

Work Meeting- January 26, 2016 6:00 p.m.

Present: Mayor Tom Shaffer, Councilmen: Bob Stump, Paul Kramer, Mike Walter, Public Works Director Curtis Green and Clerk Gail Leary.

Mayor Shaffer called the meeting to order at 6:12 p.m.

PER water system

Fred Phillip, from Great West Engineering, reviewed the changes and funding options for a reduced project with the distribution lines, safety upgrades and a generator. If the Town applies now the grants will not come through until 2017. The cycle for the DNRC and TSEP grants are every other year. State Revolving Fund (SRF) or Rural Development (RD) would be used to finance this project after grant awards. Fred will update the report to reflect any changes discussed and get them to the council before the February council meeting.

The Mayor and council does not want to saddle the customers with an increase in fees and a new clerk will be just starting.

Water Service behind businesses (Serendipity, ReRuns, Mad Cow)

The issue of reduced water pressure was discussed and Curtis will investigate. Fred Phillips did not feel this was a Town problem. There was brainstorming on probable causes to the reduced pressure. Paul felt that this issue was priority for the Town. He does support being proactive on Water Street.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:41 p.m.

Approved: Tom Shaffer, Mayor

Attest: Gail Leary, Clerk