City of Bayard 445 Main St Bayard, Nebraska 69334

## **Agenda**

## 1. CALL TO ORDER **Speaker(s):** MAYOR

- 1.1. Roll Call
- 1.2. Every meeting of the Bayard City Council shall be open to the public in order that citizens may exercise their democratic privilege of attending and speaking at meetings of public bodies, except as otherwise provided by the Constitution of Nebraska, federal statutes, and the Open Meetings Act.

In accordance with Section 84-1412 of the Nebraska Revised Statutes, a current copy of the Open Meetings Act is available for review and is posted on the wall in the Council Chambers.

- 1.3. Voluntary Pledge of Allegiance
- 2. Discussion & action on approval of agenda
- 3. Discussion & possible action on solid waste bids received.
- 4. Discussion & action on approving the fiscal year 2025-2026 Budget
- 5. Discussion & action on approval of 1% additional allowable increase for restricted funds authority for fiscal year budget
- 6. Discussion & action on Resolution #1054 to set property tax request for the fiscal year 2025-2026.
- 7. Discussion & action on Ordinance #890 to appropriate funds for the 2025-2026 fiscal year budget
- 8. Discussion & action on approval of City of Bayard Bills & Claims
- 9. Discussion & action on approval Chimney Rock Villa Bills & Claims
- 10. Monthly Round Up (all departments)
- 11. Discussion & action on approval of Consent Agenda
  - 11.1. Minutes of Regular & Special Council Meeting
  - 11.2. Treasurer Reports
    - 11.2.1. Operational Budget
  - 11.3. New Hires & Salary Changes
  - 11.4. Fire Department Minutes & Roster

- 12. Discussion and action on updated Water & Sewer Rates for the fiscal year. (second reading)
- Ordinance 888 Water Rates
- Ordinance 889 Sewer Rates
- 13. Discussion & action on allocating up to \$25,000 for sewer cleaning with Johnson Services.
- 14. Discussion on employee wages for fiscal year.
- 15. Public Comment: The Mayor and Council will hear comments about any items not on the agenda. Each person speaking during the meeting shall state his or her name and postal address. All citizen remarks or questions shall be directed to the Mayor, who will determine by whom the response shall be made. In order to assure appropriate communication, persons are asked to limit any comments to five minutes.

## 16. Adjourn

A current agenda is on file at the City Office, 445 Main St, Bayard, NE 69334 The Mayor and City Council reserve the right to enter into an executive session at any time during the meeting, in accordance with the Nebraska Open Meetings Act, even though the closed session may not be indicated on the agenda.
It is the intention of the Mayor and City Council to take up the items on the agenda in sequential order. However, the Mayor and City Council reserve the right to

take up matters in a different order to accommodate the schedules of the city council members, person having items on the agenda, and the public.