

**Unapproved Minutes of
REDFIELD CITY COUNCIL**

October 19, 2026

7:00 p.m.

The City Council met in regular session via teleconference and at City Hall on Monday, October 19, 2026 at 7:00 p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Mayor Frank Schwartz, Joe Morrisette, Mike Siebrecht, Amy Akin via telephone, Brent Derscheid and Dana Lewis

MEMBERS ABSENT: Jessi Lewis, Keith Gall, Matthew Weller

STAFF PRESENT: Adam L. Hansen and City Attorney Kristen Kochekian

VISITORS: Andy Rindelaub, Miley Fey, Christy Hopkins via Zoom

CALL TO ORDER: Mayor Schwartz called the meeting to order at 7:05 p.m.

ADOPT AGENDA: Motion by Siebrecht, seconded by Derscheid to adopt the agenda as presented. Motion carried.

MINUTES: Motion by Siebrecht, seconded by Derscheid to approve the October 5, 2026 minutes. Motion carried.

CONSENT CALENDAR:

Motion by Morrisette, seconded by Derscheid to approve the following items on the consent calendar:

Departments' Reports:

A. Sheriff Report – Report dated September 30, 2026

Receive and place on file. Motion carried.

VISITORS/PUBLIC TIME:

Andy Rindelaub – Code Enforcement Officer – Rindelaub presented his report to the council.

PUBLIC HEARINGS:

Variance Hearing #05-2026 1202 1st St. E. (Hopkins) - Mayor Schwartz opened the public hearing at 7:07 p.m. for a variance request as to 1202 1st St. E. (Hopkins). The zoning board's recommendation was to allow the requested variance. The Council found that the variance application was in compliance with Redfield Municipal Ordinance 17.12.110 and further, the applicant met the requirements for granting of a variance as set forth therein. Christy Hopkins testified in favor of granting said variance. The hearing was declared closed at 7:08 p.m. Motion by Morrisette, seconded by Siebrecht to approve the variance. Motion carried.

Exit: Hopkins @ 7:09 p.m.

OLD BUSINESS:

Notice of Code Enforcement Activities – Rindelaub’s report was presented to the council for their review. Various properties were discussed.

Exit: Rindelaub @ 7:11 p.m.

Change Order #1 – J&J Earthworks, Inc. – Water & Wastewater System Improvements Project, Phase III – Motion by Siebrecht, seconded by Derscheid to approve Change Order #1 in the amount of \$60,164.00 to J&J Earthworks, Inc. Motion carried on a roll call vote with all members voting “Yes.”

NEW BUSINESS:

Approve Annual Notice (Tree Trimming) – Motion by Siebrecht, seconded by Derscheid to approve the notice. Motion carried.

Aberdeen Humane Society Donation – Motion by Morrisette, seconded by Siebrecht to approve a \$2,500.00 donation to the Aberdeen Area Humane Society. Motion carried.

Library Hours – Motion by Siebrecht, seconded by Derscheid to change the library hours as of November 1st. Motion carried.

Surplus Mowers – Motion by Motion by Morrisette, seconded by D. Lewis to surplus a 2026 John Deere Z960M S/N 1TC960MDKST150325, 2026 John Deere Z960M S/N 1TC960MDVST150328, 2026 John Deere Z960M S/N 1TC960MDAST150315, 2026 John Deere Z960M S/N 1TC960MDHST150317, 2026 John Deere Z960M S/N 1TC960MDPST150324, 2026 John Deere Z960M S/N 1TC960MDJTT150361. Motion carried.

Purchase Mowers – Motion by D. Lewis, seconded by Derscheid to trade in 6 John Deere Z960M Mowers and purchase 6 John Deere Z960M ZTrak Mowers for \$22,749.00 from RDO Equipment Co. Motion carried.

Accept Resignation – Motion by Siebrecht, seconded by Derscheid to accept the resignation of Myrna Liebig as the flower waterer for the City of Redfield. Motion carried.

Approve Volunteers for Workers Compensation Purposes – Motion by Siebrecht, seconded by Derscheid to approve the following list of volunteers for workers compensation purposes: Jillian Grabinski, Chantel Wolter, Kylie Rossow, Kortney Schueth, Rachel Kopplin, Nicki Smith, Allison Marlow, Colette Taylor, Jess Curtis, Sara McDaniel, Samantha Lau, Jordann Hansen, Abbigayle Desens, Ashlee Brown, Autumn Kopecky, Shelby Baxter, Sydney Blume, Briana Wager, Shelby Mehlberg, Josie DeSpiegler, and Marsha Solheim. Motion carried.

Pay Request #1 – Fay’s Refrigeration and Heating, Inc. – CMH & Redfield Clinic Mechanical Equipment Upgrades – Motion by D. Lewis, seconded by Morrisette to approve Pay Request #1 CMH & Redfield Clinic Mechanical Equipment Upgrades in the amount of \$153,984.34 to Fay’s Refrigeration and Heating, Inc. Motion carried on a roll call vote with all members voting “Yes.”

Glacial Lakes Annual Meeting in Aberdeen on October 28, 2026 – Motion by Derscheid, seconded by Siebrecht to send Kim Leonhardt to the meeting. Motion carried.

INFORMATION AND DISCUSSION ITEMS:

Trunk or Treat – Hansen updated the Council on the event.

COUNCIL MEMBER REPORTS:

None

PAY CLAIMS:

City Prepaid	\$10,750.50
City Unpaid	\$61,819.95
Hospital & Clinic Prepaid	\$189,810.62
Hospital & Clinic Unpaid	\$378,027.55
Additional Claims:	

Motion by Siebrecht, seconded by Derscheid to pay the above claims in addition to Jessen Heating & Refrigeration \$110.00 for library maintenance, South Dakota Magazine \$465.00 for ad, Pochop Firearms \$935.00 for shotgun, Geffdog \$723.60 for sweatshirts & t-shirts, SD Dept. of Health \$210.00 for water samples, Dakota Pump & Control \$1,445.92 for pump & valve removal, Midcontinent Communications \$39.68 for phone services, NWPS \$646.52 for gas & electricity, Bauman Lumber \$124.00 for winter guard, and Aberdeen Area Humane Society \$2,500.00 for donation. Motion carried on a roll call vote with all members voting "Yes."

There being no further business, meeting was adjourned at 7:17 p.m.

Frank Schwartz
Mayor

Adam L. Hansen
Finance Officer

Recorder: Adam L. Hansen