

**City of Castleford
Council Meeting
March 31st, 2021**

Meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm by Mayor Dan Howard. Those in attendance were as follows Dan Howard, Roxanne Stiegemeier, Cliff Lockhart, Justin Clark, and Melissa Inchausti.

Public: Nathan Fowler

- * Melissa Inchausti established a quorum of the City Council.

New Business:

- * Discussed the overweight trucks and our options on what it is that we can do for any and all roads in our city. The city wants to protect our roads from use from overweight vehicles. Discussed waiting to see how he farms, if we wait it doesn't mean that we can't do an ordinance later down the road. Discussed creating an ordinance to get a permit to use the roads in town. Need to get more information about the different permits out there on cost and how it is done before we start an ordinance.
- * Discussed our dog ordinance, looking to see what Murtaugh does for their dogs, talked about possibly raising water prices to help pay for a pound and animal control officer, talked about finding funding for a dog pound and animal control officer.
- * Discussed condemning properties, buildings in bad shape and city would like to condemn them and get the property owners to take care of them. Discussed our options and went over the condemnation proceedings. City needs to contact the property owners so that we can begin the process. Possibly sign the deed over or go past that process and sent into court. Discussed putting the legal fees onto the court proceedings for the condemning process.
- * Attorney gave us timelines for the ordinance (about 6 hours), dog ordinance (1 hr), per hour for what we want him to do for the condemning process.
- * Asked how long we have to tack the work invoices as liens to the properties that aren't being taken care of, we have 90 days to turn in the work that Victor does.

Public Comment:

- * **None**

Adjournment:

- * Cliff made the motion to adjourn the meeting, Justin 2nd, motion passed, meeting called at 8:30 pm.

Melissa Inchausti

Approved on