

**CANYONVILLE CITY COUNCIL
MEETING MINUTES
REGULAR SESSION
MONDAY, DECEMBER 16, 2024**

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CALL TO ORDER AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

Mayor Morgan called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. and all joined in prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance.

II. ROLL CALL:

COUNCIL PRESENT: Mayor Morgan, Councilors Barton, O’Sullivan, Morgan, Freeman, and Suhr.
COUNCIL ABSENT: Councilor Young.
STAFF PRESENT: Administrator/Recorder Bennett Finance and Deputy Recorder Rogers.
STAFF ABSENT: None.

III. AGENDA REVIEW AND ADDITIONS: None

IV. QUESTIONS AND COMMENTS FROM THE AUDIENCE: Brad Taylor commented during audience participation time.

V. CONSENT CALENDAR: Minutes for Regular Meeting on November 18, 2024, stand approved. Council received Expense vs Budget Report and Revenue Report.

Councilor O’Sullivan moved, and Councilor Barton seconded a motion to approve the Consent Calendar. Mayor Morgan, Councilors Barton, O’Sullivan, Morgan, Freeman, and Suhr voted “yes.” No “nays.” The motion carried.

VI. REPORTS

1. **Sheriff’s Office:** This month in Canyonville the Sheriff’s Office received 149 calls for service, 16 reports, 4 citations written, 7 arrests, and 2 warrant arrests. Forrest Glen calls are down, and Council requested a monthly report of calls to that location. Sergeant Schwenn suggests better lighting for downtown businesses and will have deputies post signs with this recommendation on business doors.
2. **City Administrator:** Administrator Bennett gave an update to the Council regarding sewer, streets, park, office, and public improvement.
3. **Mayor Report:** Mayor Morgan gave the mayor’s report.
4. **Canyonville Main Street Report:** No report this month.

VII. UNFINISHED COUNCIL BUSINESS

Current abatements: Administrator Bennett gave an update on current abatement status.

VIII. NEW COUNCIL BUSINESS

1. **Resolution No. 713 Fair Housing:** **Councilor Barton moved, and Councilor Freeman seconded a motion to adopt Resolution No. 713 City of Canyonville Fair Housing Resolution. Mayor Morgan, Councilors Barton, O’Sullivan, Morgan, Freeman, and Suhr voted “yes.” No “nays.” The motion carried.**
2. **Resolution No. 714 Establishing an Excessive Force Policy:** **Councilor Barton moved, and Councilor O’Sullivan seconded a motion to adopt Resolution No. 714 Establishing an Excessive Force Policy for the City of Canyonville. Resolution. Mayor Morgan, Councilors Barton, O’Sullivan, Morgan, Freeman, and Suhr voted “yes.” No “nays.” The motion carried.**
3. **Intergovernmental Agreement with Douglas County:** **Councilor Barton moved, and Councilor Suhr seconded a motion to approve the first extension of the Douglas County Intergovernmental Agreement and instructed the mayor to sign the agreement. Mayor Morgan, Councilors Barton, O’Sullivan, Morgan, Freeman, and Suhr voted “yes.” No “nays.” The motion carried.**
4. **Honoring Councilor Barton:** The City Councilor honored Councilor Barton’s 19 years of service to the City.

IX. ANNOUNCEMENTS

Planning Commission Meeting January 8, 2025
Council Meeting January 21, 2025

X. ADJOURNMENT

Councilor Barton moved, and Councilor O’Sullivan seconded a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:39 pm.
Mayor Morgan, Councilors Barton, O’Sullivan, Morgan, Freeman, Young, and Suhr voted “yes.” No
“nays.” The motion carried.
The meeting was adjourned at 7:39pm.

ATTEST:

Dawn Bennett
City Administrator/Recorder

Christine Morgan, Mayor