OCTOBER 12, 2022

The Newell City Council met in special budget workshop session on Wednesday, October 12, 2022, at 6:30pm at Newell City Hall with Mayor Brian Puhrmann presiding. Council Members present Chelsee Bohe, Pamela Wilken and Steve Smith. Absent Ana Johnosn and Stan Henrich. Smith moved to approve the agenda, 2nd Bohe all ayes. Tanya present for library and said their budget will be similar and to the city in few weeks. Olsen presented Health/Dental renewal, which dropped 12.8% in premiums. Lyman present and informed council of some operating costs coming out this year for equipment needed. Baseball/Softball Association had Tim Hanson, Chad Coop and Angie Beal present. They have quotes to install fence at girls north diamond, fence work on main diamond, new scoreboards, and electrical work. They ask the City to help with expenses remaining of $24K. They will also be doing fundraisers and apply for grants to help with the remaining costs. Capital improvement plan reviewed again with all departments. Quote/proposal from JEO for Trees presented, recommended from DNR. City will move forward to get an evaluation done, and quotes for removal on city property. Bohe moved to adjourn at 8:50, 2nd Smith all ayes.

Sierra Olsen, City Clerk Brian Puhrmann, Mayor