MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROUNDUP HELD ON JULY 21st, 2015 AT 7:00, CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Jones. Assistant Clerk Olsen called roll with Council members Ramsey, Schladweiler, LaPierre, Picchioni, Griffith, Toombs, and Yount present. Martin absent. Also present Director Sibley, and Attorney Lundvall via phone.

Moved by Griffith, seconded by Schladweiler to approve the agenda. All in favor. Motion carried.

Moved by LaPierre, seconded by Yount to approve the minutes of the July 7th, 2015 meeting. All in favor. Motion carried.

Visitors: Mark Higgins was here with concerns with alcohol in the fire hall building. He is concerned with the fireman going out on calls after drinking in the hall. Higgins spoke with Mayor Jones about this issue.

Councilperson Yount said that David Frizzel, who performed at R.I.D.E., was in Ireland performing and spoke highly about Roundup, MT and Mayor Jones giving him the key to the city.

Mayor Jones reported she had a conference call with the NDR. The city needs to identify which projects are needed for funding. Jones will attend a meeting in Helena on July 23 on this issue.

The cost of compliance violations was brought up and how we can re-coup the money being spent on the clean-up. Lundvall commented the only way is through the court system to get restitution on the violation.

Lundvall filed a formal complaint against Daryl Henry on July 23. The Krone property decay violation goes to court on July 28th, 2015. Lundvall also filed an abatement proceeding on the Dupree property. He will have the floodplain ordinance ready for the public hearing on August 4th, 2015.

Compliance Personnel Bruce Hoiland gave an oral and written report. Hoiland questioned the road closure the school applied for. A street may have been listed that cannot be closed. Lundvall will look into this.

Several complaints have been received concerning the noxious weeds within the City. The noxious weeds program is under the county weed board. Dave Martin sits on the weed board. Sibley will hire Steve Tyrell to spray the City-owned property for noxious weeds.

Correspondence was received from Adelle Bissonette, who lives on 1201 5th Street West. She would like the city to pave her street. Mayor Jones informed her that could be done with an SID. However, if the contemplated SID for improvements near the new elementary school are approved, the City can only have one SID in place at a time.

Councilman Schladweiler gave a written hand-out of the duties of a city council member.

The parks committee met regarding a pool policy. This will be studied further.

Director Sibley is busy paving streets and fixing water breaks. He suggested using the funds from the NDR grant on a head gate at the Lekse property, riprap at the water plant and fixing the levy on the railroad.

The treasurer’s report was sent with the minutes.

Mark Higgins questioned whether the weed spraying needs to go to bid. Sibley responded with, only if it is above a certain dollar amount.

Moved by Picchioni, seconded by Toombs to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried. The meeting adjourned at 7:32 p.m.

APPROVED BY\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 Sandra Jones - Mayor

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 Violet Olsen– Assistant Clerk