

Minutes
City of Newhall
City Council Regular Meeting and Public Hearing
Monday, March 24, 2025 – 6:00 PM

Public Hearing: Motion by Seeck, 2nd by Cross, all yes, motion carried opening public hearing to discuss the Proposed Property Tax Levy for FY26 – July 1, 2025, through June 30, 2026. Motion by Seeck, 2nd by Messner to close the public hearing, all yes, motion carried.

Mayor Boddicker brought the regular meeting to order.

Roll Call: Council Present: Cross, Wendel, Rinderknecht, Messner, Seeck

Approval of the Agenda: Motion by Wendel, 2nd by Rinderknecht, all yes, motion carried.

Department Reports:

Public Works: Sewer main cleaned behind locker, got new tires for red pickup.

City Clerk: Software company is closing, will need new utility billing software by January 1.

Parks: Original quote for field work will stand for work to be done in fall

Library: Receiving 20 bike helmets for Summer reading program incentives; St Patrick's day craft 13 attended; weeding out books that have not been checked out for 5 years; Easter Egg Hunt April 7th; Easter Craft April 18th; Mother's Day Craft May 9th.

Landfill: Replacing lagoon compactor blower that is going out.

Consent Agenda and Bill Consent: Motion by Seeck, 2nd by Messner to approve the minutes from March 10, 2025, and bills totaling \$16,850.08 all yes, motion carried.

VENDOR	DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
Alliant Energy	City - Electric and Gas	\$5,212.01
April Stull	Library - Mileage to Garrison - BC Meeting	\$26.80
Baker and Taylor	Library - Books	\$140.10
Baker and Taylor	Library - Books	\$40.54
Baker and Taylor	Library - Books	\$37.20
Eagle Engraving	Fire - Plaque	\$119.93
Hawkeye Fire	Fire - Extinguisher Annual Certification	\$394.75
Hawkeye Fire	City - Extinguisher Annual Certification	\$277.00
IMFOA	City - Iowa Municipal 25-26 Dues	\$50.00
Kenway Trucking	Sewer - Travel after hours/labor	\$1,900.50
Kenway Trucking	Sewer - Travel/Root Cutter/CCTV Equip	\$1,702.50
Municipal Supply	Water - Annual Support	\$3,150.00
New Century FS	City - Fuel	\$24.96
P&K Midwest	Parks - Mower Repair	\$39.71
Pomp's Tire Service	Streets - 4 tires for red city truck	\$820.72
Rabe Hardware	City - Solar Panels Lease	\$2,913.36
TOTAL		\$16,850.08

Council Action:

- a) Motion by Rinderknecht, 2nd by Seeck approving the Proposed Tax Levy for FY26, roll call vote all yes, motion carried.
- b) Motion by Wendel, 2nd by Rinderknecht approving Evan Brehm as a little league coach and removing Zach Boddicker (effective 3/2/25) and Stephanie Palmer (effective 2/2/25) from the rec board, all yes, motion carried.
- c) Motion by Rinderknecht, 2nd by Wendel to not assist with the cost but allow 214 Railroad Street to install curb; Cross abstained, all others yes, motion carried.
- d) Motion by Rinderknecht, 2nd by Messner to allow the closing of 3rd Street from 2nd to 1st Avenue to move a garage, Cross abstained, all others yes, motion carried.

Adjournment: At 6:43 PM, Seeck moved to adjourn, Messner 2nd, all present aye motion carried.

Doug Boddicker – Mayor

Keri Touro – City Clerk