechanism to conduct the internet bidding and the SpeerAuction is not an agent of the City. Provisions of the Terms of Offering and Official Bid Form shall control in the event of conflict with information provided by the Internet Bid System.

<u>Electronic Facsimile Bidding</u>: Bids may be submitted via facsimile at (319) 291-8628. Electronic facsimile bids will be sealed and treated as sealed bids. Neither the City nor its agents will assume liability for the inability of the bidder to reach the above named fax numbers prior to the time of sale specified above. Transmissions received after the deadline will be rejected. Bidders electing to submit bids via facsimile transmission bear full and complete responsibility for the transmission of such bid. Neither the City nor its agents will assume responsibility for the inability of the bidder to reach the above specified fax number prior to the time of sale. Time of receipt shall be the time recorded by the person receiving the facsimile and shall be conclusive.

Bidding Parameters and Award of the Bonds

All interest rates must be in multiples of one-eighth or one one-hundredth of one percent (1/8 or 1/100 of 1%), and not more than one rate for a single maturity shall be specified. The rates bid shall be in non-descending order. The differential between the highest rate bid and the lowest rate bid shall not exceed six percent (6%). All bids must be for all of the Bonds and must be for not less than \$1,438,400.

Award of the Bonds: The Bonds will be awarded on the basis of true interest cost, determined in the following manner. True interest cost shall be computed by determining the annual interest rate (compounded semi-annually) necessary to discount the debt service payments on the Bonds from the payment dates thereof to the dated date and to the bid price. For the purpose of calculating true interest cost, the Bonds shall be deemed to become due in the principal amounts and at the times set forth in the table of maturities set forth above. In the event two or more qualifying bids produce the identical lowest true interest cost, the winning bid shall be the bid that was submitted first in time on the SpeerAuction webpage or if all such bids are not submitted electronically, the winning bid shall be determined by lot.

The Bonds will be awarded to the bidder complying with the terms of this Official Terms of Offering whose bid produces the lowest true interest cost rate to the City as determined by the City's Registered Municipal Advisor, which determination shall be conclusive and binding on all bidders; provided, that the City reserves the right to reject all bids or any non-conforming bid and reserves the right to waive any informality in any bid. Electronic bidders should verify the accuracy of their final bids and compare them to the winning bids reported on the SpeerAuction Observation Page immediately after the bidding.

The premium or discount, if any, is subject to pro rata adjustment if the maturity amounts of the Bonds are changed, maintaining, as close as possible, the same dollar amount of profit per \$1,000 bond as bid.

The true interest cost of each electronic bid will be computed by SpeerAuction and reported on the Observation Page of the SpeerAuction webpage immediately following the date and time for receipt of bids. These true interest costs are subject to verification by the City's Municipal Advisor, will be posted for information purposes only and will not signify an actual award of any bid or an official declaration of the winning bid. The City or its Municipal Advisor will notify the bidder to whom the Bonds will be awarded, if and when such award is made.

The winning bidder will be required to make the standard filings and maintain the appropriate records routinely required pursuant to MSRB Rules G-8, G-11 and G-36. The winning bidder will be required to pay the standard MSRB charge for Bonds purchased. In addition, the winning bidder who is a member of the Securities Industry and Financial Markets Association ("SIFMA") will be required to pay SIFMA's standard charge per Bond.

Good Faith Deposit and Other Matters

The winning bidder is required to a wire transfer from a solvent bank or trust company to the City's good faith bank the amount of **TWO PERCENT OF PAR** (the "Deposit") **WITHIN TWO HOURS** after the bid opening time as evidence of the good faith of the bidder. Alternatively, a bidder may submit its Deposit upon or prior to the submission of its bid in the form of a certified or cashier's check on, or a wire transfer from, a solvent bank or trust company for **TWO PERCENT OF PAR** payable to the Treasurer of the City. The City reserves the right to award the Bonds to a winning bidder whose wire transfer is initiated but not received within such two hour time period provided that such winning bidder's federal wire reference number has been received. In the event the Deposit is not received as provided above, the City may award the Bonds to the bidder submitting the next best bid provided such bidder agrees to such award.

If a wire transfer is used for the Deposit, it must be sent according to the following wire instructions:

Amalgamated Bank of Chicago Corporate Trust 30 North LaSalle Street 38th Floor Chicago, IL 60602 ABA # 071003405

Credit To: 3281 Speer Bidding Escrow RE: City of Oelwein, Fayette County, Iowa bid for \$1,450,000* General Obligation Bridge Improvement Bonds, Series 2024

If the wire shall arrive in such account prior to the date and time of the sale of the Bonds. Contemporaneously with such wire transfer, the prospective purchaser shall send an email to biddingescrow@aboc.com with the following information: (1) indication that a wire transfer has been made, (2) the amount of the wire transfer, (3) the issue to which it applies, and (4) the return wire instructions if such prospective purchaser is not awarded the Bonds. The City and any prospective purchaser who chooses to wire the Deposit hereby agree irrevocably that Speer Financial, Inc. ("Speer") shall be the escrow holder of the Deposit wired to such account subject only to these conditions and duties: (i) if the bid is not accepted, Speer shall, at its expense, promptly return the Deposit amount to the unsuccessful prospective purchaser; (ii) if the bid is accepted, the Deposit shall be forwarded to the City, (iii) Speer shall bear all costs of maintaining the escrow account and returning the funds to the prospective purchaser; (iv) Speer shall not be an insurer of the Deposit amount and shall have no liability except if it willfully fails to perform, or recklessly disregards, its duties specified herein; and (v) income earned on the Deposit, if any, shall be retained by Speer.

The City covenants and agrees to enter into a written agreement, certificate or contract, constituting an undertaking (the "Undertaking") to provide ongoing disclosure about the City for the benefit of the beneficial owners of the Bonds on or before the date of delivery of the Bonds as required under Section (b)(5) of Rule 15c2-12 (the "Rule") adopted by the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. The Undertaking shall be as described in the Official Statement, with such changes as may be agreed in writing by the Underwriter.

The Underwriter's obligation to purchase the Bonds shall be conditioned upon the City delivering the Undertaking on or before the date of delivery of the Bonds.

The Bonds will be delivered to the successful purchaser against full payment in immediately available funds as soon as they can be prepared and executed, which is expected to be on or about June 25, 2024. Should delivery be delayed beyond sixty (60) days from the date of sale for any reason beyond the control of the City except failure of performance by the purchaser, the City may cancel the award or the purchaser may withdraw the good faith deposit and thereafter the purchaser's interest in and liability for the Bonds will cease.

The Official Statement, when further supplemented by an addendum or addenda specifying the maturity dates, principal amounts, and interest rates of the Bonds, and any other information required by law or deemed appropriate by the City, shall constitute a "Final Official Statement" of the City with respect to the Bonds, as that term is defined in the Rule. By awarding the Bonds to any underwriter or underwriting syndicate, the City agrees that, no more than seven (7) business days after the date of such award, it shall provide, without cost to the senior managing underwriter of the syndicate to which the Bonds are awarded, up to 50 copies of the Final Official Statement to permit each "Participating Underwriter" (as that term is defined in the Rule) to comply with the provisions of such Rule. The City shall treat the senior managing underwriter of the syndicate to which the Bonds are awarded as its designated agent for purposes of distributing copies of the Final Official Statement to each Participating Underwriter. Any underwriter executing and delivering an Official Bid Form with respect to the Bonds agrees thereby that if its bid is accepted by the City it shall enter into a contractual relationship with all Participating Underwriters of the Bonds for purposes of assuring the receipt by each such Participating Underwriter of the Final Official Statement.

By submission of its bid, the senior managing underwriter of the successful purchaser agrees to supply all necessary pricing information and any Participating Underwriter identification necessary to complete the Official Statement within 24 hours after award of the Bonds. Additional copies of the Final Official Statement may be obtained by Participating Underwriters from the printer at cost.

The City will, at its expense, deliver the Bonds to the purchaser in New York, New York (or arrange for "FAST" delivery) through the facilities of DTC and will pay for the bond attorney's opinion. At the time of closing, the City will also furnish to the purchaser the following documents, each dated as of the date of delivery of the Bonds: (1) the legal opinion of Dorsey & Whitney LLP, Des Moines, Iowa, that the Bonds are lawful and enforceable obligations of the City in accordance with their terms; (2) the opinion of said attorneys that the interest on the Bonds is exempt from federal income taxes as and to the extent set forth in the Official Statement for the Bonds; and (3) a no litigation certificate by the City.

The City intends to designate the Bonds as "qualified tax-exempt obligations" pursuant to the small issuer exception provided by Section 265(b) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.

Purchaser consents to the receipt of electronic transcripts and acknowledges the City's intended use of electronically executed documents. Iowa Code Chapter 554D establishes electronic signatures have the full weight and legal authority as manual signatures.

The City has authorized the printing and distribution of an Official Statement containing pertinent information relative to the City and the Bonds. Copies of such Official Statement or additional information may be obtained from Dylan Mulfinger, City Administrator, City of Oelwein, 20 2nd Avenue S.W., Oelwein, Iowa, 50662 or an electronic copy of this Official Statement is available from the www.speerfinancial.com website under "Official Statement Sales/Competitive Calendar" or from the Registered Municipal Advisor to the City, Speer Financial, Inc., 531 Commercial Street, Suite 608, Waterloo, Iowa 50701 (telephone (319) 291-2077), and 230 West Monroe Street, Suite 2630, Chicago, Illinois 60606 (telephone (312) 346-3700).

/s/ DYLAN MULFINGER
City Administrator
CITY OF OELWEIN

Fayette County, Iowa

EXHIBIT A EXAMPLE ISSUE PRICE CERTIFICATE

\$1,450,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION BRIDGE IMPROVEMENT BONDS, SERIES 2024

Form of ISSUE PRICE CERTIFICATE

(Fewer than 3 Bids)

The undersigned, on behalf of [NAME OF UNDERWRITER/REPRESENTATIVE] (["[SHORT NAME OF UNDERWRITER]")][the "Representative")][, on behalf of itself and [UNDERWRITER OF OTHER UNDERWRITERS] (together, the "Underwriting Group"),] hereby certifies as set forth below with respect to the sale of the obligations named above (the "Bonds").

- 1. *Initial Offering Price of the Bonds*. [SHORT NAME OF UNDERWRITER][The Underwriting Group] offered the Bonds to the Public for purchase at the specified initial offering prices listed in Schedule A (the "Initial Offering Prices") on or before the Sale Date. A copy of the pricing wire for the Bonds is attached to this certificate as Schedule B.
- 2. *First Price at which Sold to the Public*. On the Sale Date, at least 10% of each Maturity [listed in Schedule C] was first sold to the Public at the respective Initial Offering Price [or price specified [therein][in Schedule C], if different].
- 3. Hold the Offering Price Rule. [SHORT NAME OF UNDERWRITER][Each member of the Underwriting Group] has agreed in writing that, (i) for each Maturity less than 10% of which was first sold to the Public at a single price as of the Sale Date, it would neither offer nor sell any of the Bonds of such Maturity to any person at a price that is higher than the Initial Offering Price for such Maturity during the Holding Period for such Maturity (the "Hold-the-Offering-Price Rule"), and (ii) any agreement among underwriters, selling group agreement, or third-party distribution agreement contains the agreement of each underwriter, dealer, or broker-dealer who is a party to such agreement to comply with the Hold-the-Offering-Price Rule. Based on the [Representative][SHORT NAME OF UNDERWRITER]'s own knowledge and, in the case of sales by other Members of the Distribution Group, representations obtained from the other Members of the Distribution Group, no Member of the Distribution Group has offered or sold any such Maturity at a price that is higher than the respective Initial Offering Price during the respective Holding Period.
 - 4. **Defined Terms**. For purposes of this Issue Price Certificate:
- (a) Holding Period means the period starting on the Sale Date and ending on the earlier of (i) the close of the fifth business day after the Sale Date (June 4, 2024), or (ii) the date on which Members of the Distribution Group have sold at least 10% of such Maturity to the Public at one or more prices, none of which is higher than the Initial Offering Price for such Maturity.
 - (b) *Issuer* means the City of Oelwein, Iowa.

- (c) Maturity means Bonds with the same credit and payment terms. Any Bonds with different maturity dates, or with the same maturity date but different stated interest rates, are treated as separate Maturities.
- (d) Member of the Distribution Group means (i) any person that agrees pursuant to a written contract with the Issuer (or with the lead underwriter to form an underwriting syndicate) to participate in the initial sale of the Bonds to the Public, and (ii) any person that agrees pursuant to a written contract directly or indirectly with a person described in clause (i) of this paragraph to participate in the initial sale of the Bonds to the Public (including a member of a selling group or a party to a retail distribution agreement participating in the initial sale of the Bonds to the Public).
- (e) Public means any person (i.e., an individual, trust, estate, partnership, association, company, or corporation) other than a Member of the Distribution Group or a related party to a Member of the Distribution Group. A person is a "related party" to a Member of the Distribution Group if the Member of the Distribution Group and that person are subject, directly or indirectly, to (i) at least 50% common ownership of the voting power or the total value of their stock, if both entities are corporations (including direct ownership by one corporation of another), (ii) more than 50% common ownership of their capital interests or profits interests, if both entities are partnerships (including direct ownership by one partnership of another), or (iii) more than 50% common ownership of the value of the outstanding stock of the corporation or the capital interests or profit interests of the partnership, as applicable, if one entity is a corporation and the other entity is a partnership (including direct ownership of the applicable stock or interests by one entity of the other).
- (f) Sale Date means the first day on which there is a binding contract in writing for the sale of the respective Maturity. The Sale Date of each Maturity was May 28, 2024.

The representations set forth in this certificate are limited to factual matters only. Nothing in this certificate represents [NAME OF UNDERWRITING FIRM] interpretation of any laws, including specifically Sections 103 and 148 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, and the Treasury Regulations thereunder. The undersigned understands that the foregoing information will be relied upon by the Issuer with respect to certain of the representations set forth in the Closing Certificate and with respect to compliance with the federal income tax rules affecting the Bonds, and by Dorsey & Whitney LLP in connection with rendering its opinion that the interest on the Bonds is excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes, the preparation of the Internal Revenue Service Form 8038-G, and other federal income tax advice that it may give to the Issuer from time to time relating to the Bonds.

	[UNDERWRITER][REPRESENTATIVE]
	By:
D 1 2 0 00 00 1	Name:
Dated: June 25, 2024	

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SCHEDULE A INITIAL OFFERING PRICES OF THE BONDS

SCHEDULE B PRICING WIRE

SCHEDULE C

SALES OF AT LEAST 10% OF MATURITY TO THE PUBLIC ON THE SALE DATE AT THE INITIAL OFFERING PRICE

\$1,450,000 GENERAL OBLIGATION BRIDGE IMPROVEMENT BONDS, SERIES 2024

Form of ISSUE PRICE CERTIFICATE

(3 or More Bids)

The undersigned, on behalf of [NAME OF UNDERWRITER] ("[SHORT NAME OF UNDERWRITER]"), hereby certifies as set forth below with respect to the sale of the obligations named above (the "Bonds").

1. Reasonably Expected Initial Offering Price.

- (a) As of the Sale Date, the reasonably expected initial offering prices of the Bonds to the Public by [SHORT NAME OF UNDERWRITER] are the prices listed in Schedule A (the "Expected Offering Prices"). The Expected Offering Prices are the prices for the Maturities of the Bonds used by [SHORT NAME OF UNDERWRITER] in formulating its bid to purchase the Bonds. Attached as Schedule B is a true and correct copy of the bid provided by [SHORT NAME OF UNDERWRITER] to purchase the Bonds.
- (b) [SHORT NAME OF UNDERWRITER] was not given the opportunity to review other bids prior to submitting its bid.
- (c) The bid submitted by [SHORT NAME OF UNDERWRITER] constituted a firm offer to purchase the Bonds.
 - 2. **Defined Terms.** For purposes of this Issue Price Certificate:
 - (a) *Issuer* means the City of Oelwein, Iowa.
- (b) *Maturity* means Bonds with the same credit and payment terms. Any Bonds with different maturity dates, or with the same maturity date but different stated interest rates, are treated as separate Maturities.
- (c) Member of the Distribution Group means (i) any person that agrees pursuant to a written contract with the Issuer (or with the lead underwriter to form an underwriting syndicate) to participate in the initial sale of the Bonds to the Public, and (ii) any person that agrees pursuant to a written contract directly or indirectly with a person described in clause (i) of this paragraph to participate in the initial sale of the Bonds to the Public (including a member of a selling group or a party to a retail distribution agreement participating in the initial sale of the Bonds to the Public).
- (d) Public means any person (i.e., an individual, trust, estate, partnership, association, company, or corporation) other than a Member of the Distribution Group or a related party to a Member of the Distribution Group. A person is a "related party" to a Member of the Distribution Group if the Member of the Distribution Group and that person are subject, directly or indirectly, to (i) at least 50% common ownership of the voting power or the total value of their stock, if both entities are corporations (including direct ownership by one corporation of another), (ii) more than 50% common ownership of their capital interests or profits interests, if both entities

are partnerships (including direct ownership by one partnership of another), or (iii) more than 50% common ownership of the value of the outstanding stock of the corporation or the capital interests or profit interests of the partnership, as applicable, if one entity is a corporation and the other entity is a partnership (including direct ownership of the applicable stock or interests by one entity of the other).

(e) Sale Date means the first day on which there is a binding contract in writing for the sale of the respective Maturity. The Sale Date of each Maturity was May 28, 2024.

The representations set forth in this certificate are limited to factual matters only. Nothing in this certificate represents [SHORT NAME OF UNDERWRITER]'s interpretation of any laws, including specifically Sections 103 and 148 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, and the Treasury Regulations thereunder. The undersigned understands that the foregoing information will be relied upon by the Issuer with respect to certain of the representations set forth in the Closing Certificate and with respect to compliance with the federal income tax rules affecting the Bonds, and by Dorsey & Whitney LLP in connection with rendering its opinion that the interest on the Bonds is excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes, the preparation of the Internal Revenue Service Form 8038-G and other federal income tax advice that it may give to the Issuer from time to time relating to the Bonds.

	[UNDERWRITER]
	By:
-4-1. Iv 25, 2024	Name:

Dated: June 25, 2024

SCHEDULE A EXPECTED OFFERING PRICES

SCHEDULE B COPY OF UNDERWRITER'S BID

RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AND NONUNION SALARIES FOR CITY EMPLOYEES

Be it resolved by the City Council of the City of Oelwein, Iowa that the following salary schedule is hereby adopted and effective with Pay Period Date Beginning June 30, 2024 through the pay period ending June 26, 2027.

SECTION 1.

Aquatic Center					
			Second	Third	Fourth
		Start	Season	Season	Season
Manager	Hourly	\$15.00	\$15.45	\$15.91	\$16.78
Assistant Manager	Hourly	\$12.36	\$12.73	\$13.11	\$13.50
Lifeguard	Hourly	\$10.30	\$10.61	\$10.93	\$11.26
Front Desk & Maintenance	Hourly	\$8.24	\$8.49	\$8.74	\$9.00
Concession Manager	Hourly	\$12.36	\$12.73	\$13.11	\$13.50
Private Lessons with Water Safety I	nstructor	Additional \$.50			
Season End Stipend for All Hours W	/orked*	Additional \$.25			
*Must work the entire regular season to ear	rn the season end	stipend.			

Building & Inspections							Service Ste	ps			
		FY25 - Start	1 Year	2 Years	4 Years	7 Years	10 Years	15 Years	20 Years	25 Years	30 Years
Administrative Assistant	Hourly	\$21.40	\$22.26	\$23.15	\$23.61	\$24.08	\$24.56	\$25.05	\$25.30	\$25.56	\$25.81
Code Enforcement Officer	Hourly	\$22.14	\$24.58	\$26.30	\$26.82	\$27.36	\$27.91	\$28.46	\$28.75	\$29.04	\$29.33
Building Inspector	Hourly	\$25.26	\$27.03	\$28.92	\$29.50	\$30.09	\$30.69	\$31.30	\$31.62	\$31.93	\$32.25
		Supervisor Service Steps									
					3 Years	7 Years	10 Years	15 Years	20 Years	25 Years	30 Years
Zoning Admin/Building Official	Bi-Weekly	\$2,643.58			1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%

City Hall							Service Ste	ps			
		FY25 - Start	1 Year	2 Years	4 Years	7 Years	10 Years	15 Years	20 Years	25 Years	30 Years
Clerk/Admin Asst.	Hourly	\$21.40	\$22.26	\$23.15	\$23.61	\$24.08	\$24.56	\$25.05	\$25.30	\$25.56	\$25.81
Clerk 1	Hourly	\$23.51	\$24.45	\$25.43	\$25.94	\$26.46	\$26.98	\$27.52	\$27.80	\$28.08	\$28.36
Clerk 2	Hourly	\$24.80	\$25.79	\$26.82	\$27.36	\$27.91	\$28.47	\$29.03	\$29.33	\$29.62	\$29.91
						Super	visor Servi	ce Steps			
					3 Years	7 Years	10 Years	15 Years	20 Years	25 Years	30 Years
Clerk Treasurer	Bi-Weekly	\$3,522.45			1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
City Administrator	Bi-Weekly	\$4,980.19			1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%

Library (As approved by the Library Board)					
Pages	Hourly				
Part-Time	Hourly				

Part-Time Hourly
Outreach Librarian Hourly
Assistant Director Hourly
Director Bi-Weekly

Parks & Recreation							Service Ste	os			
		FY25 - Start	1 Year	2 Years	4 Years	7 Years	10 Years	15 Years	20 Years	25 Years	30 Years
Parks Lead	Hourly	\$22.20	\$24.86	\$26.60	\$27.14	\$27.68	\$28.23	\$28.80	\$29.09	\$29.38	\$29.67
						Super	visor Servic	e Steps			
					3 Years	7 Years	10 Years	15 Years	20 Years	25 Years	30 Years
Parks Superintendent	Bi-Weekly	\$3,130.04			1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Campground Host		\$160.00 per we	ek (Include	es Camping	; Fees)						
			Second	Third	Fourth						
		Start	Season	Season	Season						
Seasonal/Part-time/Temporary	Hourly	\$15.00	\$15.45	\$15.91	\$16.39						
Referee	Hourly	\$12.00									
Tennis Instructor	Hourly	\$12.00									
Umpire with Partner		\$20 (per game)									
Umpire without Partner		\$25 (per game)									
Police Department					Service Steps						
		FY25 - Start	1 Year	2 Years	4 Years	7 Years	10 Years	15 Years	20 Years	25 Years	30 Years
Dispatch/Clerical	Hourly	\$21.40	\$22.26	\$23.15	\$23.61	\$24.08	\$24.56	\$25.05	\$25.30	\$25.56	\$25.81
Admin Asst/Dispatch	Hourly	\$22.40	\$23.30	\$24.23	\$24.71	\$25.21	\$25.71	\$26.22	\$26.49	\$26.75	\$27.02
Officer	Hourly	Per Contract									
Police Part-Time Certified	Hourly	1 Year Officer									
Police Part-Time Non-Certified	Hourly	\$21.03-\$26.20									
						Super	visor Servic	e Steps			
Lieutenant - Second					3 Years	7 Years	10 Years	15 Years	20 Years	25 Years	30 Years
Start - Non-Resident	Bi-Weekly	\$3,101.09			1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Start - Resident	Bi-Weekly	\$3,194.12			1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Lieutenant - First											
Start - Non-Resident	Bi-Weekly	\$3,141.90			1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Start - Resident	Bi-Weekly	\$3,236.16			1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Captain	Bi-Weekly	\$4,004.99			1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Chief	Bi-Weekly	\$4,711.76			1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%

Public Works			Service Steps								
		FY25 - Start	1 Year	2 Years	4 Years	7 Years	10 Years	15 Years	20 Years	25 Years	30 Years
Operator	Hourly	\$22.63	\$25.35	\$27.12	\$27.66	\$28.22	\$28.78	\$29.36	\$29.65	\$29.95	\$30.24
Grade I	Hourly	\$24.56	\$27.51	\$29.43	\$30.02	\$30.62	\$31.23	\$31.86	\$32.18	\$32.50	\$32.82
Grade II	Hourly	\$25.37	\$28.41	\$30.40	\$31.01	\$31.63	\$32.26	\$32.91	\$33.24	\$33.57	\$33.91
Grade III	Hourly	\$27.88	\$31.23	\$33.41	\$34.08	\$34.76	\$35.46	\$36.17	\$36.53	\$36.89	\$37.26
Grade IV	Hourly	\$29.76	\$33.33	\$35.66	\$36.38	\$37.11	\$37.85	\$38.60	\$38.99	\$39.38	\$39.77
					Superv isor Service Steps						
		FY25			3 Years	7 Years	10 Years	15 Years	20 Years	25 Years	30 Years
Water Street Lead	Hourly	\$33.31			1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Wastewater Lead	Hourly	\$36.40			1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Assistant Public Works Director	Bi-Weekly	\$3,042.31			1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Public Works Director	Bi-Weekly	\$3,823.10			1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
			Second	Third	Fourth						
		Start	Season	Season	Season						
Summer Help	Hourly	\$12.36	\$12.73	\$13.11	\$13.50						

SECTION 2. For full-time employee wages:

FY2026	4% increase for wages
FY2027	4% increase for wages

SECTION 3. For part-time, summer, seasonal, and temporary employee wages:

FY2026 & FY 2027 - Wages will be reviewed by the responsible department head and presented to the City Administrator for consideration and approval.

SECTION 4. Fulltime union & non-union personnel electing medical insurance coverage shall contribute toward premiums as outlined below.

Beginning Date	Single Coverage	Family Coverage
30-Jun-24	\$101.84	\$179.16

SECTION 5. An employee who takes on the Safety Official role appointed by the City Administrator receives an additional \$1.00 an hour annually. When the employee is no longer the safety official, the \$1.00 is taken away.

SECTION 6. A City Hall employee, with five years of service in a clerk setting, who takes on the Deputy Clerk/Asst. Treasurer/Office Manager roles are eligible to receive an additional \$1.00 an hour annually. When the employee becomes certified through the Iowa Municipal Finance Officers Association, they are eligible to receive \$1.50 additional pay.

RESOLUTION approving a Union Contract v	vith Chauffeurs, Teamsters and Helpers Local Union No. 238
WHEREAS, the City of Oelwein has a	public works union, and;
WHEREAS, the proposed union conti	ract is for one year and provides a four percent wage increase,
WHEREAS, the public works union of away a great deal of their barga	can only negotiate select few items as the state of lowa took ining rights, and;
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Chauffeurs, Teamsters and Helpers	City Council of Oelwein, Iowa approves a Union Contract with Local Union No. 238.
Passed and app	Brett DeVore, Mayor
Attest:	It was moved by and seconded by that the Resolution as read be adopted, and upon roll call there were: AYES NAYS ABSENT ABSTAIN Ricchio Weber
Dylan Mulfinger, City Administrator	Lenz Garrigus Seeders
Recorded May 14, 2024.	Payne

RESOLUTION NO. _____-2024



City of Oelwein

Oelwein, Iowa

And

Chauffeurs, Teamsters and Helpers Local Union No. 238

affiliated with the

International Brotherhood of Teamsters

Public Works

July 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025

City of Oelwein Oelwein, Iowa And

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AGREEMENT

This Agreement made and entered into by and between the City of Oelwein, Iowa, hereinafter referred to as the Employer, and Chauffeurs, Teamsters and Helpers Local No. 238, affiliated with the International Brotherhood of Teamsters, Chauffeurs, Warehousemen and Helpers of America, hereinafter referred to as the Union. The parties mutually agree as follows:

ARTICLE 1 -- COVERAGE

1.1 The Employer recognizes the Union as the exclusive collective bargaining representative of those classifications of employees as set forth by the Public Employee Relation Board Ruling Case No. 461, as amended by Case No. 6232.

Included: all full time and regular part time employees of the City of Oelwein in the Utilities Department, Street Department, and Clerks.

Excluded: the Cemetery Sexton, Supervisors of Public Works, Administrative Assistant and all persons excluded by Section 4 of the Act.

There shall be three (3) departments covered under this contract. They shall be referred to herein as the Street Department, the Utilities Department and the Clerical Department. The Street Department shall be comprised of one classification of worker referred to as Street Laborer. The Utilities Department shall be comprised of one classification of worker referred to as Operator. The Clerical shall be comprised of one classification of worker referred to as Clerk.

1.2 The purpose of the City and the Union in entering into this labor contract is to set forth their agreement on wages, and other conditions of employment to achieve the highest level of employee performance consistent with safety, good health and sustained effort.

ARTICLE 2 -- MAINTENANCE OF STANDARDS

- 2.1 The Employer agrees that all conditions of employment relating to wages, hours of work, overtime differentials, and general working conditions shall be maintained at not less than the highest standards in effect at the time of the signing of this Agreement, and the conditions of employment shall be improved wherever specific provisions for improvement are made elsewhere in this Agreement.
- 2.2 The term "employee" wherever used in this Agreement refers only to those employees included in the bargaining unit.
- 2.3 In the event both the City and the Union mutually agree in writing to amend or modify any terms or provisions of this Agreement, such amendments or modification in writing shall be subject to the

approval of the Mayor and the Council and the Business Representatives of the Union and will not be effective until such approval is given. In the event of disapproval of the Mayor and Council or the Business Representative of the Union, said amendment or modification shall be null and void and of no force or effect.

2.4 The parties acknowledge that during the negotiations which resulted in this Agreement, the Union had the unlimited right and opportunity to make demands and proposals with respect to any subject or matter not removed by law from the areas of collective bargaining and that the understandings and agreements arrived at by the parties after the exercise of that right and opportunity are set forth in this Agreement. Therefore, the Union, for the life of this Agreement, agrees that the Employer shall not be obligated to bargain collectively with respect to any subject or matter referred to or covered in this Agreement recognizing the right of the parties to mutually agree to discuss any subject or matter not specifically referred to or covered by this Agreement. Matters involving disputes as to the application or interpretation of this Agreement shall be processed through the grievance procedure.

ARTICLE 3 -- LIMITATIONS

- 3.1 Should any portion of the Agreement during the life of the Agreement be rendered invalid by state or federal legislation, the remainder of the Agreement will remain in full force and effect for the life of this Agreement.
- 3.2 Special rules and limitations shall follow the State of Iowa Public Employment Relations Act, and rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.
- 3.3 Consideration given to 4.1 and 4.2, the provisions appearing herein represent the total Agreement between the parties.

ARTICLE 4 -- UNION STEWARDS

4.1 The Employer recognizes the right of the Union to designate one (1) steward and one (1) alternate steward Such designation shall be made in writing. Any changes shall be promptly reported by Union to the Employer. Union Steward shall be granted time off with pay during working hours to conduct union business that they are required to attend to. However, the steward shall notify their department head prior to leaving their work place for the purpose of investigating or presenting grievances.

ARTICLE 5 -- WAGE SCHEDULE AND JOB CLASSIFICATION

5.1 Rates of pay for job classification are as listed on Exhibit A attached to this Agreement and by reference shall become a part of this Agreement.

ARTICLE 6 -- TERM OF AGREEMENT

6.1 City Proposal: This Agreement shall be in full force and effect from July 1, 2019 to and including June 30, 2020 and shall continue in full force and effect from year to year thereafter unless written notice of desire to change or modify is served by either party by the end of September of the year prior to

expiration.

APPENDIX A

CLASSIFICATION AND WAGES JULY 1, 2024 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2025 (4% Wage Increase)

See attachment

An employee who takes on the Safety Official role appointed by the City Administrator receives an additional \$0.50 an hour annually. When the employee is no longer the safety official, the \$0.50 is taken away.

A City Hall employee, with five years of service in a clerk setting, who takes on the Deputy Clerk/Asst. Treasurer/Office Manager roles are eligible to receive an additional \$1.00 an hour annually. When the employee becomes certified through the Iowa Municipal Finance Officers Association, they are eligible to receive \$1.50 additional pay.

Increases will occur with the following:

• July 1, 2024 to June 30, 2025 4.00% wage increase

Signed this day of	, 2023.
Chauffeurs, Teamsters and Helpers Local No. 238, affiliated with the International Brotherhood of Teamsters	City of Oelwein, Iowa
Union Secretary-Treasurer	Mayor, City of Oelwein, IA
Union Business Representative	City Administrator



City Hall		
Description	Detail	Amount
Research	Conducting Research for Public	Staff time calculated to the quarter hour at \$30.00 per hour
Open Records Request	Labor	Staff time calculated to the quarter hour at \$30.00 per hour
Special Session Council Meeting	Request for a special council meeting by an outside organization	\$50 per council member and \$50 administration fee
Copies		\$1.00
Color Copies		\$2.00
Photo Copy		\$0.25 per page
Cigarette Permit		\$75.00
Peddler Permit		\$35.00
Bank Return Fees		\$30.00
Notary Service	Resident	N/C
	Non-Resident	\$10.00
Video/Audio Tape Copy		\$25.00
Food Truck Permit	One Day	\$25.00
	One Week	\$50.00
	One Month	\$100.00
	One Year	\$250.00
Food Truck Electricity	Per Occurrence	\$20.00
Sidewalk Café/Parklet Permit	One Year	\$25.00



Police		
Description	Detail	Amount
Alarm responses determined	first & second in 12 month	No Charge
to be false	period	Tto charge
	3rd false alarm in 12 month	\$50.00
	period	¥33333
	4th & subsequent with 12	\$75.00
	months	,
Delivery of public crime or		
accident reports		445.00
	Reports	\$15.00
	Copy of audio or video	\$25.00
	Copy of computer disc evidence	\$25.00
	Duplicate copy of digital photos	\$10.00 per page
Fingerprinting		\$15.00
Subpoena and Warrant	Mileage reflects IRS standard	\$35.00 – 1 mile min. plus \$.50 per
Return	mileage	сору
Service of Court Order (ie.	Mileage reflects IRS standard	\$35.00 – 1 mile min. plus \$.50 per
Writ or No Contact Order)	mileage	сору
Service of Court Order (ie.	Mileage reflects IRS standard	\$35.00 – 1 mile min. plus \$.50 per
Writ or No Contact Order)	mileage	сору
	Replacement Tag	\$1.00
	Delinquent License (add'l)	\$5.00
	Animal Impound Fee	\$20.00
Bicycle	Tag	\$3.00
	Replacement Tag	\$1.00
Parking Tickets	Parking Ticket	\$25.00
	Handicap Parking Ticket	\$200.00
Vehicle	Impound Fee	\$75.00
	Storage	\$25.00/day
Officer Present for Abatement	Court ordered clean-up	\$150.00/hour
Clean-up		\$130.00/110d1
Police Officer traffic control	Fire or disaster traffic control	\$50.00/hour
Police vehicle traffic control	Fire or disaster traffic control	\$75.00/hour
	Officers subpoena for testimony	
Expert Witness Fee	for a non-criminal court hearing	\$150.00/hour two hour minimum
•	(ie. divorce hearing, civil suit	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
e	etc)	4.00.00
Fireworks	Permit Fee (Selling)	\$100.00
Fireworks	Annual Inspection (Selling)	\$200.00
Display Permit	Providing a show	\$200.00



Animal License by Dog Type (American Kennel Club Breeds by size, mixed breed based on weight)	License Fee for spayed/neutered and chipped dog	License Fee for spayed/neutered dog	License fee for dog
Giant – 75 plus pounds	\$10.00	\$25.00	\$50.00
Large – 55-85 pounds	\$10.00	\$25.00	\$50.00
Medium – 35-65 pounds	\$10.00	\$20.00	\$40.00
Small – 7-35 pounds	\$10.00	\$20.00	\$40.00
Toy – 2-9 pounds	\$10.00	\$20.00	\$40.00

Fire Department		
Description	Detail	Amount
Residential Fire Service Fee		\$500
Commercial-Industrial Fire Service Fee		\$750
Motor Vehicle Accident Response		\$250
Motor Vehicle Accident Response with Extrication		\$500
Personnel	Firefighter	\$25.00 per hour
Incident Report		\$10.00
Burning Permit	Outside of open burning	\$25.00
Damaged Equipment		Billed at replacement cost
Equipment Cleaning		Billed at parts and labor cost
False Alarms		First and second in 12 months no charge Third \$50.00 Fourth and Proceeding \$75.00
Lockouts	Home and Business.	\$100.00 non emergency
Burning Complaint	First and second no charge	Third \$50.00 Fourth and Proceeding \$75.00
Carbon Monoxide		\$45.00



Community	, ==,	2024 PTOPOSAI	
Development			
Description	Detail	Amount	Proposed
Official Present for	Court ordered clean-		<u>-</u>
abatement clean-up	up inspection	\$150.00/hour	
Preliminary Plat Fee		\$50.00	
Final Plat		\$100.00	
Re-Zoning		\$75.00	
Board of Adjustment	Variance Request	\$75.00	
Building Permit	See attached		Attached Addendum
Temporary Structure	Permit	\$35.00	
Lot Mowing	Per Hour, minimum one hour	\$150.00	
Snow Removal	Per Hour, minimum one hour	\$150.00	
Late Permit Fee	Failure to pull and pay a permit	Doubles the permit fee with a minimum of \$100.00	
Stop Work Order	Stopping work because of no permit	\$25.00	
Rental Permit single family housing	Annual	\$85.00	
Multi-family housing structure	Annual	\$85.00	
Multi-family housing additional number of units		\$25.00	
Initial Inspection		\$0.00	
2 nd Inspection	60 days after initial inspection	Pass \$0.00 Fail \$100.00	
3 rd Inspection	inspection Failure of a third inspection results in the pulling of the occupancy permit and being placed on the habitual violator list. The property cannot	Pass \$0.00 Fail \$250.00	



	•	2024 Proposal	,
	be rented for six months.		
Occupancy Renewal	6 months after last		
Inspection	failed inspection	\$100.00	
No show inspection	Tanos moposion	\$100.00	
,	Only allowed before		
	2 nd inspection 15 day	\$25.00	
1 st Reschedule	maximum		
	Only allowed before		
	2 nd inspection 15 day	\$100.00	
2 nd Reschedule	maximum	·	
1 st Complaint Insp - If		40-00	
founded complaint		\$25.00	
2 nd Complaint Insp - If		¢50.00	
founded complaint		\$50.00	
3 rd or more Complaint			
Insp - If founded		\$75.00	
complaint			
Failure to Register	Per day (Maximum	\$10.00	
Rental Unit	\$300)	\$10.00	
Appeal		\$100.00	
Vacant Residential	Annual	\$25	
Vacant Commercial	Annual	\$50	
Vacant Industrial	Annual	\$100	
Failure to Register	Per Day (Maximum	440.00	
Vacant Unit	\$300)	\$10.00	
Vacant Building 1st		ć0.00	
Inspection		\$0.00	
Vacant Building 2 nd		Pass \$0.00	
Inspection		Fail \$250.00	
Vacant Building 3 rd			
Inspection and any		Pass \$0.00	
subsequent		Fail \$350.00	
inspections			



Airport		
Description	Detail	Amount
Airport Hanger (East)	Month Rental	\$65.00
Airport Hanger (West)	Month Rental	\$70.00
Airport Hanger (new)	Month Rental	\$90.00
Community Hanger	Month Rental	\$155.00
Courtesy Car		

Library		
Description	Detail	Amount
Replacement Library Card		\$2.00
Non-Resident Library Card		\$2.00
Lost item	Retail	Cost of replacement
Lost magazine		Cover Price or \$5.00
Repair damaged item		\$2.00
Return check		\$30.00
Return check bank charge-back fee		\$5.00
Research	postage and copy costs	Cost of consumables
Interlibrary Loan postage fee		\$3.00
Earbuds		\$2.00
Black and White copies	per page	\$0.20
Color copies	per page	\$0.50
Fax transmission	first page	\$0.50
	each additional page	\$1.00
Fax receiving	first page	\$0.20
	each additional page	\$0.50
Unattended child/in need of caregiver	after library is closed; per minute	\$1.00
Unpaid overdue items submit to Collections	total cost of items minimum of \$25	\$13.00



Public Photocopies on Rite Price copier	per page	\$0.20
Passport Acceptance Facility	per application	Set by the Department of State
Passport Photo	per application	\$15.00

Parks			
Description	Detail	Amount	Proposed
Campground			
Tent Site	Primitive	\$10.00-max stay 4 consecutive days	\$15.00-max stay 4 consecutive days
	Supplementary to RV site	\$6.00	
61 & Under	30 Amp sites – Daily	\$20.00	\$25.00
	30 Amp sites – Weekly	\$95.00	\$100.00
	30 Amp sites – Monthly (30 Days)	\$320.00	
61 & Under	50 Amp sites - Daily	\$23.00	\$30.00
	50 Amp sites - Weekly	\$110.00	
	50 Amp sites – Monthly (30 Days)	\$345.00	
Sr. 62+	30 Amp sites – Daily	\$18.00	\$20.00
	30 Amp sites – Weekly	\$90.00	\$95.00
	30 Amp sites – Monthly (30 Days)	\$305	
	50 Amp sites – Daily	\$22.00	\$25.00
	50 Amp sites – Weekly	\$100	\$110.00
	50 Amp sites – Monthly (30 Days)	\$325.00	



Kayak/Paddleboard	One Hour Per Kayak/PB	\$10.00	
	Four Hours Per Kayak	\$35.00	
	Two or more for four hours per kayak	\$30.00	
Box of Wood		\$5.00	
Shelter Rental	Capacity 60- 100	\$25.00	\$30.00
Shelter Rental (Railroad shelter at City Park and new shelter at Platt's Park)	Capacity 200	\$30.00	
Memorial Benches	Grey Stone with Plaque	\$1,100	\$1,500.00

Recreation		
Description	Detail	Amount
Flag Football	1st-4th grade	\$25.00
Volleyball	3rd-6th grade	\$25.00
Basketball	Kindergarten-6th grade	\$25.00
Dodgeball	1st-6th	\$20.00
Soccer	Kindergarten-6th grade	\$25.00
Little League		
Blast ball	3 & 4 year olds	\$20.00
T-ball	Kindergarten	\$25.00
Baseball/Softball	1st-4th grade Local	\$30.00
Baseball/Softball	3rd-7th Travel	\$50.00
Diamond Rental Fee	Diamond Prep per game	\$40.00
Tennis	1st-8th	\$25.00
Adult Sports		
Women's Volleyball	Per Team	\$60.00
Coed Volleyball	Per Team	\$60.00
Women's Softball	Per Team	\$200.00



Coed Softball	Per Team	\$200.00
Men's Softball	Per Team	\$225.00
Adult Tennis	Per Individual	\$15.00
Adult Disc Golf	Per Individual	\$15.00

Aquatic Center (Pool)			
Description	Detail	Amount	Proposed
American Red Cross /			
Learn-to-Swim		\$35.00	
Classes			
Private Lessons		\$60.00	
Passes (2023)			
	Single Pass 18+	\$70.00	
	Child season Pass 7-17	\$40.00	
	Nany Pass	55.00	\$60.00
Season Pass 1		\$40.00	
member		Ş+0.00	
Season Pass 1			\$85.00
member age 6 and		\$75.00	
over			
Season Pass 2		\$135.00	\$140.00
members		Ų100.00	
Season Pass 3		\$155.00	\$160.00
members		Ų133.00	
Season Pass 4		\$175.00	\$180.00
members		Ų173.00	
Season Pass 5		\$195.00	\$200.00
members		Ų133.00	
Season Pass 6		\$215.00	\$220.00
members		Ψ213.00	
Season Pass 7-10		\$235.00	\$240.00
members		Ų233.00	
10-Punch Card for			
Person 6 or Older		\$50.00	
10-punch card for	+		
person 5 or younger		\$20.00	
Daily Admissions:	Everyone	\$5.00	



Swim Team	Part time – Fairbank/Dunkerton	\$5.00	
	Full time kids	\$10.00	
	Concession rental per use	\$30.00	
Facility Reservations:			
Pool Party Prices – Including Water Slide			
1 Hour Pool Party	1-100	\$130.00	\$200.00
1 Hour Pool Party	100+	\$170.00	
2 Hour Pool Party	1-100	\$150.00	\$275.00
2 Hour Pool Party	200+	\$190.00	

Cemetery			
Description	Detail	Amount	Proposed
Grave Openings			
Regular Season			
Grave Opening	Weekday opening (Apr 1-Nov 30)	\$600.00	\$700.00
Grave Opening	Infant grave (Apr 1-Nov 30)	\$175.00	\$200.00
Grave Opening	Holidays/Saturdays (Apr 1-Nov 30)	\$800.00	\$900.00
Grave Opening	After hours (Apr 1-Nov 30)	\$750.00	\$850.00
Cremation Opening	Cremation (Apr 1-Nov 30)	\$300.00	
Cremation Opening	Holidays/Sat. cremation (Apr 1-Nov 30) After Hours	\$450.00	
Cold Weather Season			
Grave Opening	Weekday opening (Dec 1 –March 30)	\$700.00	\$800.00
Grave Opening	Infant grave (Dec 1 –March 30)	\$275.00	\$300.00
Grave Opening	Holidays/Saturdays (Dec 1 –March 30)	\$850.00	\$950.00
Grave Opening	After hours (Dec 1 –March 30)	\$850.00	\$900.00
Cremation Opening	Cremation (Dec 1 –March 30)	\$400.00	
Cremation Opening	Holidays/Sat. cremation (Dec 1 –March 30) After Hours	\$500.00	
Continuation on	Any continuation of services keeping	\$100 per hour	
Weekdays Late Notice Fee for all Burials	city crews after 3:30 PM (All Year)	(Min. 1 hour)	\$300.00



Grave Spaces			
Grave Space	Regular space	\$300.00	
	Memorial section	\$250.00	
	Baby lot	\$150.00	
Interment Certificate	(formerly "Deed")	\$25.00	
State Audit Fee		\$5.00	\$10.00
Exchange Grave Spaces		\$50.00	
Foundations			
Foundations	Per running ft. (\$100 min)	\$70.00	\$80.00
Foundations (Veterans)	Per running ft 4' max	-	\$40.00
Foundation Removal	Per foot	15.00	
Disinterment /			
Reinternment			
Disinterment of a casket		\$600.00	\$800.00
Reinternment of a casket		\$600.00	
Disinterment of a cremation vault		\$250.00	
Reinternment of a cremation vault		\$250.00	
Disinterment of a baby casket		\$175.00	
Reinternment of a baby casket		\$175.00	

Forestry		
Description	Detail	Amount
Tree Removal Permit	City approved, licensed contractor removal	\$0
Tree Trimming Permit	City approved, licensed contractor trimming	\$0
Tree Removal Fine	Removal of City tree without City permission	Based on judgement
Yard Waste Site whole tree charge	Cost of taking an entire tree from private property	See policy



Utilities		
Description	Detail	Current
Penalty for Unpaid Bills	Penalty for bills not paid by the 15 th of the month	10% of the unpaid balance
Labor only		\$150.00
Labor 1 EE and Equipment 1 unit	Assistance on jobs and work within city limits	\$200.00 per hour
Labor 1 EE and Equipment 1 unit	Assist on jobs and work within city limits OT rate	\$300.00 per hour
Labor 1 EE and Equipment 1 unit	Assistance on jobs and work outside city limits	\$250.00 per hour
Labor 1 EE and Equipment 1 unit	Assist on jobs and work outside city limits OT rate	\$350 per hour
Labor 1 EE	Additional staff member assist on jobs in city	\$30 per hour
Labor 1 EE	Additional staff member assist on jobs in city OT Rate	\$45 per hour
Disconnect Notice	Door Tag Posting	\$50.00
Water Off/On	Per Trip	\$20.00
Meter	Install or Remove	\$20.00
Excessive Trip Fee	No person is present for the turn on or meter install	\$50.00
Trip Data or Sample Collection - Industry	Per Trip	\$25.00
Denial of External Register Installation	Per Trip	\$25.00
Deposit	Any person w/out 3 yrs. established service	\$150.00
Deposit	Any person not in good standing	\$300.00
Meter Accuracy Test		\$75.00
Fire Sprinkler Test	Witness or Conduct by Business	\$75.00
Call Out per hour	Carry through from regular hrs.	\$40.00
Call Out per hour	After hours, 2 hr. minimum	\$80.00
Industrial Surcharge	Reporting for DNR	\$35.00 monthly
Lab Testing	Charge for each test completed	Cost of test if shipped out
Lock Box	In addition to service charge	\$1.00 per Day
Discharge Request	Charge for processing and researching discharge	\$250 flat fee



Temporary Construction Meter 5/8" Service Line	Deposit	\$300.00
Temporary Construction Meter Hydrant set, small 5/8"	Deposit	\$500.00
Temporary Construction Meter Hydrant set, large 2"	Deposit	\$5,000.00
Frost Plates/Meters are updated as price and/or Labor Fees Increase		
Surcharges		\$0.45 cents per pound BOD \$0.26 cents per pound TSS \$2.50 cents per pound TKN
Mailbox Replacement		\$55.00
Use of barricades & signs & labor	Accident / private incident / emergencies	\$4 per day
Use of cones & labor	Accident / private incident / emergencies	\$3 per day

Single Hauler		
Description	Detail	Amount
Trash Pickup	April 2023-2024 Monthly	\$12.26
	April 2024-2025 Monthly	\$12.26
	April 2025-2026 Monthly	\$12.51
	April 2026-2027 Monthly	\$13.36
	April 2027-2028 Monthly	\$14.21
Admin Fee	Monthly	\$1.25
Container Exchange	One Time Charge	\$50
Container Replacement Fee	One Time Charge	\$100
Assisted/Elderly/Disabled Pickup		No additional fee
Bulk Item	Each item	\$20
Extra Bag Sticker	Each Sticker	\$2
Unpaid Bills	Penalty for bills not paid by the 15 th of the month	10% of the balance



Wellness Center		
Description	Detail	Amount
Single Membership	12 Month	\$324.00
	6 Month	\$234.00
Married Couple	12 Month	\$432.00
	6 Month	\$324.00
Family	12 Month	\$540.00
	6 Month	\$402.00
Sr. Single	12 Month	\$216.00
	6 Month	\$168.00
Sr. Married Couple	12 Month	\$312.00
	6 Month	\$234.00
Student Membership	12 Month High School Gr 9-12	\$240.00
Student Membership	College 1 month Winter Break	\$25.00
Student Membership	College 3 month Summer Break	\$75.00
Corporate Membership	Contract with individual businesses	Per Contract
Key Tag	Replacement	\$2.00
Personal Training Member	1 session 1 person	\$30.00
	1 session 2 person	\$25.00 each
	1 session 3 person	\$22.00 each
	4 session 1 person	\$100.00
	4 session 1 person	\$100.00
	4 session 2 person	\$92.00 each
	4 session 3 person	\$80.00 each
	8 session 1 person	\$184.00
	8 session 2 person	\$168.00 each
	8 session 3 person	\$144.00 each
	12 session 1 person	\$252.00
	12 session 2 person	\$228.00 each
	12 session 3 person	\$192.00 each



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Personal Training non- member	1 session 1 person	\$40.00 each
	1 session 2 person	\$35.00 each
	1 session 3 person	\$32.00 each
	4 sessions 1 person	\$140.00
	4 sessions 2 person	\$132.00 each
	4 sessions 3 person	\$120.00 each
	8 sessions 1 person	\$264.00 each
	8 sessions 2 person	\$248.00 each
	8 sessions 3 person	\$224.00 each
	12 sessions 1 person	\$372.00 each
	12 sessions 2 person	\$384.00 each
	12 sessions 3 person	\$312.00 each
After School Punch Card	20-day snack card	\$25.00
Day Pass	Adult	\$8.00
Day Pass	K-12	\$5.00
10 Day Punch Card	Adult	\$50.00
10 Day Punch Card	K-12	\$30.00
Gym Rental	2-hour Party (ie Birthday)	\$50.00
	4+ Hr Tournament Rental	\$150.00
	Practice Gym Rental	\$25.00
24 Hour Access	12 Months	\$60.00
24 Hour Fob	Replacement	\$15.00



*Addendum A

BUILDING PERMIT FEE SCHEDULE

TOTAL VALUATION	FEE
\$1 to \$500	\$20
\$501 to \$2,000	\$20 for the first \$500; plus \$2 for each additional \$100 or fraction thereof, up to and including \$2,000
\$2,001 to \$40,000	\$50 for the first \$2,000; plus \$9 for each additional \$1,000 or fraction thereof, up to and including \$40,000
\$40,001 to \$100,000	\$392 for the first \$40,000; plus \$6 for each additional \$1,000 or fraction thereof, up to and including \$100,000
\$100,000 to \$500,000	\$752 for the first \$100,000; plus \$4.50 for each additional \$1,000 or fraction thereof, up to and including \$500,000
\$500,001 to \$1,000,000	\$2,552 for the first \$500,000; plus \$3.50 for each additional \$1,000 or fraction thereof, up to and including \$1,000,000
\$1,000,001 to \$5,000,000	\$4,302 for the first \$1,000,000; plus \$2 for each additional \$1,000 or fraction thereof, up to and including \$5,000,000
\$5,000,001 and over	\$14,302 for the first \$5,000,000; plus \$1 for each additional \$1,000 or fraction thereof

RESOLUTION NO.	-2024

RESOLUTION APPROVING A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$12,500 WITH MSA FOR ASSISTANCE IN APPLYING FOR AN EPA COMMUNITY CHANGE GRANT

- WHEREAS, the city of Oelwein is working toward improving the area west of City Hall which is formally the railroad repair shop; and
- WHEREAS, the EPA Community Change Grant could provide \$10 million for improvements to Oelwein to address a potential soccer complex and flood mitigation; and
- WHEREAS, the city is not guaranteed to receive funds, but the community is considered an EPA IRA Disadvantaged Community making it eligible for funding; and,
- WHEREAS, agreement is for \$12,500 and will cover the necessary work to complete a full application for the grant; and,
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of Oelwein, Iowa approves a Professional Services Agreement in the amount of \$12,500 with MSA for assistance in applying for an EPA Community Change Grant

Passed and approved this 13 day of May, 2024.

	Brett DeVor	e, Mayor			
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Professional Services Agreement

MSA Project Number: 08884014

This AGREEMENT (Agreement) is made effective 3/1/24 by and between

MSA PROFESSIONAL SERVICES, INC (MSA)

Address: 1230 South Boulevard, Baraboo, WI 53913

Phone: (608) 356-2771

Representative: Brittney Mitchell Email: bmitchell@msa-ps.com

CITY OF OELWEIN (OWNER)

Address: 20 2nd Ave Sw, Oelwein, IA 50662

Phone: (319) 283-5440

Project Name: EPA Community Change Grant Application

The scope of the work authorized is: EPA Community Change Grant Application completion including narrative, project scoping, and project budget. Project ideas to be vetted include: Brownfield Redevelopment (Downtown Soccer Complex), multi-use trails, park and open space development, greening of existing school yards, development and expansion of vegetative barriers, water fountains in schools and parks and other project that may align with the grant program. MSA may assist with public engagement activities as deemed necessary by the Owner.

The schedule to perform the work is: Approximate Start Date: 3/4/24
Approximate Completion Date: 11/30/24

Approximate Completion Date: 11/30/24

The estimated fee for the work is: \$12,500

All services shall be performed in accordance with the General Terms and Conditions of MSA, which is attached and made part of this Agreement. Any attachments or exhibits referenced in this Agreement are made part of this Agreement. Payment for these services will be on a time and expense basis. Attachment A: Rate Schedule is attached and made part of this Agreement.

Approval: Authorization to proceed is acknowledged by signatures of the parties to this Agreement.

CITY OF OELWEIN	MSA PROFESSIONAL SERVICES, INC.			
Dylan Mulfinger	Brittney Mitchell			
City Administrator	Funding Team Leader			
Date:	Date:			

MSA PROFESSIONAL SERVICES, INC. (MSA) GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SERVICES (PUBLIC)

1. **Scope and Fee.** The scope of Owner's Project (the "Project"), scope of MSA's services (the "Work"), and quoted fees for those services are defined in Attachment A. The scope and fee constitute a good faith estimate of the tasks and associated fees required to perform the services defined in Attachment A. This agreement upon execution by both parties hereto, can be amended only by written instrument signed by both parties. For those projects involving conceptual or process development service or involve renovation of an existing building or structure, activities often cannot be fully defined during initial planning. As the Project progresses, facts uncovered may reveal a change in direction which may alter the Work. MSA will promptly inform the OWNER in writing of such situations so that changes in this agreement can be made as required.

2. Owner's Responsibilities.

(a) Project Scope and Budget

The OWNER shall define the scope and budget of the Project and, when applicable, periodically update the Project budget, including that portion allocated for the cost of the Work. The Project budget shall include contingencies for design, development, and, when required by the scope of the Project, construction of the Project. The OWNER shall not significantly increase or decrease the overall Project scope or schedule, the portion of the budget allocated for the cost of the Work, or contingencies included in the overall budget or a portion of the budget, without the agreement of MSA to a corresponding change in the Project scope, quality, schedule, and compensation of MSA.

(b) Designated Owner Representative

The OWNER shall identify a Designated Representative who shall be authorized to act on behalf of the OWNER with respect to the Project. OWNER's Designated Representative shall render related decisions in a timely manner so as to avoid unreasonable delay in the orderly and sequential progress of MSA's services. MSA shall not be liable for any error or omission made by OWNER, OWNER's Designated Representative, or OWNER's consultant.

(c) Tests, Inspections, and Reports

When required by the scope of the Project, the OWNER shall furnish tests, inspections, and reports required by law or the Contract Documents, such as planning studies; preliminary designs; structural, mechanical, or chemical tests; tests for air, water, or soil pollution; and tests for hazardous materials.

(d) Additional Consultants

MSA's consultants shall be identified in Attachment A. The OWNER shall furnish the services of other consultants other than those designated in Attachment A, including such legal, financial, accounting, and insurance counseling services as may be required for the Project.

(e) OWNER Provided Services and Information

MSA shall be entitled to rely on the accuracy and completeness of services and information furnished by the OWNER, Designated OWNER Representative, or Consultant. MSA shall use reasonable efforts to provide prompt written notice to the OWNER if MSA becomes aware of any errors, omissions, or inconsistencies in such services or information.

- 3. **Billing.** MSA will bill the OWNER monthly with net payment due upon receipt. Balances due past thirty (30) days shall be subject to an interest charge at a rate of 18% per year from said thirtieth day. In addition, MSA may, after giving seven days written notice, suspend service under any agreement until the OWNER has paid in full all amounts due for services rendered and expenses incurred, including the interest charge on past due invoices.
- 4. **Costs and Schedules.** Costs (including MSA's fees and reimbursable expenses) and schedule commitments shall be subject to change for delays caused by the OWNER's failure to provide specified facilities or information or for delays caused by unpredictable occurrences including, without limitation, fires, floods, riots, strikes, unavailability of labor or materials, delays or defaults, by suppliers of materials or services, process shutdowns, pandemics, acts of God or the public enemy, or acts of regulations of any governmental agency. Temporary delays of services caused by any of the above which result in additional costs beyond those outlined may require renegotiation of this agreement.
- 5. Access to Site. Owner shall furnish right-of-entry on the Project site for MSA and, if the site is not owned by Owner, warrants that permission has been granted to make planned explorations pursuant to the scope of

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services. MSA will take reasonable precautions to minimize damage to the site from use of equipment, not included costs for restoration of damage that may result and shall not be responsible for such costs.

- 6. **Location of Utilities.** Owner shall supply MSA with the location of all pre-existent utilities and MSA has the right to reasonably rely on all Owner supplied information. In those instances where the scope of services require MSA to locate any buried utilities, MSA shall use reasonable means to identify the location of buried utilities in the areas of subsurface exploration and shall take reasonable precautions to avoid any damage to the utilities noted. However, Owner agrees to indemnify and defend MSA in the event of damage or injury arising from damage to or interference with subsurface structures or utilities which result from inaccuracies in information of instructions which have been furnished to MSA by others.
- 7. **Professional Representative.** MSA intends to serve as the OWNER's professional representative for those services as defined in this agreement, and to provide advice and consultation to the OWNER as a professional. Any opinions of probable project costs, reviews and observations, and other recommendations made by MSA for the OWNER are rendered on the basis of experience and qualifications and represents the professional judgment of MSA. However, MSA cannot and does not warrant or represent that proposals, bid or actual project or construction costs will not vary from the opinion of probable cost prepared by it.
- 8. **Construction.** When applicable to the scope of the Project, the OWNER shall contract with a licensed and qualified Contractor for implementation of construction work utilizing a construction contract based on an EJCDC construction contract and general conditions appropriate for the scope of the Project and for the delivery method. In the construction contract, the OWNER shall use reasonable commercial efforts to require the Contractor to (1) obtain Commercial General Liability Insurance with contractual liability coverage insuring the obligation of the Contractor, and name the OWNER, MSA and its employees and consultants as additionally insureds of that policy; (2) indemnify and hold harmless the OWNER, MSA and its employees and consultants from and against any and all claims, damages, losses, and expenses ("Claims"), including but not limited to reasonable attorney's fees and economic or consequential damages arising in whole or in part out of the negligent act or omission of the contractor, and Subcontractor or anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them. This agreement shall not be construed as giving MSA, the responsibility or authority to direct or supervise construction means, methods, techniques, sequence, or procedures of construction selected by the contractors or subcontractors or the safety precautions and programs incident to the work, the same being the sole and exclusive responsibility of the contractors or subcontractors.
- 9. **Standard of Care.** In conducting the services, MSA will apply present professional, engineering and/or scientific judgment, which is known as the "standard of care". The standard of care is defined as that level of skill and care ordinarily exercised by members of the same profession practicing at the same point in time and in the same or similar locality under similar circumstances in performing the Services. The OWNER acknowledges that "current professional standards" shall mean the standard for professional services, measured as of the time those services are rendered, and not according to later standards, if such later standards purport to impose a higher degree of care upon MSA.

MSA does not make any warranty or guarantee, expressed or implied, nor have any agreement or contract for services subject to the provisions of any uniform commercial code. Similarly, MSA will not accept those terms and conditions offered by the OWNER in its purchase order, requisition, or notice of authorization to proceed, except as set forth herein or expressly agreed to in writing. Written acknowledgement of receipt, or the actual performance of services subsequent to receipt of such purchase order, requisition, or notice of authorization to proceed is specifically deemed not to constitute acceptance of any terms or conditions contrary to those set forth herein.

- 10. **Municipal Advisor**. MSA Professional Services, Inc. is not acting as a 'Municipal Advisor' to the owner pursuant to Section 15B of the Exchange Act. For financial advice related to the corresponding project, the client is encouraged to discuss their finances with internal and/or external advisors and experts before making decisions incurring debt and/or supporting those obligations. MSA desires to serve each client well by providing the best information publicly available and is providing information as part of its engineering responsibilities to inform client options. The information is not intended to provide financial advice or recommendations and is not bound by the formal Municipal Advisor fiduciary duty.
- 11. **Conduct Expectations.** Owner and MSA understand their respective obligations to provide a safe, respectful work environment for their employees. Both parties agree that harassment on the job (unwelcome verbal, physical or other behavior that is related to sex, race, age, or protected class status) will not be tolerated and will be addressed timely and in compliance with anti-harassment laws.

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- 12. **Electronic Documents and Transmittals**. Owner and MSA agree to transmit and accept related correspondence, documents, text, data, drawings and the like in digital format in accordance with MSA's Electronic Data Transmittal policy. Each party is responsible for its own cybersecurity, and both parties waive the right to pursue liability against the other for any damages that occur as a direct result of electronic data sharing.
- 13. **Building Information Modelling (BIM).** For any projects, and not limited to building projects, utilizing BIM, OWNER and MSA shall agree on the appropriate level of modelling required by the project, as well as the degree to which the BIM files may be made available to any party using the Electronic Document Transmittal provisions of section 10 of this Agreement.
- 14. **Construction Site Visits.** If the scope of services includes services during the Construction Phase, MSA shall make visits to the site as specified in Attachment A– Scope of Services. MSA shall not, during such visits or as a result of such observations of Contractor's work in progress, supervise, direct or have control over Contractor's work nor shall MSA have authority over or responsibility for the means, methods, techniques, sequences or procedures of construction selected by Contractor, for safety precautions and programs incident to the work of Contractor or for any failure of Contractor to comply with laws, rules, regulations, ordinances, codes or orders applicable to Contractor's furnishing and performing the work. Accordingly, MSA neither guarantees the performance of any Contractor nor assumes responsibility for any Contractor's failure to furnish and perform its work in accordance with the Contract Documents.
- 15. **Termination.** This Agreement shall commence upon execution and shall remain in effect until terminated by either party, at such party's discretion, on not less than thirty (30) days' advance written notice. The effective date of the termination is the thirtieth day after the non-terminating party's receipt of the notice of termination. If MSA terminates the Agreement, the OWNER may, at its option, extend the terms of this Agreement to the extent necessary for MSA to complete any services that were ordered prior to the effective date of termination. If OWNER terminates this Agreement, OWNER shall pay MSA for all services performed prior to MSA's receipt of the notice of termination and for all work performed and/or expenses incurred by MSA in terminating Services begun after MSA's receipt of the termination notice. Termination hereunder shall operate to discharge only those obligations which are executory by either party on and after the effective date of termination. These General Terms and Conditions shall survive the completion of the services performed hereunder or the Termination of this Agreement for any cause.

This agreement cannot be changed or terminated orally. No waiver of compliance with any provision or condition hereof should be effective unless agreed in writing and duly executed by the parties hereto.

- 16. **Betterment.** If, due to MSA's error, any required or necessary item or component of the Project is omitted from the construction documents, MSA's liability shall be limited to the reasonable costs of correction of the construction, less what OWNER'S cost of including the omitted item or component in the original construction would have been had the item or component not been omitted. It is intended by this provision that MSA will not be responsible for any cost or expense that provides betterment, upgrade, or enhancement of the Project.
- 17. **Hazardous Substances.** OWNER acknowledges and agrees that MSA has had no role in identifying, generating, treating, storing, or disposing of hazardous substances or materials which may be present at the Project site, and MSA has not benefited from the processes that produced such hazardous substances or materials. Any hazardous substances or materials encountered by or associated with Services provided by MSA on the Project shall at no time be or become the property of MSA. MSA shall not be deemed to possess or control any hazardous substance or material at any time; arrangements for the treatment, storage, transport, or disposal of any hazardous substances or materials, which shall be made by MSA, are made solely and exclusively on OWNER's behalf for OWNER's benefit and at OWNER's direction. Nothing contained within this Agreement shall be construed or interpreted as requiring MSA to assume the status of a generator, storer, treater, or disposal facility as defined in any federal, state, or local statute, regulation, or rule governing treatment, storage, transport, and/or disposal of hazardous substances or materials.

All samples of hazardous substances, materials or contaminants are the property and responsibility of OWNER and shall be returned to OWNER at the end of a project for proper disposal. Alternate arrangements to ship such samples directly to a licensed disposal facility may be made at OWNER's request and expense and subject to this subparagraph.

18. **Insurance.** MSA will maintain insurance coverage for: Worker's Compensation, General Liability, and Professional Liability. MSA will provide information as to specific limits upon written request. If the OWNER requires coverages or limits in addition to those in effect as of the date of the agreement, premiums for additional

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insurance shall be paid by the OWNER. The liability of MSA to the OWNER for any indemnity commitme for any damages arising in any way out of performance of this contract is limited to such insurance coverages and amount which MSA has in effect.

- 19. Reuse of Documents. Reuse of any documents and/or services pertaining to this Project by the OWNER or extensions of this Project or on any other project shall be at the OWNER's sole risk. The OWNER agrees to defend, indemnify, and hold harmless MSA for all claims, damages, and expenses including attorneys' fees and costs arising out of such reuse of the documents and/or services by the OWNER or by others acting through the OWNER.
- 20. Indemnification. To the fullest extent permitted by law, MSA shall indemnify and hold harmless, OWNER, and OWNER's officers, directors, members, partners, consultants, and employees (hereinafter "OWNER") from reasonable claims, costs, losses, and damages arising out of or relating to the PROJECT, provided that any such claim, cost, loss, or damage is attributable to bodily injury, sickness, disease, or death, or to injury to or destruction of tangible property (other than the Work itself) including the loss of use resulting therefrom but only to the extent caused by any negligent act or omission of MSA or MSA's officers, directors, members, partners, employees, or Consultants (hereinafter "MSA"). In no event shall this indemnity agreement apply to claims between the OWNER and MSA. This indemnity agreement applies solely to claims of third parties. Furthermore, in no event shall this indemnity agreement apply to claims that MSA is responsible for attorneys' fees. This agreement does not give rise to any duty on the part of MSA to defend the OWNER on any claim arising under this agreement.

To the fullest extent permitted by law, OWNER shall indemnify and hold harmless, MSA, and MSA's officers, directors, members, partners, consultants, and employees (hereinafter "MSA") from reasonable claims, costs, losses, and damages arising out of or relating to the PROJECT, provided that any such claim, cost, loss, or damage is attributable to bodily injury, sickness, disease, or death, or to injury to or destruction of tangible property (other than the Work itself) including the loss of use resulting therefrom but only to the extent caused by any negligent act or omission of the OWNER or the OWNER's officers, directors, members, partners, employees, or Consultants (hereinafter "OWNER"). In no event shall this indemnity agreement apply to claims between MSA and the OWNER. This indemnity agreement applies solely to claims of third parties. Furthermore, in no event shall this indemnity agreement apply to claims that the OWNER is responsible for attorneys' fees. This agreement does not give rise to any duty on the part of the OWNER to defend MSA on any claim arising under this agreement.

To the fullest extent permitted by law, MSA's total liability to OWNER and anyone claiming by, through, or under OWNER for any cost, loss or damages caused in part or by the negligence of MSA and in part by the negligence of OWNER or any other negligent entity or individual, shall not exceed the percentage share that MSA's negligence bears to the total negligence of OWNER, MSA, and all other negligent entities and individuals.

- 21. Accrual of Claims. To the fullest extent permitted by Laws and Regulations, all causes of action arising under this Agreement will be deemed to have accrued, and all statutory periods of limitation will commence, no later than the date of Substantial Completion; or, if Engineer's services do not include Construction Phase services, or the Project is not completed, then no later than the date of Owner's last payment to Engineer.
- 22. Dispute Resolution. OWNER and MSA desire to resolve any disputes or areas of disagreement involving the subject matter of this Agreement by a mechanism that facilitates resolution of disputes by negotiation rather than by litigation. OWNER and MSA also acknowledge that issues and problems may arise after execution of this Agreement which were not anticipated or are not resolved by specific provisions in this Agreement. Accordingly, both OWNER and MSA will endeavor to settle all controversies, claims, counterclaims, disputes, and other matters thru mediation with a mutually agreed upon mediator. Demand for mediation shall be filed in writing with the other party to this Agreement. A demand for mediation shall be made within a reasonable time after the claim, dispute or other matter in question has arisen. In no event shall the demand for mediation be made after the date when institution of legal or equitable proceedings based on such claim, dispute or other matter in question would be barred by the applicable statute of limitations. Neither demand for mediation nor any term of this Dispute Resolution clause shall prevent the filing of a legal action where failing to do so may bar the action because of the applicable statute of limitations. If despite the good faith efforts of OWNER and MSA any controversy, claim, counterclaim, dispute, or other matter is not resolved through negotiation or mediation, OWNER and MSA agree and consent that such matter may be resolved through legal action in the court having jurisdiction as specified in this Agreement.

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- 23. **Exclusion of Special, Indirect, Consequential and Liquidated Damages.** MSA shall not be liter to contract or tort or otherwise, for any special, indirect, consequential, or liquidated damages including specifically, but without limitation, loss of profit or revenue, loss of capital, delay damages, loss of goodwill, claim of third parties, or similar damages arising out of or connected in any way to the Project or this contract.
- 24. **Limitation of Liability.** Neither MSA, its Consultants (if any), nor their employees shall be jointly, severally, or individually liable to the OWNER in excess of the amount of the insurance proceeds available.
- 25. **Successors and Assigns**. The successors, executors, administrators, and legal representatives of Owner and Engineer are hereby bound to the other party to this Agreement and to the successors, executors, administrators and legal representatives (and said assigns) of such other party, in respect of all covenants, agreements, and obligations of this Agreement. Neither party may assign, sublet, or transfer any rights under or interest (including, but without limitation, claims arising out of this Agreement or money that is due or may become due) in this Agreement without the written consent of the other party, which shall not be unreasonable withheld, except to the extent that any assignment, subletting, or transfer is mandated by law.
- 26. **Notices**. Any notice required under this Agreement will be in writing, and delivered: in person (by commercial courier or otherwise); by registered or certified mail; or by e-mail to the recipient, with the words "Formal Notice" or similar in the e-mail's subject line. All such notices are effective upon the date of receipt.
- 27. **Survival.** Subject to applicable Laws and Regulations, all express representations, waivers, indemnifications, and limitations of liability included in this Agreement will survive its completion or termination for any reason.
- 28. **Severability**. Any provision or part of the Agreement held to be void or unenforceable under any Laws or Regulations will be deemed stricken, and all remaining provisions will continue to be valid and binding upon Owner and MSA.
- 29. **No Waiver**. A party's non-enforcement of any provision will not constitute a waiver of that provision, nor will it affect the enforceability of that provision or of the remainder of this Agreement.
- 30. **State Law.** This agreement shall be construed and interpreted in accordance with the laws of the State of Wisconsin.
- 31. **Jurisdiction.** OWNER hereby irrevocably submits to the jurisdiction of the state courts of the State of Wisconsin for the purpose of any suit, action or other proceeding arising out of or based upon this Agreement. OWNER further consents that the venue for any legal proceedings related to this Agreement shall be Sauk County, Wisconsin.
- 32. **Understanding.** This agreement contains the entire understanding between the parties on the subject matter hereof and no representations. Inducements, promises or agreements not embodied herein (unless agreed in writing duly executed) shall be of any force or effect, and this agreement supersedes any other prior understanding entered into between the parties on the subject matter hereto.

ATTACHMENT A: RATE SCHEDULE

CLASSIFICATION	LABOR RATE
Administrative	\$ 75 – \$150/hr.
Architects	\$ 75 – \$215/hr.
Community Development Specialists	\$135 — \$185/hr.
Digital Design	\$175 — \$195/hr.
Environmental Scientists/Hydrogeologists	\$105 — \$185/hr.
Geographic Information Systems (GIS)	\$ 95 – \$185/hr.
Housing Administration	\$ 95 – \$170/hr.
HR	
Inspectors/Zoning Administrators	
IT Support	
Land Surveying	
Landscape Designers & Architects	\$ 75 – \$215/hr.
Planners	\$ 75 – \$205/hr.
Principals	
Professional Engineers/Designers of Engineering Systems	
Project Managers	
Real Estate Professionals	
Staff Engineers	
Technicians	·
Wastewater Treatment Plant Operator	\$ 90 – \$115/hr.
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Labor rates represent an average or range for a particular job classification. These rates are in effect until December 31, 2024.

RESOLUTION NO.	-2024

RESOLUTION APPROVING THE OELWEIN MUNICIPAL AIRPORT (OLZ) REVENUE POLICY

- WHEREAS, the city of Oelwein is required by the Federal Aviation Administration to have a Revenue Use Policy; and
- WHEREAS, the policy requires the city use all funds generated at the airport for aviation purposes; and
- WHEREAS, this policy satisfies audit finding 2023-003 lowa Single Audit Report period ending June 30, 2023 identified a (material finding or significant deficiency) under the review of "Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs" and;
- WHEREAS, this policy shall be followed diligently by the city of Oelwein; and
- WHEREAS, the Oelwein Municipal Airport is not a revenue generator, loses money annually, and must be supported by property tax dollars;
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of Oelwein, Iowa approves the Oelwein Municipal Airport (OLZ) Revenue Policy

Passed and approved this 13th day of May, 2024.

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Oelwein Airport Revenue Use Policy

Adopted by Resolution _____-2024

May 13, 2024

Under Federal law, airport operators that have accepted Federal assistance generally may use airport revenues only for airport-related purposes. The revenue use requirements apply to the proceeds from certain State and local government taxes on aviation fuel, as well as to revenues received directly by an airport operator.

The City of Oelwein receives revenue from the airport from fuel sales, hanger rental, and federal grants.

The City of Oelwein will only use revenue from the airport on aviation related expenses at the Oelwein Municipal Airport (OLZ).

The City of Oelwein receives federal dollars through the Airport Improvement Program (AIP). Funding is available to airports that are part of the National Plan of Integrated Airports System (NPIAS). Administered by the FAA, the AIP provides funds for projects to improve infrastructure, including runways, taxiways, aprons, noise control, land purchases, navigational aids, safety and security.

Government Interventions: During challenging times (such as the COVID-19 pandemic), government interventions (like the CARES Act) can provide temporary relief. However, these funds may not cover all operational and capital development needs.

The Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) prohibits revenue diversion, which means using airport revenue for purposes other than airport capital, operating costs, or directly related air transportation facilities.

The City of Oelwein must ensure compliance with FAA regulations to avoid risking grant funding loss.

RESOLUTION NO.	-2024

RESOLUTION AMENDING THE OELWEIN PERSONNEL MANUAL

WHEREAS, the City Council has discussed the below changes over the course of several meetings; and

WHEREAS, the following changes will be made to the Oelwein Personnel Manual:

1. 7.2 Hours Worked

- a. Under section B 1 the following shall be added to create sub section 1.1:
 - From Memorial Day to Labor Day, Departments, with permission from the City Administrator, may elect to take the option of working four ten-hour days.
- b. Under section B 3 the following shall changed to reflect notice:
 - i. Remove "as much notice as possible" with "24 hours of notice"

2. 10.2 Separation

- a. Under section A, the entire paragraph shall be deleted and replaced with the following below, and all such letters below section A shall be re lettered to reflect correct order.
 - i. (A) An employee who wishes to voluntarily terminate his/her service with the City shall submit a written resignation at least two weeks prior to the intended date of departure. If an employee fails to give at least two weeks' notice prior to his/her resignation, the employee will be ineligible to receive payment for any accrued but unused vacation pay upon separation. Furthermore, the City shall consider such failure to provide notice prior to resignation in the event the employee seeks reemployment.
 - ii. (B) If the City, in its discretion decides that an employee who voluntarily resigns should not remain employed, the City may immediately escort the employee off City property and their employment shall end effective immediately, but the City shall pay for the two-week notice period and the accrued but unused vacation pay. However, an employee who resigns in lieu of termination shall not receive two weeks' notice pay and shall not receive accrued but unused vacation pay.
 - iii. (C) An employee must work every shift, for the first two weeks of their separation notice, to be eligible to receive payment for any leave balances, other than compensatory time.

3. 15.1 General Provisions Sick Leave

- a. Under 15.1 section D the paragraph shall be removed and replaced with the following:
 - i. An employee may use up to eighty (80) hours of sick leave in one fiscal year to arrange for the needs of a member of his or her immediate family. Family sick leave will count toward their accrued sick leave. Family sick time is

sometimes referred to as emergency sick time as it is intended for situations that require the presence of the employee.

- 4. 16.1 Professional Conference Attendance
 - a. Under 16.1 section B number 5 shall be deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:
 - i. Breakfast \$15.00
 - ii. Lunch \$20.00
 - iii. Evening \$30.00
 - iv. Employees cannot exceed \$65.00 per day, (alcohol excluded) except meals when part of the registration package. Miscellaneous gratuities up to 20% are acceptable. The gratuity may be added on top of the allowed amount.
- 5. 16.5 Personal Day
 - a. The following shall be added to 16.5 to paragraph A.
 - i. Four (4) 32 hours
- 6. 19.2 Overtime
 - a. Under section 19.2 D the following shall be added as letter D and E with E and F being changed to G and H:
 - i. E. A call out is when an employee is called into work before or after their designated shift.
 - ii. F. Continuation of work is when an employee is working past the designated 8-hour, or 10-hour shift. Continuation of work is only overtime if the employee has 40 hours of hours worked during that week.
- 7. 19.3 Compensatory Time (Non-Exempt Employees)
 - a. Under section 19.3 the second sentence shall be modified and shall appear as below:
 - i. If additional hours over forty (40) hours per week are not true overtime hours worked, the hours must be paid out to the employee as straight time during that pay period unless they are call out hours paid at time and one half. Time can only be added to compensatory time if the employee works 40 hours during the pay period.
 - b. Under section 19.3 C the existing shall be deleted and the paragraph below shall be added:
 - i. Unless otherwise provided for by a CBA, non-exempt employees can bank up to 40 hours of compensatory time every six months. This time frame for the six months is January to June and July to December. Once the employee has reached their 40 hours in their six-month period, all overtime will be paid out to the employee and cannot be converted to compensatory time. City Employees will be allowed to earn a total of 80 hours of compensatory time annually.
- WHEREAS, the city amends the personnel manual as needed to ensure the manual meets the expectations of the City Council and allows for an efficient and effective organization; and;

WHEREAS, these changes shall be effective May 19, 2024;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of Oelwein, Iowa amends the Oelwein Personnel Manual

Passed and approved this 13 day of May, 2024.

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FY 2024 Per Diem Rates for Iowa

Meals & Incidentals (M&IE) rates and breakdown

Primary Destination	County	M&IE Total	Continental Breakfast/Breakfast	Lunch	Dinner	Incidental Expenses	First & LastDay of Travel
Standard Rate	Applies for all locations without specified rates	\$59	\$13	\$15	\$26	\$5	\$44.25
Dallas	Dallas	\$69	\$16	\$17	\$31	\$5	\$51.75
Des Moines	Polk	\$64	\$14	\$16	\$29	\$5	\$48.00

RESOLUTION NO.	-2024

RESOLUTION APPROVING AN INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY

WHEREAS, the city of Oelwein strives to keep all employees safe; and

WHEREAS, the City Administrator is tasked with determining if city offices should be open to the public during inclement weather situations; and

WHEREAS, the attached policy will provide guidance to staff and the city council; and,

WHEREAS, this policy shall be effective upon passage; and,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of Oelwein, Iowa approves the Inclement Weather Policy

Passed and approved this 13 day of May, 2024.

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Inclement Weather Policy

Adopted by Resolution2	2024
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May 13, 2024

It is the policy of the City of Oelwein to keep its facilities and services available to the public during periods of emergencies and inclement weather to the extent possible that is compatible with the health and safety of the public and city employees.

During emergencies or periods of inclement weather, the following procedure shall apply:

The City Administrator (or City Clerk; if neither is available, the Police Chief or Public Works Director, in consultation with department heads when possible, will make the determination whether to close city buildings/offices to routine business. The following resources may assist in making the decision:

- Recommendation of affected department heads
- Recommendation of the Police Chief
- National Weather Service weather forecast for the City of Oelwein and surrounding area
- Implementation of a tow ban by the Iowa State Patrol in the surrounding area
- Road condition reports from the Public Works Director
- Any other applicable resource.

When the City Administrator determines that due to an emergency or inclement weather, steps must be taken to protect City employees and the public, one of the following choices will be made:

City buildings will remain open to the public. Employees performing non-essential functions are expected to make a reasonable effort to report for work. However, employees will not be expected to report to work if, in the employee's judgement, such action would place their personal safety at risk. These employees must report such absences to their department head as soon as possible. Employees unable to report to work or who voluntarily leave work early due to inclement weather of other emergency shall use vacation, compensatory time, personal days, or unpaid leave of absence in accordance with the City of Oelwein Personnel Manual and applicable collective bargaining agreements.

If City Hall closes for inclement weather or an emergency, all non-essential personnel are instructed to stay home. Department Heads may determine during these times if a work from home option is feasible. Work from home days may be planned in the event that significant weather is probable the next day. Staff must maintain city issued equipment allowing them to work from home.

Essential personnel is defined as those employees within public safety and public works and other essential functions as determined by the City Administrator. Essential personnel are expected to report to work during said emergency closures unless excused by their department head.

All offices shall open the following day unless directed by the City Administrator

The closure of the city buildings/offices will be announced using multiple means of communication, including the city's text notification system, city's website, and social media. Department heads will be responsible for contacting their staff.

Compensation:

Unless addressed in a collective bargaining agreement, regular compensation will continue for up to one day for employees scheduled to work when the City Offices are closed.

Employees scheduled off work due to vacation, personal, sick, etc. must use the corresponding approved leave.

Employees not scheduled to work will not receive compensation.

Essential employees who are not able to report to work due to a weather emergency shall utilize available paid time off, i.e. vacation or personal day with supervisory approval.

The City Administrator may authorize the pickup of essential employees using city equipment within city limits.

Compensation for building closures longer than one day will be addressed by the City Administrator on a case-by-case basis and will follow applicable collective bargaining agreements. In the event of a catastrophic emergency, the City Administrator will work with the City Council top determined the applicability of this policy. The city may setup a remote site and require employees to report as needed.

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RESOLUTION NO. _____-2024

RESOLUTION TO APPROVE THE LEASE TO LEO'S ITALIAN RESTAURANT

WHEREAS, a discussion on the proposal for the parcel took place on April 22, 2024; and

WHEREAS, Leo's Italian Restaurant has been a long standing business in the community; and

WHEREAS, the City of Oelwein prioritizes economic development; and

WHEREAS, the lease will be 3 years at \$1.00 per month for a 20' wide by 50' long piece of the adjoining city owned lot, and;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of Oelwein, Iowa approves the lease to Leo's Italian Restaurant.

Passed and approved this 13th day of May, 2024.

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LEASE - BUSINESS PROPERTY - SHORT FORM

THIS LEASE, made and entered into this _______, by and between the City of Oelwein, Iowa ("Landlord"), whose address, for the purpose of this lease, is 20 2nd Ave. SW, Oelwein, IA 50662 and Michael A. Leo ("Tenant"), whose address for the purpose of this lease is 3672 Outer Road, PO Box 468, Oelwein, IA 50662.

The parties agree as follows:

1. PREMISES AND TERM. Landlord leases to Tenant the following real estate, situated in Fayette County, Iowa:

That portion of the property locally known as 33 S. Frederick, Oelwein, IA 50662 (Tax Parcel #1821401011) as further described/shown within "Addendum A" to this lease agreement. (A Parcel 20' wide by 50' long, totaling 1,000 sf)

together with all improvements thereon, and all rights, easements and appurtenances thereto belonging, for a term beginning on the date set out in the City Council Resolution approving this Lease Agreement, and continuing on a month to month basis thereafter, unless and until terminated by either party consistent with the termination provisions as detailed and explained within Paragraph 19 "Additional Provisions" of this Lease Agreement.

- 2. **RENT.** Tenant agrees to pay Landlord as rent \$1.00 per month, in advance commencing on the date on which this lease is approved by both parties, and on the same day of each month thereafter, during the term of this lease. All sums shall be paid at the address of Landlord, or at such other place as Landlord may designate in writing. Delinquent payments shall draw interest at 10% per annum.
- **3. POSSESSION.** Tenant shall be entitled to possession on the first day of the lease term, and shall yield possession to Landlord at the termination of this lease.
- **4. USE.** Tenant shall use the premises only for temporary parking during deliveries to Tenant's restaurant located on the adjacent lot, 29 S. Frederick, and for the placement of dumpsters used by Tenant's business, for collection by garbage haulers.
- 5. CARE AND MAINTENANCE.
 - **A.** Tenant takes the premises as is, except as herein provided.
 - **B.** Landlord will place rock on the premises subject to this Lease in advance of or shortly after lease commencement.
 - C. Tenant shall thereafter maintain the rock, adding rock and grading as necessary, remove garbage and debris from the leased premises, maintain the premises free of weeds and grass, and otherwise maintain the premises consistent with City Code in a reasonable safe, serviceable, clean and presentable condition. (Any rock/gravel placed on the leased premises during the term of the Lease shall remain and become the property of Landlord.)
- 6. UTILITIES. N/A

- 7. SURRENDER. Upon the termination of this lease, Tenant will surrender the premises to Landlord in good and clean condition, except for ordinary wear and tear or damage without fault or liability of Tenant. Continued possession, beyond the term of this Lease and the acceptance of rent by Landlord shall constitute a month-to-month extension of this lease.
- **8. ASSIGNMENT AND SUBLETTING.** No assignment or subletting, either voluntary or by operation of law, shall be effective without the prior written consent of Landlord.
- 9. INSURANCE.
 - **A.** PROPERTY INSURANCE. Landlord and Tenant agree to insure their respective real and personal property for the full insurable value. Such insurance shall cover losses included in the special form causes of loss (formerly all risks coverage). To the extent permitted by their policies the Landlord and Tenant waive all rights of recovery against each other.
 - **B.** LIABILITY INSURANCE. Tenant shall obtain commercial general liability insurance in the amounts of \$1,000,000 each occurrence and \$2,000,000 annual aggregate per location. This policy shall be endorsed to include the Landlord as an additional insured.
- **10. LIABILITY FOR DAMAGE.** Each party shall be liable to the other for all damage to the property of the other negligently, recklessly or intentionally caused by that party (or their agents, employees or invitees), except to the extent the loss is insured and subrogation is waived under the owner's policy.
- 11. INDEMNITY Except for any negligence of Landlord, Tenant will protect, defend, and indemnify Landlord from and against any and all loss, costs, damage and expenses occasioned by, or arising out of, any accident or other occurrence causing or inflicting injury or damage to any person or property, happening or done in, upon or about the premises, or due directly or indirectly to the tenancy, use or occupancy thereof, or any part thereof by Tenant or any person claiming through or under Tenant.
- **12. DAMAGE.** In the event of damage to the premises, so that Tenant is unable to conduct business on the premises, this lease may be terminated at the option of either party. Such termination shall be effected by notice of one party to the other within 30 days after such notice; and both parties shall thereafter be released from all future obligations hereunder.
- **13. MECHANICS' LIENS.** Neither Tenant, nor anyone claiming by, through, or under Tenant, shall have the right to file any mechanic's lien against the premises. Tenant shall give notice in advance to all contractors and subcontractors who may furnish, or agree to furnish, any material, service or labor for any improvement on the premises.

14. DEFAULT, NOTICE OF DEFAULT AND REMEDIES.

EVENTS OF DEFAULT

A. Each of the following shall constitute an event of default by Tenant: (1) Failure to pay rent when due; (2) failure to observe or perform any duties, obligations, agreements, or conditions imposed on Tenant pursuant to the terms of the lease; (3) abandonment of the premises. "Abandonment" means the Tenant has failed to engage in its usual and customary business activities on the premises for more than fifteen (15) consecutive business days; (4) institution of voluntary bankruptcy proceedings by Tenant; institution of involuntary bankruptcy proceedings in which the Tenant thereafter is adjudged a bankruptcy; assignment for the benefit of creditors of the interest of Tenant under this lease agreement; appointment of a receiver for the property or affairs of Tenant, where the receivership is not vacated

within ten (10) days after the appointment of the receiver.

NOTICE OF DEFAULT

B. Landlord shall give Tenant a written notice specifying the default and giving the Tenant ten (10) days in which to correct the default. If there is a default (other than for nonpayment of a monetary obligation of Tenant, including rent) that cannot be remedied in ten (10) days by diligent efforts of the Tenant, Tenant shall propose an additional period of time in which to remedy the default. Consent to additional time shall not be unreasonably withheld by Landlord. Landlord shall not be required to give Tenant any more than three notices for the same default within any 365 day period.

REMEDIES

C. In the event Tenant has not remedied a default in a timely manner following a Notice of Default, Landlord may proceed with all available remedies at law or in equity, including but not limited to the following: (1) Termination. Landlord may declare this lease to be terminated and shall give Tenant a written notice of such termination. In the event of termination of this lease, Landlord shall be entitled to prove claim for and obtain judgment against Tenant for the balance of the rent agreed to be paid for the term herein provided, plus all expenses of Landlord in regaining possession of the premises and the reletting thereof, including attorney's fees and court costs, crediting against such claim, however, any amount obtained by reason of such reletting; (2) Forfeiture. If a default is not remedied in a timely manner, Landlord may then declare this lease to be forfeited and shall give Tenant a written notice of such forfeiture, and may, at the time, give Tenant the notice to quit provided for in Chapter 648 of the Code of Iowa.

15. SIGNS. N/A

- **16. NOTICES AND DEMANDS.** All notices shall be given to the parties hereto at the addresses designated unless either party notifies the other, in writing, of a different address. Without prejudice to any other method of notifying a party in writing or making a demand or other communication, such notice shall be considered given under the terms of this lease when it is deposited in the U.S. Mail, registered or certified, properly addressed, return receipt requested, and postage prepaid.
- **17. PROVISIONS BINDING.** Each and every covenant and agreement herein contained shall extend to and be binding upon the respective successors, heirs, administrators, executors and assigns of the parties hereto.
- 18. CERTIFICATION. Tenant certifies that it is not acting, directly or indirectly, for or on behalf of any person, group, entity or nation named by any Executive Order or the United States Treasury Department as a terrorist, "Specially Designated National and Blocked Person" or any other banned or blocked person, entity, nation or transaction pursuant to any law, order, rule or regulation that is enforced or administered by the Office of Foreign Assets Control; and it is not engaged in this transaction, directly or indirectly on behalf of, or instigating or facilitating this transaction, directly or indirectly on behalf of, any such person, group, entity or nation. Tenant hereby agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless Landlord from and against any and all claims, damages, losses, risks, liabilities and expenses (including attorney's fees and costs) arising from or related to any breach of the foregoing certification.

19. ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS.

- a. Tenant acknowledges his understanding that the leased premises is being marketed for sale by the City, along with the balance of City property adjacent to the leased premises.
- b. Landlord agrees to provide Tenant ninety (90) days' notice of lease termination.
- c. Tenant acknowledges that Landlord may terminate the lease upon said ninety (90) days' notice for any reason in the sole discretion of Landlord.
- d. The Parties agree that in no event will this lease be allowed to extend beyond three (3) years from the approval effective date of this Lease Agreement. That should the Parties wish to continue this lease beyond three (3) years that the Council would be required to consider approval of a new lease agreement. (Iowa Code requires a public hearing before entering into a lease agreement for a term in excess of three years. At entry into this lease agreement the Parties do not intend for this lease to continue beyond three years and, therefore, no public hearing was required or held in advance of Council consideration and approval hereof.

Approved by City Council Resolution	on the _	day of	, 2024
CITY OF OELWEIN , LANDLORD			
Signed and dated this day of, 2024			
Signed and dated this day of	, 2024		
MICHAEL A. LEO, TENANT			

RESOLUTIO	N NO2024
RESOLUTION APPROVING DEMOLITION	ASSISTANCE FOR DOUG BRYAN FOR 725 2 ND AVE SE
WHEREAS, the city of Oelwein provi remove dilapidated properties	de demolition assistance to property owners wanting to s; and
WHEREAS, 725 2 nd Ave SE is in a dilapi	dated condition; and
WHEREAS, the city shall provide fifty p	percent of the cost up to \$5,000 and;
WHEREAS, the City shall provide \$4,10	00;
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by Assistance for Doug Bryan for	the City Council of Oelwein, Iowa approves the Demolition 725 2nd Ave SE.
Passed and appro	oved this 13 day of May, 2024.
	Brett DeVore, Mayor
Attest:	It was moved by and seconded by that the Resolution as read be adopted, and upon roll call there were: AYES NAYS ABSENT ABSTAIN Ricchio Weber
Dylan Mulfinger, City Administrator	Lenz Garrigus
Recorded May 14, 2024.	Seeders Payne



DEMOLITION ASSISTANCE APPLICATION

Demolition cost assistance for up to 50 percent, with a limit not to exceed \$5,000 is available from the City of Oelwein through Neighborhood Revitalization Program Funds. Application deadlines are January 1, April 1, July 1 and October 1 annually. Along with the application, two demolition bids must be included for consideration. All qualified applications will be reviewed and prioritized by the Oelwein City Council. Reimbursement of funds will be awarded 30 days after demolition, once the final demolition invoice and proof of payment are provided and a successful inspection is completed by a Code Enforcement Officer.

A qualified applicant may apply for funding demolition to more than one qualified property. A qualified property may only receive a single award of program funds. Applications which are not funded may reapply.

PROJECT INFORMATION

Address of Property to be Demolished:	725 2nd Ave SE
Applicant Name:	
Owner Name:	DOUS BUTHER
Mailing Address:	101 county line pour
City, State, Zip:	Octvein JA 50662
Phone:	318-283-2345
E-mail Address:	dous Gbrienheuri equir nentiton
Legal Description:	
Application date:	4/22/24

Item 21.

Is the property cleaned out? If not, why?

(Attach additional page if necessary)

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Why do you need the financial assistance on the tear down?

(Attach additional page if necessary)

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What is the future of this property?

Parkins

If qualified applicant has received Economic Development Neighborhood Revitalization Program funding for any other qualified property, for each property state the following:

Year awarded

no

Project (address of property)

Amount awarded

List last date the structure was continuously occupied

List the last time this structure was served by utilities

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If Applicant is qualified as the purchaser pursuant to a valid offer to buy the qualified property, then attach a copy of offer to buy or other purchase contract document.

List partners and identify participation in the project (such as, financial, administrative, etc.):

Partner

Identify participation in project

(For Official Use Only)

Community Development Department Application Review

Application reviewed on:

5/2/2024

Application reviewed by:

David Kral

Comments:

dilapidated building, vacant for multiple years, large property zoned industrial, has phone tower in back of plot



VACANT BUILDING INITIAL INSPECTION STATUS: FAIL 725 2ND Ave. SE (Primary) Date of Second Inspection: 04/30/2024 9:00AM

February 27, 2024

Premier Heavy Equipment, LLC c/o Bryan Heavy Equipment 101 County Line Rd E. Oelwein, IA 50662

The City of Oelwein has enacted various codes that address housing standards and property maintenance throughout the city. Proper maintenance of properties ensures the availability of quality housing, protects property values and contributes to an improved quality of life for residents of Oelwein. Property owners are therefore required to comply with minimum maintenance standards found in City Code Chapter 12, Article IX, <u>Vacant Building Permit and Inspection</u>.

Vacant properties are required to be registered with the City of Oelwein. Residential properties are \$25, commercial properties are \$50 and industrial properties are \$100 annually. Proof of liability insurance is required for issuance of vacant permit. You must apply for your vacant property permit within 30 days from the date of this notice. Properties not applied for within this time will accrue a \$10/day additional fine up to \$300.**

The easiest way to register is to go to: https://www.cityofoelwein.org/community-development/page/rental-vacant-building-program and follow the bright red "Vacant Property Registration" link by scrolling to the middle of the page.

In accordance with code, on 02/16/2024, the structure at 725 2ND Ave. SE (Primary) was inspected and failed. The code violations must be corrected by 04/30/2024. If, at the time of the next inspection, the required corrections are not made then a reinspection and a \$250 fee will be required. Failed inspections at the third and subsequent inspections will result in \$350 fees each time it fails, and a follow up inspection being scheduled.

If additional time is needed to address the violation(s), please submit a written request to the Building Official/Zoning Administrator a minimum of (2) days before the next inspection for a maximum of 15 days extension. If an appeal is being filed then the completed appeal form and \$100 fee must be submitted to the Community Development Department within twenty (20) days of the date of this notice. An application for appeal shall be based on a claim that the true intent of this code or the rules legally adopted thereunder have been incorrectly interpreted, the provisions of this code do not fully apply, or the requirements of this code are adequately satisfied by other means.

If no progress is made by the time of the reinspection, the case will be referred to the city attorney and a municipal infraction up to \$750 will be issued, as well as costs assessed by the court.

**Permit Fee Exemption:

A. The property owner may qualify for an exemption from fees if the property is scheduled to be rehabilitated, in the process or scheduled for demolition, or if the property is actively being marketed.

i. Actively being marketed—Being listed with a real estate agent, the property has a for sale sign visible from the adjacent road, the property is advertised online or in the local paper.

ii. Applicants must provide written evidence that qualifies them for an exemption.

B. Fee may be waived if a building permit is pulled on the location and progress is being made on the property for substantial improvement or code compliance.

C. The following owners will be exempt from fees: Fannie Mae/Freddie Mac and United States Department of Agriculture (USDA).

Sincerely,
City of Oelwein
Community Development Department

Violations are listed on the following page

City of Oelwein Community Development Department 20 2nd Ave SW Oelwein, Iowa 50662

319-283-5862

Exterior:

- 1. Grading & Drainage -
 - Section 25-32/Exterior Property Areas
 - -Gutters have failed on the front of the home and are no longer moving water away from the foundation
- 2. Foundation Walls -
 - Section 25-36/Component Serviceability
 - -Foundation walls show signs of partial structural failure and should be checked
- 3. Roofing or Roofing Components -
 - Section 25-34/Exterior Structure
 - -Roofing is deteriorating and should be replaced before the home is damaged by water

REMINDER: For any work requiring a permit, you can apply for one online on our website at: http://www.cityofoelwein.org/departments/community-development-department.html

Lonnie & Jennifer Brewer

1251 Fontana Blvd Hazleton, IA 50641

Estimate

Date	Estimate #	
5/1/2024	566	

Name / Address

Premier Heavy Equip 101 County line Rd Oelwein IA 50662

Project

Description

Tear down and remove house only
All materials hauled to landfill
Utilities done to city spees
Exewated hole filled and capped with 4 inches black dirt
Any trees removed will be extra. Price to be determined

All work is complete!

Total

SS,700.00

Customer Signature

Bryan Construction Inc

1302 Outer Rd Oelwein, IA. 50662



DATE	ESTIMATE NO.
4/29/2024	2419

NAME / ADDRESS

Premier Heavy Equipment C/O Bryan Heavy Equipment 101 County Line Rd E Oelwein, IA 50662

PROJECT

DESCRIPTION	QTY	COST	TOTAL
Demolition House 725 2nd Ave. SE Oelwein, IA 1. Cap Utilities As Required By City 2. Provide City Of Oelwein Demolition Permit 3. Remove Trees As Needed 4. Demolish And Remove House Only 5. Transport / Disposal Of House ,Contents, And Debris At Black Hawk County Landfill 6. Remove Foundations And Provide Clean Fill To Minimum 4' Depth 7. Provide 4" Top Soil And Finish Grade 9. All Work To Be In Compliance With Governing Regulations 10. Tire Removal Fee Is \$30.00 Each (Not Included)		8,200.00	8,200.00
Proposal Valid For 30 Days		TOTAL	\$8,200.00

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Policy: Demolition Assistance

Adopted by Resolution: 5296-2021

Date: September 13, 2021

The City of Oelwein wants to improve the community by removing homes that no longer provide a safe and habitable living condition for community members. To help achieve this goal, the city will provide demolition assistance to property owners in Oelwein. Demolition assistance is paid to the property owner who successfully demolishes a home and either adds to their current property or builds on the demolished property.

Rules of the program

- The city will fund 50 percent of the demolition with a maximum award of \$5,000 as a reimbursement
- Applicants who have received income from the property are not eligible
- Strong consideration is given to applicants who acquire an adjacent property and want to add to their existing property

The process for the award is as follows:

- The applicant must provide two demolition bids for the property
- The applicant must apply to the city via the demolition assistance application
- All homes that are applying for assistance must be inspected by the city
- Applications and completed inspections are sent to the Planning, Finance, Enterprise, and Economic Development Committee for recommendation to council
 - o This committee meets as needed and as time allows
- The Committee can recommend funding, recommend denying funding, or provide a recommendation with conditions
- Once the council approves funds, the applicant then proceeds to work with their contractor on the demolition of the property
- Contractors must pull a permit for a demolition in the City of Oelwein
- Once the demolition is completed and passes the demolition inspection, the property owner submits landfill tickets and copies of paid invoices to the city
- A reimbursement check is cut to the property owner once all building permits are clear and all paperwork has been provided to the city

While the city strives to follow the above guidelines, exceptions can be made in dire circumstances. This program helps the city avoid demolishing a home and bearing all of the cost.

RESOLUTION NO. ___ - 2024

RESOLUTION SCHEDULING PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED SALE OF CITY OWNED REAL PROPERTY LOCATED AT 902 1st Ave. SW

WHEREAS, the City of Oelwein, Iowa, is the owner of real property ("Property") situated in the City of Oelwein, Fayette County, Iowa, locally known as 902 1st Ave. SW, Parcel No. 1828177024, legally described as follows:

The North 73 feet of Lot 10, Block 2, Fenner's 3rd Addition to Oelwein, Fayette County, Iowa

WHEREAS, the City acquired title to the Property by Quit Claim Deed dated January 20, 2023, recorded on January 24, 2023 in Book 2023 Page 222, records of the Fayette County, Iowa Recorder; and

WHEREAS, the Council has received an offer to purchase said property from Sean and Amanda Emery for the sum of \$1,020.00; and

WHEREAS, the Council finds that continued City ownership of the property serves no public purpose, and that the transfer to Sean and Amanda Emery consistent with the proposal of Sean and Amanda Emery, is appropriate and in the best interests of the City of Oelwein; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that a public hearing must be set and held prior to the sale and transfer of real property.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OELWEIN IOWA, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1: Public Hearing: City Council will hold a public hearing as part of its regular meeting at 6:00 P.M. on May 28, 2024 at 6:00 p.m. to be held at the City Library, 201 East Charles Street, Oelwein, IA, for purposes of obtaining public input on the proposed sale of the Property as set forth above.

SECTION 2: Publication of Notice: The City Clerk is directed to publish notice of said public hearing, which publication shall be not less than four (4) nor more than twenty (20) days prior to the date set for said public hearing pursuant to the requirements of Iowa Code § 364.7 and 362.3.

SECTION 3: When Effective. This Resolution shall be effective upon its passage and approval as provided by law.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 13^{TH} DAY OF MAY 2024.

	Brett DeVore, Mayor	
ATTEST:		
Dylan Mulfinger, City Administrator		
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CITY OF OELWEIN

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON THE PROPOSED SALE OF CITY OWNED REAL ESTATE

Notice is hereby given that the City of Oelwein, Fayette County, Iowa, proposes to sell and convey by Quit Claim Deed, the following described real estate situated in the City of Oelwein:

The North 73 feet of Lot 10, Block 2, Fenner's 3rd Addition to Oelwein, Fayette County, Iowa

Locally knows as 902 1st Ave. SW; Parcel No. 1828177024

The City proposes to sell the property to Sean and Amanda Emery for the sum of \$1,020.00.

Public Hearing on the proposed sale, and terms associated therewith, will be held at 6:00 P.M. on May 28, 2024 at 6:00 p.m. to be held at the City Library, 201 East Charles Street, Oelwein, IA,. After acceptance of public comment, if any, and closing of the public hearing, the City Council may act upon the proposal to sell and transfer said property.

Any person may appear at the Public Hearing to comment on the proposed terms of the sale to Sean and Amanda Emery and/or may submit written comments in advance of the Public Hearing by delivery of same to the City Clerk's Office, at Oelwein City Hall, 20 2nd Ave. SW, Oelwein, IA during regular business hours, by mailing to the City of Oelwein at the same address, or by email to the City Clerk's Office at dmulfinger@cityofoelwein.org, on or before the date and time of the Public Hearing.

Dylan Mulfinger, City Administrator City of Oelwein, Iowa

RESOLUTION NO. ___ - 2024

RESOLUTION SCHEDULING PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED SALE OF CITY OWNED REAL PROPERTY LOCATED AT 222 SOUTH FREDERICK

WHEREAS, the City of Oelwein, Iowa, is the owner of real property ("Property") situated in the City of Oelwein, Fayette County, Iowa, locally known as 222 South Frederick, Parcel No. 1821377002, legally described as follows:

That Part of the East Half of the Southwest Quarter of Section 21, Township 91 North, Range 9 West of the Fifth P.M., including Part of Lot 1, Block 1, Bennett's Addition to Oelwein and Lots 6 and 7, Part of Lots 5, 8, 9, and 10, Block 4, Oelwein's First Addition to Oelwein, Per Survey of Harold D. Blessing Recorded in Survey Book 4 Page 222-224, Fayette County, Iowa

WHEREAS, the City acquired title to the Property by Warranty Deed dated September 27, 2011, recorded on September 29, 2011, in Book 2011 Page 2665, records of the Fayette County, lowa Recorder; and

WHEREAS, the Council has received an offer to purchase said property from Hub City Heritage Corporation for the sum of \$500.00; and

WHEREAS, the Council finds that continued City ownership of the property serves no public purpose, and that the transfer to Hub City Heritage Corporation consistent with the proposal of Hub City Heritage Corporation, is appropriate and in the best interests of the City of Oelwein; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that a public hearing must be set and held prior to the sale and transfer of real property.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OELWEIN IOWA, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1: Public Hearing: City Council will hold a public hearing as part of its regular meeting at 6:00 P.M. on May 28, 2024 at 6:00 p.m. to be held at the City Library, 201 East Charles Street, Oelwein, IA, for purposes of obtaining public input on the proposed sale of the Property as set forth above.

SECTION 2: Publication of Notice: The City Clerk is directed to publish notice of said public hearing, which publication shall be not less than four (4) nor more than twenty (20) days prior to the date set for said public hearing pursuant to the requirements of lowa Code § 364.7 and 362.3.

SECTION 3: When Effective. This Resolution shall be effective upon its passage and approval as provided by law.

PASSED AND APPROVED thisday of	of May 2024.	
	Brett DeVore, Mayor	
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CITY OF OELWEIN

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON THE PROPOSED SALE OF CITY OWNED REAL ESTATE

Notice is hereby given that the City of Oelwein, Fayette County, Iowa, proposes to sell and convey by Quit Claim Deed, the following described real estate situated in the City of Oelwein:

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Locally knows as 222 South Frederick; Parcel No. 1821377002

The City proposes to sell the property to Hub City Heritage Corporation for the sum of \$500.00.

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Dylan Mulfinger, City Administrator City of Oelwein, Iowa

RESOLUTION NO. - 2024

RESOLUTION SCHEDULING PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED SALE OF CITY OWNED REAL PROPERTY LOCATED AT 322 6th AVENUE SE

WHEREAS, the City of Oelwein, Iowa, is the owner of real property ("Property") situated in the City of Oelwein, Fayette County, Iowa, locally known as 322 6th Avenue SE, Parcel No. 1821483010, legally described as follows:

Lot 11, Block 10, Grandview Addition to Oelwein, Fayette County, Iowa

WHEREAS, the City acquired title to the Property by Order of the court dated November 27, 2022, recorded on November 29, 2022, in Book 2022, Page 3727, of the records of the Fayette County, Iowa Recorder; and

WHEREAS, the Council has received an offer to purchase said property from Andrew Heth for the sum of \$1,020.00; and

WHEREAS, the Council finds that continued City ownership of the property serves no public purpose, and that the transfer to Andrew Heth consistent with the proposal of Andrew Heth, is appropriate and in the best interests of the City of Oelwein; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that a public hearing must be set and held prior to the sale and transfer of real property.

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SECTION 3: When Effective. This Resolution shall be effective upon its passage and approval as provided by law.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 13TH DAY OF MAY 2024.

	Brett DeVore, Mayor	
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CITY OF OELWEIN

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON THE PROPOSED SALE OF CITY OWNED REAL ESTATE

Notice is hereby given that the City of Oelwein, Fayette County, Iowa, proposes to sell and convey by Quit Claim Deed, the following described real estate situated in the City of Oelwein:

Lot 11, Block 10, Grandview Addition to Oelwein, Fayette County, Iowa

Locally knows as 322 6th Avenue SE; Parcel No. 1821483010

The City proposes to sell the property to Andrew Heth for the sum of \$1,020.00.

Public Hearing on the proposed sale, and terms associated therewith, will be held at 6:00 P.M. on May 28, 2024 at 6:00 p.m. to be held at the City Library, 201 East Charles Street, Oelwein, IA,. After acceptance of public comment, if any, and closing of the public hearing, the City Council may act upon the proposal to sell and transfer said property.

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Dylan Mulfinger, City Administrator City of Oelwein, Iowa

RESOLUTION NO.	-2024
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A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING TEMPORARY CLOSURE OF PUBLIC WAYS OR GROUNDS FOR OELWEIN CELEBRATIONS RENEWED, INC.

WHEREAS, Iowa Code Section 364. 12 (2) states that "a city shall keep all public grounds, streets, sidewalks, alleys, bridges, culverts, overpasses, underpasses, grade crossing separations and approaches, public ways, squares, and commons open, in repair, and free from nuisance, with the following exceptions "; and

WHEREAS, Iowa Code Section 364. 12 (2) (a) states that "Public ways and grounds may be temporarily closed by resolution"; and

WHEREAS, Oelwein Celebrations Renewed, Inc. have requested temporarily closure of streets and parks for the following events, locations and times:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of Oelwein, Iowa that

Event	Location of Street Closures	Date & Time
Parade	Frederick Avenue from 2 nd Street NW to 8 th Street SW	June 1, 2024 from 8 A.M. until conclusion of the parade
Oelwein Celebration Activities	West Charles St from the North/South Frederick Ave intersection to the East side of 1st Ave NW/SW	May 31, 2024 June 1, 2024 June 2, 2024 until 4:00 PM

Oelwein Celebrations Renewed, Inc. organizers are authorized to temporarily close the aforementioned requested streets and Park.

Passed and approved this 13 day of May, 2024.

	Brett DeVor	e, Mayor			
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Attest:	Resolution a	s read be ac	lopted, ar	nd upon roll	call there were:
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May 7, 2024

Oelwein City Council 20 2nd Ave SW Oelwein, IA 50662

Honorable Mayor DeVore and City Council Members,

Oelwein Celebrations Renewed, Inc. is asking for your support for this year's annual celebration. We are planning a three day event which will include Friday evening, May 31, 2024 to Sunday, June 2, 2024.

We respectfully ask that you honor our request for the street closings similar to the celebration held in July 2023 for Oelwein's 150th birthday because we are relocating our community celebration to Depot Park and the surrounding area. We ask to have the West Charles St from the North/South Frederick Ave intersection to the East side of 1st Ave NW/SW. There will also be a need to block off nearby alleyways. On Saturday morning, June 1, 2024, we will hold our parade along the same route as in previous years. Line up will be in the North parking lot beginning at 8 AM with the parade beginning at 10 AM. Following the parade, the lot will be opened for public parking. Our last event of the weekend will be Sunday afternoon. We expect to conclude the Christian Concert around 3:30 PM and streets can certainly be opened by 4 PM.

The Oelwein Police Department will be handling the barricades at the intersections at the request of Police Chief, Jeremy Logan.

Oelwein Celebrations Renewed, Inc. offers our thank you in advance for your continued support of this committee and our community events.

For questions, comments, or concerns, please contact Kimberly Pont, Committee President at (319) 283-0473.

Respectfully,
The Celebration Committee





Hello,

We hope this letter finds you well. We are reaching out regarding the 2024 Fayette County Fair, a cherished annual event that brings joy, celebration, and a sense of unity to our towns and county. Our fair serves as a platform to showcase the rich heritage, talent, and craftsmanship of our local residents while providing affordable family entertainment. However, to ensure the success of this beloved tradition, we rely heavily on the generosity of individuals and businesses like yours to support our efforts financially.

Your donation to the Fayette County Fair would not only be a contribution to the vibrancy of our communities but also an investment in the future of our youth. By supporting our fair, you are helping to provide educational opportunities, promote local businesses, and create unforgettable memories for families. Whether it's sponsoring a specific event, providing in-kind donations, or offering monetary support, every contribution makes a meaningful difference in our ability to continue this tradition for generations to come.

We truly appreciate your consideration and support in making the Fayette County Fair a resounding success. Your generosity will not only be recognized by our organization but also by the countless individuals whose lives are enriched by the experiences our fair provides. Together, we can ensure that our communities continues to thrive and that the spirit of togetherness and celebration endures. Thank you for your generosity and commitment to our shared values.

Justin Steinlage

Fayette County Agricultural Society Treasurer
(563) 518-0104

Name/Business: ______ Phone:

Address:

City: ______ State: ____ Zip:

Email:

Enclosed is my donation amount of: \$_____ I would like my donation to be directed toward: _____ I would like my donation to be directed toward: ______ I would like my donation to be directed toward: ______ I would like my donation to be directed toward: ______ I would like my donation to be directed toward: ______ I would like my donation and the property of the pr

Hotel Motel FY 2024		Treasurer's Repo	ort Fund 122		
Past Fiscal Year		Month End Bala	nce History	Revenue Rec'd Tra	acking (s/b \$65,000)
Fund 122 balance 6/30/2023	\$ 12,934.56	July	12,355.78	August '23	18,306.47
		August	30,684.83	November '23	23,689.58
		September	29,246.62	February '24	20,359.29
		October	21,821.03	May '24	
		November	45,568.14	-	\$ 62,355.34
Current Fiscal Year		December	45,661.65		
Estimated Revenue 2023	65,000.00	January	44,273.59		
less Revenue to General Fund 50%	(31,850.00)	February	64,753.24		
less Revenue to Trails (to trans 6-2021)	(10,000.00)	March	63,398.20		
FY 2023-24 available for tourism awards	\$ 23,150.00	April	63,565.57		
	-	May			
		June	(tentative)		

	Date	Amount	Council	Amount		Amount	*Remaining	Special
Project	Requested	Requested	Award Date	Awarded	Date Paid	paid	Balance	Instructions
Fayette County Agricultural Society	4/1/2023	5,000	4/24/2023	5,000	10/3/2023	5,000		
Williams Center	6/1/2023	1,500	6/12/2023	1,500	9/20/2023	1,500		
Italian Heritage Days	6/1/2023	600	6/12/2023	600	7/12/2023	600		
Oelwien Celebrations	8/1/2023	20,000	8/28/2023	5,000				split? 15K Econ Dev
Williams Center	9/1/2023	1,500	9/11/2023	1,500	1/4/2024	1,500		
O Town Mania	9/1/2023	2,500	9/11/2023	2,500	10/3/2023	2,500		
Williams Center	12/1/2023	1,500	12/11/2023	1,500	3/6/2024	1,500		
T&T BBQ	12/1/2023	15,000	12/11/2023	-				
Williams Center - Tribute Neil Diamond	3/1/2024	1,500	3/11/2024	1,500				
Grand Theatre	3/1/22024	10,000	3/11/2024	10,000				
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			Total :	\$ 29,100.00				

\$ 6,984.56 Available to award

Fayette Co Ag Society

Hotel Motel Funding

Year	Awarded
2018	1,000
2019	5,000
2020	6,000
2021	6,000
2022	6,000
2023	5,000
	\$ 29,000



Application for Appointment to Boards and Commissions

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Please check the following boards or commi	ssions to	which you would like to be appointed:
Airport Board		Civil Service Commission
Electrical Board		International Code Council Board of Appeals
Library Board		Mechanical Board
Park & Recreation Commission		Planning and Zoning Commission
Plumbing Board	× ~	Tree Board
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Describe any goals and/or objectives you envision for the board/commission:
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Any additional information or comments you wish to offer:
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To: Mayor and City Council From: Dylan Mulfinger

Subject: Administration City Council Agenda Memo

Date: 5/13/2024

Ordinances

- 6. Consideration of an ordinance amending Chapter 7: Water and Sewer, Article II, Section 10: Water Rates and amending Article III, Section 41: Sanitary Sewer Surcharges: Schedules. Second Reading.
 - A 30 percent increase in a 10-year plan will do \$7,221,680 in water projects and \$13,666,194 in sewer projects. This does not include the potential to get CDBG funds for each project. CDBG awards \$500,000 for each project. The City Administrator recommends approving this second reading.
- 7. Consideration of an ordinance amending language in Chapter 12 Buildings, Article 1 Building Code: Section 12-3 Amendments, Subsection H) 1, 3, and 4: Demolition Permits. Second Reading
 - 1. This requires the removal of all brick and concrete material from a home demolition. No longer can the contractor crush the material into everything smaller than one cubic foot. The City Administrator recommends approving this second reading.
- 8. Consideration of an Ordinance amending, Chapter 6, Article IV, Oelwein Airport Board, Section 6-101 Qualifications of Board Members. - Second Reading.
 - 1. The airport board recommended this change. It takes the board from requiring three people in town to two. The City Administrator recommends approving this second reading.

Resolutions

- 9. Consideration of a resolution setting a public hearing amending the Fiscal Year 2023-2024 budget on May 28, 2023 at 6:00 PM at the Oelwein Public Library.
 - 1. This is required each year to balance the budget. The City Administrator recommends approving the resolution.
- 10. Consideration of a resolution setting date for the sale of General Obligation Bridge Improvement Bonds, Series 2024 and authorizing the use of a preliminary official statement in connection therewith.
 - The city will go to the market for the bond for the 10th Street bridge. Everything is lining up and the city now hopes for a low interest rate. The City Administrator recommends approving the resolution.
- 11. Consideration of a resolution approving the Preliminary Official Statement.
 - 1. The Preliminary Official Statement (POS) is an informational disclosure document released prior to the sale of the bond which describes the



proposed new bond issue. Interest rates and final repayment schedule are determined after the bond sale. It explains how the bond will be paid back, estimated payment schedule, and final due date. The POS includes specifics of the city government, council, staff, police, volunteers, and unions The City Administrator recommends approving the resolution.

- 12. Consideration of a resolution approving the Fiscal Year 2025 through Fiscal Year 2027 Salary Resolution.
 - The City Council has reviewed the salary resolution. The proposed salary resolution removes longevity and creates a larger step program rather than the sooner aggressive step program. This includes a four percent for hourly and three percent for salary. With the transition away from longevity, the wages and salaries show will be the total compensation. The City Administrator recommends approving the resolution.
- 13. Resolution approving a Union Contract with Chauffeurs, Teamsters and Helpers Local Union No. 238
 - 1. The Public Works Union still exists. They must vote each year to be a union. We are doing a year contract to make sure they have to vote each year. This contract includes a four percent increase. The City Administrator recommends approving the resolution.
- 14. Consideration of a resolution approving the Fiscal Year 2025 Fee Schedule.
 - The City Council discussed this at the last work session. It does not include the fees Anthony Ricchio wanted. If the City Council wants to include those fees, the City Council will need to provide direction. The City Administrator recommends approving the resolution.
- 15. Consideration of a resolution approving a Professional Services Agreement in the amount of \$12,500 with MSA for assistance in applying for an EPA Community Change Grant.
 - The City Council approved putting this on the agenda for approval. This
 grant requires no match and is up to ten million dollars. This grant will
 help with flood mitigation and potential for a sports complex. The City
 Administrator recommends approving the resolution.
- 16. Consideration of a resolution approving the Oelwein Municipal Airport (OLZ) Revenue Policy.
 - 1. This policy is required by taking federal funds for the airport. This was brought to our attention with a recent audit of our federal grant. The City Administrator recommends approving the resolution.
- 17. Consideration of a resolution amending the Oelwein Personnel Manual.
 - The City Council discussed most of these changes at the last work session. I did add some clean up of some policies and threw in a change to the meal compensation. The current figures are not enough to compensate staff when they are away for the city. The City Administrator recommends approving the resolution.



- 18. Consideration of a resolution approving the Inclement Weather Policy.
 - 1. This policy will help the City Council and the City Administrator be on the same level of understanding when a building needs closed due to bad weather. The City Administrator recommends approving the resolution.
- 19. Consideration of a resolution approving the reduction of the price of bulk items stickers for Oelwein residents to \$10.00 as part of the annual large item cleanup program.
 - This is one of the favorite programs in Oelwein. This program helps people clean up their properties and homes. The City Administrator recommends approving the resolution.
- 20. Consideration of a resolution approving the lease to Leo's Italian Restaurant.
 - The PFEED committee requested a lease for Leo so both parties could still benefit. This lease allows Leo to use the ground, but still provides an option for the city to sell the property. The City Administrator recommends approving the resolution.
- 21. Consideration of a resolution approving the demolition assistance application for 725 2nd Ave SE to Doug Bryan.
 - 1. This application falls within the policy. The City Administrator recommends approving the resolution.
- 22. Consideration of a resolution setting a public hearing for May 28, 2024 at 6:00PM at the Oelwein Public Library for the sale of 902 1st Ave SE to Sean and Amanda Emery.
 - 1. The City Administrator recommends approving the resolution.
- 23. Consideration of a resolution setting a public hearing for May 28, 2024 at 6:00PM at the Oelwein Public Library for the sale 222 South Frederick to Hub City Heritage Corporation.
 - 1. The City Administrator recommends approving the resolution.
- 24. Consideration of a resolution setting a public hearing for May 28, 2024 at 6:00PM at the Oelwein Public Library for the sale 322 6th Ave SE to Andrew Heth.
 - 1. The City Administrator recommends approving the resolution.
- 25. Consideration of a resolution authorizing temporary closure of public ways or grounds for Oelwein Celebrations Renewed, Inc. on May 31, 2024 through June 2, 2024.
 - 1. The City Administrator recommends approving the resolution.

Motions

- 26. Consideration of a motion approving the direction from the Planning, Finance, Enterprise, and Economic Development Committee on the Hotel Motel request from the Fayette County Fair.
 - 1. The city has had a great partnership with the Fayette County Fair. The City Administrator recommends providing funding.

	APRIL 2024	CITY OF OELWI	EIN TREASURER'S F	REPORT		Date Printed	5/1/2024
	Fund	Beg Balance	Revenue	Expense	Transfers		BANK BA
001	General	910,249.41	469,005.14	447,476.30	(916.67)	930,861.58	Item A.
051	County Emergency Manage	5,468.21	6,395.48	-	(520.07)	11,863.69	
110	Road Use Tax	644,709.84	67,722.07	37,066.67	_	675,365.24	
112	Trust and Agency	337,465.43	261,922.11	81,830.17	_	517,557.37	
113	Flex Spending	1,436.73	1,512.28	756.14	-	2,192.87	2,192.87
119	Emergency	25,324.72	11,721.24		-1	37,045.96	2,202.07
120	Sidewalks Repaired/Replaced	-	-	-	_	-	
121	Sales Tax	615,052.52	57,016.45	-	_	672,068.97	
122	Hotel/Motel Tax	63,398.20	171.21	3.84	-	63,565.57	
123	Gas-Electric Franchise Fee	573,523.33	1,555.41	9,889.65	(19,937.00)	545,252.09	
124	Library Bequest	376,316.30	4,027.84	-	-	380,344.14	
126	Downtown TIF	144,713.14	17,473.56	-	-	162,186.70	
127	Industrial Park TIF	_	17,987.86	-		17,987.86	
128	Ind Park SubFund TIF East Penn	984,494.08	2,642.56	- 1		987,136.64	
132	DARE	(44.98)	-	-	-	(44.98)	
136	Trees Forever	13,291.36	- 1	160.85		13,130.51	
146	Oelwein Housing Revolving Loan Fund	104,333.67	521.29	-	n-	104,854.96	
160	Econ Dev (\$12,500 Wellness Res)	622,909.26	1,686.91	8,844.56		615,751.61	
161	IRP Revolving Loan	308,785.43	18,746.66	46,441.39	-	281,090.70	281,090.70
162	Downtown Business Grants	161,333.66	433.05	45,000.00	-	116,766.71	
167	Oelwein Volunteer Fire Dept	23,442.32		-	916.67	24,358.99	
177	Forfeit Assets	3,200.36	-	79.00	5=	3,121.36	
200	Debt Service	657,995.26	118,245.73	600.00	19,937.00	795,577.99	
201	Water Bondsinking	318,547.10	835.24	-	29,090.00	348,472.34	
202	Sewer Bondsinking	610,844.88	1,600.42	-	57,590.00	670,035.30	
205	Special Assessments	46,954.89	126.04	_	-	47,080.93	
282	CDBG Housing Rehab	•	-			-	
287	2020 GO Bond	8,302.67	· .	14	1-	8,302.67	
301	HMGP 4483 GRANT	30,500.00	1=		-	30,500.00	
302	Oelwein Housing Teardown	(93,123.05)	-	-	-	(93,123.05)	
305	Airport Grant	(74,587.29)	-	5,949.68		(80,536.97)	
307	Tri Park Trail Extensions	1,041,923.76	2,677.47	-	-	1,044,601.23	
310	Plaza Park Expansion (OCAD Project)	(299,043.91)	-	-	-	(299,043.91)	
314	Dry Run Creek Flooding	(59,158.34)	-	13,947.50	-	(73,105.84)	
360	Cares Act NE Sewer Replacement	(38,900.91)	, -	5,043.27	-	(43,944.18)	
385	Water Main Rpl 1 Av NE 5 & 12 Av SE	(5,779.11)		- 1	-	(5,779.11)	
387	'23 HMA Paving Imp 1st 12th SF Evnt	387,698.03	1,040.66	4,978.50	-	383,760.19	
388	2024 GO Bond Const 10th St Bridge	-	90 JAC	20,817.22	-	(20,817.22)	
393	2022 GO Bond Construction City Hall	320,650.57	860.66	8,539.28	-	312,971.95	
397	Railroad Grant-Viaduct	18,875.65	50.66	v *	-	18,926.31	
501	Cemetery Perp Care	296,110.36	720.28	X	-	296,830.64	3,830.64
600	Water (2016D Reserve \$67,000)	993,282.00	116,844.22	118,852.64	(29,090.00)	962,183.58	
601	Water Infrastructure Fee	11,424.38	9.97	-	-	11,434.35	
620	Customer Water Deposits	138,280.96	2,250.00	1,538.63	-1	138,992.33	
640	Fuel	3,674.86	1,907.43	7 J. S. S.	*	5,582.29	
670	Landfill	256,074.04	50,792.59	84,794.99	-1	222,071.64	
671	Recycling	78,635.13	6,373.34	18,232.88		66,775.59	
672	ROW Trees Utility Fee	31,796.61	8,150.67	7,225.35	-1	32,721.93	
680	Wellness Center	18,692.77	13,358.65	28,877.31	-	3,174.11	
700	Sewer/Waste Treatment	1,430,027.18	140,459.43	156,676.63	(57,590.00)	1,356,219.98	
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Library Hours:

Monday-Tuesday: 9:00 am-8:00 pm

Wednesday-Thursday: 9:00 am-7:00 pm

Friday: 9:00 am-5:30 pm

Saturday: 9:00 am-3:00 pm





The Library Noise



May Calendar

5/6	Read Aloud	5:30			
5/7	ISU Senior Class: Exercise	1:00			
5/13	Friends	1:30			
5/14	Library Board	5:15			
5/20	Book Talk	10:00			
May theme: By a neurodivergent author					
5/20	Sheriff Thompson Book Talk	6:00			
5/21	ISU Senior Class: Meals	1:00			
5/27	Closed: Memorial Day				
5/29 Summer Reading Program Kick-Off					

Magic Show with Rick Brammer 10:00

Sheriff Tony Thompson Book Talk Monday, May 20th 6:00 p.m.

Sheriff Thompson will be at the library to discuss his new book, *Anyplace*



But Here, and the convergence between mental illness and the criminal justice

system. He will sign books for attendees. The Oelwein Reads

Book Club will meet this month at the library for this program.

Did You Know

As the vibrant colors of spring burst forth, it's the perfect time to grow your career goals with Brainfuse JobNow! Whether you're

with Brainfuse Jobnow seeking a fresh start or aiming for a promotion, our expert job coaches are here to help you bloom into your full professional potential. This online resource can be found



on the library's website under the Online Resources tab. It's FREE with your library card!

Also offered by JobNow: Calling all job seekers! We're excited to offer a FREE workshop about Al Techniques for Job Seekers to land your dream job on Tuesday, May 21st at 12:00 p.m. All attendee must register at https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/1049112652230010205



Upcoming Program in June

June 5th at 5:00 p.m. Scattergood Hostel Guest Speaker: Michael Luick-Thrams

Scattergood school, in West Branch, IA, became a safe place for WWII refugees fleeing for their lives from Nazi Germany. Our speaker will share the history of what was happening in the US



during WWII and the story behind the Hostel which sheltered 185 European refugees from 1939 to 1943.

Stay Independent: A Healthy Aging Series
for adults over 60 years of age. Please
register with the library for each class.

Each hour long class begins at 1:00 p.m.

May 7th: Exercise Your Independence

May 21st: Three Meals a Day

Sponsored by Fayette County Extension and Outreach



The following people made donations in memory of loved ones during the month of April:

In memory of Seth Garceau
Jens & Joanne Nielsen
In memory of Cooper Ingels
Bill & Diane Brownell
In memory of Lori Jones
Friends of the Oelwein Library
In memory of Luigi Stasi
Vince & Pauline Fettkether



For more information on how you can create this lasting tribute to someone you have lost or would like to honor, please contact Deann Fox at 283 1515.



Pages & Play Club Join Miss Katie every Wednesday at 10:00 a.m.



5/1 Elephants

5/8 The Secret Life of Squirrels

5/15 Rainy Day

5/22 In the Garden

5/29 Magic Show with Rick Eugene

Theme Thursdays 4:00 p.m.

Button Making 5/2

5/9 **LEGOs**

5/16 Spring Science

5/23 Abstract Art

5/30 Hydroponics



Would you like more information on how to sign up?

Stop in the library or visit our website at www.oelwein.lib.ia.us





Take & Make **Kits**

DIY Circle Flowers



The Summer Reading Program is coming soon!



We have fun programs lined up and some great prizes for you to win this June. Stay tuned for the Summer Reading Program

flyer and for more details to be added to our website at www.oelwein.lib.ia.us.

New Fiction

Only the Brave-Danielle Steel Lost Birds-Anne Hillerman The Husbands-Holly Gramazio James-Percival Everett A Calamity of Souls-David Baldacci Cemetery of Untold Stories-Julia Alvarez Feline Fatale-Rita Mae Brown Darling Girls-Sally Hepworth Lucky-Jane Smiley Extinction-Douglas J. Preston An Unfinished Murder-Jude Deveraux The Summer We Started Over-Nancy Thayer

New Non-Fiction

Rebel Rising-Rebel Wilson The Demon of Unrest-Erik Larson Never Leave the Dogs Behind-Brianna Madia Death Row Welcomes You-Steven Hale The King of Diamonds-Rena Pederson The False White Gospel-Jim Wallis

New Young Adult

The Darkness Rises-Stacy Stokes The One That Got Away With Murder-Trish Lundy

Ladybug

The Wild-Yuval Zommer Emma Full of Wonders-Elisha Cooper Spider in the Well-Jess Hannigan Pete the Cat and the Lost Tooth-James Dean Animal Albums From A to Z-Cece Bell Penelope Rex and the Problem Pets-Ryan T. Higgins

New J

Minecraft Dungeons-Josh Gregory Extinctopedia-Serenella Quarello The Mystery of Locked Rooms-Lindsay Currie

New DVD's

Lisa Frankenstein Paw Patrol: Jungle Pups

Children under the age of seven (7) must be accompanied by a responsible person at least fourteen (14) years old. It is the responsibility of parents/guardians/caregivers to supervise and monitor the behavior and safety of their children or persons in need of a caregiver at times. The library is not responsible for children or persons in need of a caregiver left in the building.



MARCH 2024 PARK MONTHLY REPORT

This past month this department learned that they are the recipients of our grant proposal of \$2,000 to purchase CPR manikins for first responder training. Enbridge installed a large regional gas line years ago northeast of Oelwein back in the early 90's. The tree board met on Monday evening as we talked about upcoming plantings and recognitions. The tree board received word that they are the recipients of the Growth Award once again for their work in 2023. The growth award recognizes the boards major milestones and annual activities in various categories that combine to build sustainable community forestry programs. The park employees did a fantastic job and finished construction on gravel bed behind the shop area. The gravel bed will enable us to purchase bare root trees at a much cheaper price to plant more trees in the future. This department learned that we are the recipients of a Paint Iowa grant through Diamond Vogel paint. This paint will be used to paint picnic tables at the campground during the United Day of Caring in early May. The park employees have been busy at the aquatic center getting the facility ready for the season. Chris J. took the box scraper to the complex to grade the parking lot and the park employees brought out the nets and bleachers for rec soccer. The cemetery employees spread rock on the north roads at the cemetery and straightened out roadside markers.

This past month we completed the second round of paperwork with the staff for the aquatic center at the school. The lounge chairs arrived this week and were purchased with CIP funds and matching funds from the Fayette County Community Foundation. Young Caden Palmer installed lettering on the new City Park sign as the paper could not wait for him to finish the project and get a picture of him with the sign. We have been concentrating our efforts to wrap up the campground and the endless tasks at the pool as the warm weather is pushing the grass growth early this season. The park employees have continued maintenance on the pool facility patching the shower floors, painting, power spraying and adjusting toilets and sinks. New palm leaves were installed as they have received a lot of wind damage over the years. The chemicals for the pool water showed up this week so we are well prepared. The cemetery employees started removing the fencing around the pool boiler as the contractors are expected to be in soon to replace the boiler. The park employees have been working on replacing the twist slide at City Park this week. Playground equipment is very time consuming and can be very frustrating getting everything bolted back together. The park employees have helped the rec program by bringing out nets, bleachers, and garbage cans. The cemetery employees and park employees both helped prepare the campground this year, turning the water on, moving picnic tables, spreading a few loads of rock on the pads, leveling them out, spraying pads among other preparations. I attended an interesting upper explorer land meeting last week as the available trail funding was once again given completely to the counties. I prepared the agenda for the park and rec meeting for Monday evening and prepared my report. The trails have been swept as they are every week and streets are being cleaned as well. Foundations for the cemetery have been placed in the paper, websites, and Facebook pages for citizens to get their orders in by next Friday. Playground safety fiber was ordered so that it will be in time for the United Way – Day of Caring on May 3rd. The downtown mulch is expected to arrive next Wednesday that was ordered weeks ago.

This past month we learned that our trails bill passed the state Senate and again by the House and will be headed to the Governors desk for signature. This past Monday, I hosted the park and rec commissions meeting at the park shop as we gave our updates. This week the tree board received their hardware for the tree city and growth awards. The park employees have been busy wrapping up the spiral slide replacement at City Park so it will be ready to pour the concrete base when we pour cemetery foundations early next week. The park employees have been plugging away at pool preparations and I have been meeting with the pool manager getting everything lined up for the season. The weather has not been cooperative this week as the rain has been cutting the employees short on hours. With the strong winds early in the week we had one smaller tree drop on a trail that we removed first thing in the morning. The cemetery has become active with several graves to prepare for as we have a cremation Saturday and full burials for Monday and Tuesday. The cemetery employees spread gravel at the campground, had a full burial and cremation this past week and are preparing foundations for next week. I had Nate start installing safety guideline signage at all the playground areas in the parks this week.



This past month the park and cemetery guys worked together pouring concrete foundations at Woodlawn. The cemetery employees put out some prefab 4' &6' frames so we can place foundations during the summer months if more orders come in. The footing for the new slide at City Park was also poured so the park employees can backfill and put new safety fiber down this Friday. This past Friday the tree board and I hosted a tree event at Wings Park Elementary School. We ordered 75 tree whips from the Iowa DNR Forestry Dept. for our Arbor Day event. Kyle Scheel gave a great planting demonstration and Brianna Hull, our new Trees Forever representative, was there to help with the event as well. The teachers told us several times that they are very grateful that the board is hosting these events. This week we had our monthly safety meeting at the park shop for the park and cemetery employees. At the pool WBC arrived and placed the new pool water boiler with money that we received from the charitable foundation. This week a trail sign was replaced at the 4th street snow dumpsite. Wednesday, Nate and I put the shade structure up at Depot Park and turned on the water. The park and cemetery employees are done with the downtown mulching as they have had enough of mulching for a while. All the employees have been mowing properties when they can as the grass has really taken off with all the rain we have received lately. The park employees had a few projects to complete on a rain day last week including finishing power steaming the floor in the shower house at the pool to get the oils and sunscreen that get tracked on the floors. Also, Denny H. went over to Cedar Falls to pick up the paint that we received from the Diamond Vogel grant this department received for painting picnic tables at the campground. The cemetery employees removed a small tree that had expired on the west end of the cemetery. At Woodlawn we had two more full burials and two more cremation burials this past week.

GRANT RECEIVED



OELWEIN TREE BOARD

- KYLE SCHEEL
- RON LENTH
- JEFF MILKS
- JOHN FOX



An Arbor Day Foundation Program

www.oelweinparks.org



GRAVEL BED CONSTRUCTION COMPLETED













PATCHING LOUNGE CHAIRS SIGNAGE



POWER SPRAYING



SPRAYING



NEW TIKI LEAVES

FOUNTAIN PAINTED





CHEMICAL ARRIVED

FENCING REMOVED



SLIDE REPLACEMENT

SOCCER PREPARATIONS



NEW ROPE

TILING

CAMPGROUND PADS



TRAILS BILL

Bill History 🚔

- 04/17/2024 Message from House. S.J. 866.
- 04/17/2024 Immediate message. H.J. 829.
- 04/17/2024 Passed House, yeas 95, nays 0. H.J. 825.
- 04/17/2024 House concurred in Senate Amendment H-8316, H.J. 825.
- 04/12/2024 Senate amendment H-8316 filed. H.J. 781.
- 04/12/2024 Message from Senate. H.J. 779.
- 04/11/2024 Immediate message, S.J. 815.
- 04/11/2024 Passed Senate, yeas 45, nays 0. S.J. 812.
- 04/11/2024 Amendment S-5060 adopted. S.J. 812.
- 03/21/2024 Placed on calendar under unfinished business, S.J. 611.
- 03/12/2024 Placed on calendar.
- 03/12/2024 Amendment S-5060 filed, S.J. 515.
- 03/12/2024 Committee report, recommending amendment and passage. S.J. 515.
- 03/11/2024 Subcommittee reassigned: Sweeney, Celsi, and Evans. S.J. 508.





SLIDE REPLACEMENT



POOL PREPARATIONS



WIND DAMAGE

BURIALS

SIGNAGE





This week the cemetery department had to prepare a burial for one of our former employees, Mike Ledesma. Mike was an excellent worker for the city and will be missed. Mike fired up his noisy truck early every morning with very little left to his exhaust system to drive 600ft. to the shop to jump in the city truck and water the flowers downtown. We offered to repair it for him, but he always declined. Mike was a very dedicated worker who took great pride in his work and was always willing to help others out.







CONTRACTORS

MOWING REC FIELDS



SUPPLIES COMING IN

UNITED WAY SUPPLIES



TRAILS BILL SENT TO GOVERNOR

Bill History All 04/23/2024 Reported correctly enrolled, signed by Speaker and President, and sent to Governor. H.J. 04/23. 04/17/2024 Message from House. S.J. 866. 04/17/2024 Immediate message. H.J. 829. 04/17/2024 Passed House, yeas 95, nays 0. H.J. 825. 04/17/2024 House concurred in Senate Amendment H-8316. H.J. 825. 04/12/2024 Senate amendment H-8316 filed. H.J. 781. 04/12/2024 Message from Senate. H.J. 779. 04/11/2024 Immediate message. S.J. 815. 04/11/2024 Passed Senate, yeas 45, nays 0. S.J. 812.



TREE TRIMMING

MULCHING



BURIALS

FOUNDATION PREP



CONCRETE WORK





CONCRETE WORK



ARBOR DAY EVENT



SAFETY MEETING

NEW BOILER



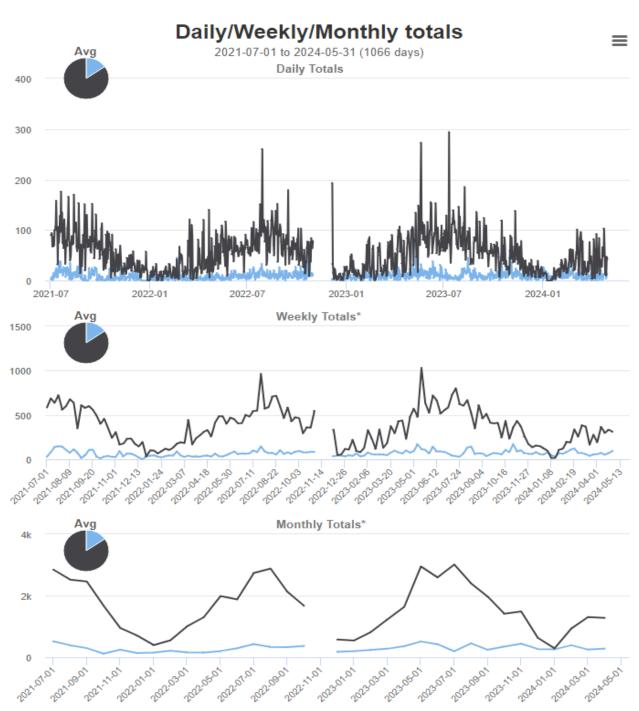












Master Summary Download as X Excel S CSV

Platt Park Oelwein

Arlington Place Oelwein

1.276

Platt Park Oelwein 287 930 1,305

ADT[†] ADT[†]x365 Days with data Year Site Jan Feb Mar Apr May Jun Jul Aug Sep Oct Nov Dec Arlington Place Oelwein Platt Park Oelwein 2021 115 134 9.115 3,327 1,675 950 704 60.454 183 426 332 327 362 173 330 2022 Arlington Place Oelwein | 146 | 207 148 199 290 8.303 3,031 Platt Park Oelwein 394 548 1,002 1,297 1.984 1.877 2.736 2.877 2,127 1,672 572 51.497 330 2023 Arlington Place Oelwein 193 235 356 190 451 241 347 10.753 3,925 365 Platt Park Oelwein 543 816 1,229 1,635 2,948 2,592 3,013 2,399 1,969 1,411 1,485 628 56.625 20,668 365 Arlington Place Oelwein 254 389 247 121 2024 9.661

ADT[†] = Average Daily Traffic

121

^{* =} based upon that month's ADT Learn more Indicates months with less than 6 days of data



DAILY ACTIVITIES

- ➤ CLEAN/ORGANIZE SHOP AREAS
- ➤ PICK UP DOWNTOWN AREAS
- ➤ MAINTAINING PARK, CEMETERIES
- ➤ MAINTENANCE ON EQUIPMENT
- > SAFETY MEETINGS

- ➤ MEET WITH CONTRACTORS
- > RETRIEVE & UPLOAD TRAIL COUNT DATA
- ➤ WOODLAWN BURIALS
- ➤ SPRING MAINTENANCE
- ➤ GRANT WORK

PROGRESS ON PROJECTS

- ➤ WEBSITE UPDATING
- ➤ TRAIL EASEMENTS/GRANTS
- ➤ WORK ON PARK AND REC MASTER PLAN
- > TRAIL MAINTENANCE
- ➤ HIRE EMPLOYEES BACK
- > SPRING PREPARATIONS
- ➤ GRINDING STUMPS
- ➤ CEMETERY SPRING CLEANING
- ➤ POOL PREPARATIONS
- ➤ FINAL ASH TREE REMOVAL
- > GRAVEL BED COMPLETED TREES ORDERED

- ➤ ARBOR DAY EVENT
- > RECEIVED GROWTH AWARD RECOGNITION
- > CIVICREC WORK
- > UNITED WAY DAY OF CARING PREP
- ➤ SWEEPING TRAILS/STREETS
- CAMPGROUND OPENED
- MULCHING DOWNTOWN
- > WORKED ON TAP FUNDING APPLICATION
- ➤ POOL BOILER REPLACEMENT
- ➤ PLAYGROUND SLIDE CITY PARK
- ➤ NEW CITY PARK SIGN INSTALLED
- > FOUNDATIONS POURED

NEXT MONTH AND FUTURE PROJECTS

- ➤ REMOVE OLD WELL HOUSES CITY PARK
- ➤ REPURPOSE OLD WINGS BRIDGE
- ➤ GRANT WRITING
- ➤ TRAIL SEGMENT 2
- > TRAIL SEGMENTS 4/5 ALIGNMENT
- ➤ DIRT WORK COMPLEX
- ➤ PAINT ACCENT BRICK POOL
- ➤ REMOVE PRIMITIVE AT REDGATE

- ➤ PLAYGROUND SLIDES CITY PARK
- > DIAMOND PREPARATIONS
- > UTILITIES TO PLANT TREES IN CHRYSLER
- ▶ BOARD AND COMMITTEE MEETINGS
- ➤ FIX WATER SHUTOFFS AT CEMETERY
- ➤ FLAGPOLE DIAMOND 3
- > OPEN AQUATICS FACILITY FOR SEASON

JOSHUA JOHNSON MA OELWEIN PARK SUPERINTENDENT

