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Dakota Street from Alumni Drive to East Duke Street from May 19, 2015 to May 27, 2015 for construction and to allow, if necessary, the closure to be extended by a maximum of an additional week due to weather issues. Alderman Holland seconded the motion. Discussion followed on the possibility of on street parking as Howlers has a number of events scheduled. Jose stated that he would make contact with the contractor and request them to work with Howlers for parking. Motion carried 9 to 0. declared the Mayor Powell motion adopted.

F. Request from USD to close Rose Street from Dakota Dome to 400-feet south of Dakota Dome from May 19, 2015 to May 27, 2015 for construction

Jose Dominguez, City Engineer, reported that USD's contractor is planning on closing Rose Street south of the Dakota Dome to tie to the City's water main and storm sewer crossing Rose Street. Jose stated that the street will have to be closed due to the location of both of the utilities and the type of construction that is required. Jose noted that the contractor estimates that the closure will take approximately one week from May 19th to May 27th. Jose stated that the contractor will be extending the storm sewer west across Rose Street. Jose reported that the street closing request and map of the area is included in the packet. Discussion followed.

Erickson Alderman moved approval of the closing of Rose Street from Dakota Dome to 400-feet south of Dakota Dome from May 19, 2015 to May 27, 2015 for construction and to allow, if necessary, the closure to be extended by a maximum of an additional week due to weather issues. Alderman Holland seconded the motion. Motion carried 9 to 0. Mayor Powell declared the motion adopted.

Request from Feimer Construction to close Cottage Avenue from West Cherry Street to West Dartmouth Street from May 20, 2015 to May 22, 2015

Jose Dominguez, City Engineer, reported that Feimer Construction, the contractor for the developer, would like to close Cottage Avenue from West Cherry Street to West Dartmouth Street to tie to the City's sanitary sewer located on Cottage Avenue. Jose stated that the street will have to be closed due to the location of the utility line along the street. Jose reported that the contractor estimates that the closure will take approximately three days and due to delays in receiving materials has today requested the closing be from June 1st to June 3rd. Jose reported that the contractor is responsible for signage for the street closing. Discussion followed.

Alderman Price moved approval of the closing of Cottage Avenue from West Cherry Street to West Dartmouth Street from June 1, 2015 to June 3, 2015 for constructhe closure to be extended by a maximum of an additional week due to weather issues. Alderman Willson seconded the motion. Motion carried 9 to 0. Mayor Powell declared the motion

H. Resolution authorizing the purchase of solid waste bale bags for landfill

Jose Dominguez, City Engineer, Department will need to purchase bags for the landfill baler. Jose reported that staff has determined the most advantageous purchase price is a semi-load of bale bags from the City of Pierre bid. Jose stated that Accent Envirobale, the bidder awarded the City of Pierre contract, is willing to sell a semiload of bags at the Pierre contract price of \$4.47 per bag. Jose noted a semi-load is 19,000 bags that will last the landfill approximately 9-10 months. Jose recommended approving the resolution to purchase solid waste bale bags from Accent Envirobale at the City of Pierre contract price of \$84,930. Discussion followed.

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After reading the same once, Alderman Willson moved adoption of the following:

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING PURCHASE OF SOLID WASTE BALE BAGS

WHEREAS, SDCL 5-18A-22 authorizes a governmental entity to purchase necessary supplies from the lowest responsible bidder of another governmental entity or State at the accepted bid price and the concurrence of said bidder; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Vermillion has reviewed and determined that the bid awarded by the City of Pierre, South Dakota for 19,000 solid waste bale bags from Accent Envirobale in the amount of \$4.47 per bag for a total of \$84,930 for a semi-load offers an advantageous price to the City for said items; and

WHEREAS, the City has contacted Accent Envirobale and they have agreed to allow the City to purchase 19,000 solid waste bale bags in a semi-load for the awarded prices and terms as they have contracted with the City of Pierre, South Dakota.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Governing Body of the City of Vermillion that the City Finance Officer is hereby authorized to purchase

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19,000 solid waste bale bags in a semi-load from Accent Envirobale of Tomball, Texas at the awarded prices and under the same terms as the City of Pierre,

Dated at Vermillion, South Dakota this 18th day of May 2015.

THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF VERMILLION,

SOUTH DAKOTA John E. (Jack) Powell, Mayor

ATTEST: Michael D. Carlson, Finance

The motion was seconded by Alderman Collier-Wise. Discussion followed and the question of the adoption of the Resolution was presented for a vote of the Governing Body. 9 members voted in favor of and 0 members voted in opposition to the Resolution. Mayor Powell declared that

the Resolution was adopted. I. Library Board appointment

Mayor Powell reported that the City Council is charged with appointing members to the Board. Mayor Powell reported that notice was given of the vacancy and an expression of interest form was received from Fern Kaufman for the three year term. Mayor Powell recommended the reappointment of Fern Kaufman to a three year term on the Library Board.

Alderman Ward moved approval of the appointment of Fern Kaufman to a three year term on the Library Board. Alderman seconded the motion. Motion carried 9 to 0. Mayor Powell declared the motion adopted.

9. Bid Openings - None

10. City Manager's Report

A) John reported that the Prentis Park pool is scheduled to open on Saturday, May 23rd at 1:00 p.m., weather permitting, and will maintain regular pool schedule

B) John reported that the City is seeking Expression of Interest forms for individuals interested in serving on the Planning Commission. John stated that there are five terms expiring this year and that the terms are for five years. John stated that the Expression of Interest forms are due by Noon on Thursday, June 11th with Council appointment scheduled for June 15th. John stated that the City will be seeking Expression of Interest forms for the Housing Authority

C) John reported that Vermillion Light & Power earned the American Public Power Association's Safety Award for Excellence for safe operating practices in 2014. John noted that they earned a First in Group B award for utilities with 16,800 worker hours of

D) John reported that a pilot program to experiment with glass stated that clean glass bottles and jars, drinking glasses and vases and unpainted plate glass are being accepted at the Missouri Valley recycling center on N. Crawford Road during business hours. John noted that glass recycling is not available through the curbside collection program.

E) John reported that he approved the following raffle notifications:

County Flyers 4-H Shooting Sports is selling tickets for \$10 each or 3 for \$25 from May 11, 2015 to September 20, 2015. Prizes are a Remmington 7mm rifle valued at \$400 and a Benelli Nova shotgun valued at \$400. Proceeds will be used to purchase supplies for Clay County 4-H shooting sports.

Clay County Flyers 4-H Shooting Sports is selling tickets for \$5 each or 5 for \$20 from May 11, 2015 to August 8, 2015. Prize is Zeiss binoculars valued at \$450. Midway USA donated the binoculars with the requirement that 50% of the proceeds goes to an endowment account for the group's operating expenses.

Vermillion High School soccer is selling \$20 tickets from May 11, 2015 to May 29, 2015. A number will be drawn each weekday in June. On Fridays in June, two numbers will be drawn. Top prize is \$50. Funds from the raffle will go to support Vermillion High School soccer which was sanctioned but not funded by the School District.

PAYROLL ADDITIONS AND CHANGES

General: Sophie Johnson \$8.50/hr; Street: Sean Bredl \$8.50/hr; Ambulance: Danielle Portz \$8.50/call-\$6.00/1st-\$6.00/2nd. Justin Sadler \$8.50/call-\$6.00/1st-\$6.00/2nd; Trevor Bouma Recreation: \$8.50/hr, Ellen Hanson \$8.50/hr, Owen Mechling \$8.50/hr, Avery Mollet \$8.50/hr; Pool: Kara Fischbach \$9.50/hr, Alex Coker \$9.50/hr, Katie Herrera \$9.00/hr, Cassie Hilbarnds \$9.50/hr, Laine Newell \$9.50/hr, Abby Ouellette \$10.00/hr, Nathan Svendsen \$8.50/hr; Parks: Cylie Hanson \$8.75/hr, Elana Kaup \$8.75/hr; Communications: Derek Ronning \$16.49/hr; Golf Maintenance: Blake Gilkyson \$8.50/hr, Nick Jensen \$8.50/hr, Lisa Loeffler \$8.50/hr, Mitchell Sand \$8.50/hr; Water: Jim Litrenta \$9.00/hr

11. Invoices Payable

Legal and Public Hospital **Notices**

Alderman Willson moved approval of the following invoices:

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Beck Motors, Inc, pickup, Billion Chevrolet, 2- pickups, 48,228.00 Broadcaster Press, advertising, 1.411.51 Bureau Of Administration, long distance, 283.43 Centurylink, telephone, 1,493.18 vouchers, 812.75 Clay Rural water usage, 63.60 Clay-Union Electric

City of Vermillion, landfill Water System, electricity, 1,677.40 Collections commission, 154.34 Dept of Revenue, malt beverage license, 300.00 Dept. Environment Natl Res, landfill operations fee, 3,490.19 Division Of Motor title/plates, 20.00 Gregg Peters, managers fee, 6,000.00 Loren Fischer Disposal, haul cardboard, 210.00 Mart Auto Body, towing, 670.00 Matheson Tri-Gas, Inc. oxygen, 67.14 Midamerican, gas usage, 1,684.80 Midcontinent Communication. internet/cable service, 118.68 National Music Museum. contribution, 15,000.00 Recovery Systems Co, Inc,

Reserve Account, postage for meter, 900.00 Governmental Finance Officers, registration, 150.00 Stern Oil Co., fuel, 13,756.10 United Parcel Service. shipping, 87.69 US Postmaster, postage utility bills, 900.00 dialup VAST Broadband, service, 49.95 Vermillion Ford, 2016 Ford Fusion, 19,900.00 Visa/First Bank supplies, 227.70 Café Brule, Bright Energy

National

parts, 442.94

merchandise, 14,624.01

Alderman Price seconded the motion. Motion carried 9 to 0. Powell declared motion adopted.

12. Consensus Agenda

rebate, 250.00

A. Set a public hearing date of June 1, 2015 for a special permit exceed permissible sound levels by no more than 50% for the Vermillion Fire Department on July 4th in Barstow Park from 3:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

B. Set a public hearing date of June 1, 2015 for annual malt beverage license renewals

C. Set a public hearing date of June 1, 2015 for a special daily malt beverage and wine license for Vermillion Area Chamber of Commerce and Development Company for Coyoteopoly Shakespeare Festival June 11-14 in the Prentis Park Band shell area.

Alderman Price moved approval the consensus agenda. Alderman Collier-Wise seconded the motion. Motion carried 9 to 0. motion adopted.

13. Adjourn

Alderman Ward moved to adjourn the Council Meeting at 8:50 p.m. Alderman Erickson seconded the motion. Motion carried 9 to 0. Mayor Powell declared the motion adopted.

Dated at Vermillion, South Dakota this 18th day of May, 2015.

THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF VERMILLION, SOUTH DAKOTA

John E. (Jack) Powell, Mayor

Michael D. Carlson, Finance

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2015 Outside Of Deadwood **Grant Program Deadline Set**

DEADWOOD - Since 2002, the Deadwood Historic Preservation Commission has helped promote the preservation and interpretation of historic sites, buildings, and properties, throughout the state with the Outside-of-Deadwood Grant program. Funds will typically not

exceed \$25,000. Deadwood is pleased to announce that interested

parties may apply for first round considerations by June 2, 2015. In order to be considered, applications must be delivered to the Deadwood Historic Preservation Office located at 108 Sherman Street, Deadwood, SD 57732 on or before June 2, 2015 by 4:00 p.m., MST. Questions should be directed to the Historic Preservation Office at (605) 578-2082 or hpadmin@cityofdeadwood.com.

For more information on the Deadwood Historic Preservation Commission please visit Cityofdeadwood.com or call (605) 578-2082.

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has heard most is to save the trees on the

We all know in construction projects, that just isn't possible," he said. "But we have given our assurances to the Building and Planning Commission that we will appropriately landscape and dress it up nice." He noted that some of the changes will

address long-needed updates.

"This is the first hospital that I have worked at that didn't have an enclosed ambulance bay, so it is really an improvement for the community and the EMS and emergency room providers," he said.

The time line for phase two to begin is tentatively set for next spring.

"(Phase two) will be to replace that building with an outpatient services center that will include new areas for physical therapy, occupational therapy, speech therapy, cardiac rehabilitation, respiratory therapy, areas for a new MRI, an imaging space, new material management space and then, in the lower levels, some on-call rooms, training rooms and mechanical rooms," Tracy said. "Phase two should take nine months to a year to finish. When we are done with that, we will come in and remodel the front entrance of the facility, our laboratory space and some clinic space, which will be phase

Tracy said that the plan developed for the facility is based on current health care trends and needs.

"The hospital that is there now – the newer part of the facility – was built in 1993. Really, it was an era when almost 80 percent of our care was inpatient," he said. "Today, about 75-80 percent of our care is done in an outpatient setting. That really is what pushed us the way we have been going. We have really had very good outpatient settings up until about the last 10 years. In the last 10 years, we have had lots and lots of growth in the outpatient setting and we have outgrown our current facilities. So, this will hopefully address the next 20 years. Who knows what will come in 20 years, but you assume the trend will continue and there will be less and less hospital care and more and more outpatient treatment.'

Tracy said there are currently 25 beds, down from the original 36 beds.

"Eleven years ago, we licensed only 25 registered beds," he said. "In the future, through this project, we will probably reduce a few of those beds. We don't believe long term – unless there is a significant amount of growth in the community of Vermillion – that we will ever need more than 25 beds. Most communities twice our size only have 25-30 beds. There are only a handful of hospitals left in the state that have more than 25 beds: the big hospitals in Sioux Falls, Yankton, Mitchell, Aberdeen, Rapid City, Watertown – and they even are wondering what to do with their beds."

He noted just the different process of antibiotic treatment has greatly changed the hospital industry.

"I always use the example of when I first started in the industry," he said. "If you needed antibiotic therapy treatment, you were hospitalized. They put an IV in your arm and gave you IV antibiotic therapy. There was a tremendous amount of that done. Today, even 15 years ago, that IV antibiotic therapy was replaced with orals, unless you needed really, really stout antibiotic. As of recently, it has been replaced with semi-permanent lines – 'pic lines' are what we call them – so you can come in and get outpatient treatment. That is just one example that resulted in a drop of about 25 percent hospital stay care 20-25 years ago.

In health care for those providing care the biggest concern is a consistent workflow, so that is our goal to provide a consistent workflow so our staff can continue to provide the care that they have

TIMOTHY TRACY

He hopes the current construction project serves the community for the foresee-

"I hope it meets the needs for the next 20 years," he said. "We believe we are going to experience growth here and we will have to decide how we will expand to meet those needs – maybe on this campus, maybe not on this campus. We do have other property south of the Vermillion Clinic that is now part of that planned development district. We also have the property across the street that will be used in the future."

Tracy said that his biggest worry is public awareness of how to access services.

We have done all we can to anticipate those needs, but there is always that one person who doesn't see the signage or is in a hurry, or whatever," he said. "That is probably our number one concern right now: how to see the public through this whole

The Emergency Room entrance at Sanford Medical Center Vermillion (17 Walker St.) Will be closing due to the start of construction on the east side of the medical center campus. All patients, visitors and vendors are instructed to enter the medical center through the main entrance at 20 S Plum St.

All community members are asked to pay close attention to new directional signs posted for parking and the temporary entrance location. During this construction period, it is asked that everyone observe

hospital visiting hours of 6 a.m. to 8 p.m. Entry to Sanford Clinic Vermillion and parking has not changed.

'We will continue to try to communicate very well - not just internally, but externally," Tracy said. "We will be setting up some neighborhood meetings to discuss with neighbors that are interested what is going on here. When we did the zoning piece, we had a list of people who lived within 250 feet of any border of the property so, as we go forward, we will communicate with them what is going on because it does impact them. It is increased traffic. It is noise. It is certainly a changing of their patterns.'

He noted that on the Sanford Vermillion website, there is a link for construction

There are some things that will be interrupted and inconveniences," he said. "For example, in our ER right now, in order to expand and remodel it, we had to have a barrier in place, which will be cutting our ER in half. We have relocated our nursing station and using another room for another exam room. So there will be inconveniences like that during the whole process."

However. Tracy said he has the utmost confidence those will be kept to a minimum in order to assure the quality of care stays the same at the facility.

"In health care, for those providing care,

is a consistent workflow, so that is our goal: to provide a consistent workflow so our staff can continue to provide the care that they have been," he said.

For more information about the construction project at Sanford Vermillion visit www. sanfordvermillion.org.

National Music Museum To Participate In Blue Star Museums Summer Program

Free Admission To American Military Personnel And Their Families This Summer

The National Music Museum, in Vermillion, South Dakota, is pleased to participate again in Blue Star Museums, offering free admission to the nation's active duty military personnel, including National Guard and Reserve and their families. The program runs from Memorial Day, May 25, 2015, through Labor Day, September 7, 2015.

The program is a collaboration among the National Endowment for the Arts, Blue Star Families, the Department of Defense, and more than 2,000 museums across America. Leadership support has been provided by MetLife Foundation through Blue Star Families. A complete list of participating Blue Star museums is available at arts.gov/blue-

starmuseums. The National Music Museum's summer 2015 exhibit also happens to coincide with the Blue Star program this year. The exhibit, "Banding Together – The American Soldier's Music Arsenal," will showcase rare historic instruments issued to or used by U.S. soldiers throughout American military history. It will also feature rare wartime pho-

tos, posters, sheet music,



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uniforms, and many other previously un-displayed artifacts from the Museum's extensive holdings.

Besides the National Music Museum in Vermillion, South Dakota, regional Blue Star participants this year include the Prehistoric İndian Village, in Mitchell, South Dakota; The Railroad Museum, in Sioux City, Iowa; and the Joslyn Art Museum,

in Omaha, Nebraska. The Blue Star free admission program is available to any bearer of a Geneva Convention common access card (CAC), a DD Form 1173 ID card (dependent ID), or a DD Form 1173-1 ID card, which includes active duty

U.S. military - Army, Navy, Air Force, Marines, Coast Guard, as well as members of the National Guard and Reserve, U.S. Public Health Service Commissioned Corps, NOAA Commissioned Corps - and up to five family members. The National Music

Museum's summer hours through Labor Day, are 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Saturday; 1:00-5:00 p.m., Sundays. The Museum is located in the middle of Vermillion, on the corner of East Clark and Yale streets, on the campus of the University of South Dakota. More information at nmmusd.org.