

Thayne Town Council Meeting  
October 16, 2019

**FINAL**

Council in attendance: Mayor Simpson, Councilman Woolley, Councilman Heward and Clerk Hillstead  
Excused: Councilman Schwab Absent Not Excused: Councilman Wicks

**Welcome:** Mayor Devin Simpson

**Pledge of Allegiance:** Mayor Simpson

**Approval of September 18, 2019 Council Meeting Minutes and the Adoption of the Agenda as finalized.**

**Motion-** Councilman Heward  
**Seconded-** Councilman Woolley  
**Motion carried**

**Mayor Simpson stated that Councilman Schwab was excused to attend a funeral.**

**Public Comments**

- None

**Sunrise Engineering**

- Robert Hood was absent; Mayor Simpson gave the engineering report to the Town Council.
- Thayne Storage Tank Project
  - The Town of Thayne has received the fifth pay request from Western Municipal for a total of \$128,615.35. The new tank is complete and in service. The piping modifications along with the coating on the inside of the old tank are complete. The remaining work includes the cleaning and disinfection of the inside of the old tank and then to bring it into service as well as the installation of a chain link fence around the new tank.

**Motion to pay the fifth pay request to Western Municipal of Wyoming for \$128,615.35**

**Motion-**Councilman Woolley  
**Seconded-**Councilman Heward  
**Motion Carried**

- North Waterline Project
  - The Town of Thayne has received the fourth pay request for \$184,567.81 from Westwood Curtis. All of the mainlines are complete and the service lines are nearly complete. The remaining work includes abandoning the old line and removing the old meter pits, paving and final cleanup.

**Motion to pay fourth pay request to Westwood Curtis Construction for \$184,568.81**

**Motion**-Councilman Heward

**Seconded**-Councilman Woolley

**Motion Carried**

- TAP Projects
  - Pathway Lighting – Waiting to hear about additional funding requests
  - Wright / VanNoy Sidewalks – Currently working through WYDOT environmental issues.

**Councilman Heward**

- Water Report
- Parks and Recreation Report
  - Lawn mowing is done for the year. Volleyball is currently going on and Thayne Ski Club prep has begun. Councilman Heward stated that the Town of Thayne does not sponsor traveling teams and those teams are not allowed to use Thayne Recreation League equipment.
- Community Center Update
- Thayne Beautification Committee Update
  - Purchased new Christmas lights for the nativity set along with new nutcrackers. The Committee would like to install power boxes on the front side of the canal bank and cut down the tree that is right in front of the Town of Thayne sign. Mayor Simpson added that Cody Nelson will be redoing the south flower box for his Eagle Scout project. Everything will be removed.

**Councilman Wicks – Absent Unexcused**

- Mayor Simpson stated that Councilman Wicks was absent and unexcused.
- EMT Report
- Fire Department Report
  - Mayor Simpson gave an update on the Mid Valley Fire District Petition.

**Councilman Schwab - Excused**

- Sewer Report

**Councilman Woolley**

- Streets Report
  - Councilman Woolley gave the Council an update on street maintenance. Woolley mentioned that Case offered \$3,000.00 for the Town's old tractor with the brush hog. Mayor Simpson stated that he would like to start updating and replacing the road signs that need it.

**Mayor Simpson**

- Mayor Simpson notified the Town Council that the Town Code is back for the Council to review before it is finalized. Simpson gave a chapter of the Code to each Council Member to review and make corrections or changes and return to the Town Hall by October 31<sup>st</sup>. A work session was then scheduled for November 6, 2019 at 6pm to

review each change throughout the entire book before it is submitted to Sterling Codifiers for finalization.

- Councilman Heward mentioned that he would like to add to the building permit ordinance that you must have an electrical inspection.
- Mayor Simpson stated that he has talked with three different brokers about investing the Town's funds. Two of them charge \$4,000.00 per year to invest. Peak Investments does not charge a fee but is paid by those that he invests with. The last option is to invest with WYO Star I & II which are state ran investments. WYO Star I you have to invest for no less than one month and WYO Star II you have to invest the funds for no less than three months. Simpson mentioned that an investment board needs to be created. Mayor Simpson asked the Council for their permission to invest two million dollars from the Town General Fund into WYO Star II for three months.

**Motion to invest two million dollars from the Town of Thayne General account into WYO Star II**

**Motion-** Councilman Heward  
**Seconded-** Councilman Woolley  
**Motion Carried**

**Motion to ratify checks**

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**Motion Carried**

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**Seconded-** Councilman Heward  
**Motion Carried**

**Motion to adjourn meeting**

**Motion-** Councilman Woolley  
**Seconded-** Councilman Heward  
**Motion Carried**

**Meeting Adjourned at 6:51 P.M.**

**General Bills:**

Martin's Flag Company	Flags	\$275.71
Sunrise Engineering	engineering	\$30,490.94
Wyoming Retirement System	retirement	\$32.27
Town of Afton	lab testing	\$27.00
Lincoln County Landfill	waste removal	\$19.55
Ferguson Waterworks	parts	\$185.38
All Star Auto	repairs	\$37.83
Lincoln County Sheriff's Office	communications	\$743.00
ALSCO	uniforms	\$74.00
Luthi & Voyles	legal	\$605.00

Silver Star Communications	telephone/internet	\$858.75
Joslin Adams	football coach	\$35.00
Ty Titensor	football coach	\$35.00
Spencer Allred	football coach	\$35.00
RJ Crosland	football coach	\$35.00
Courtney Sanderson	football coach	\$35.00
Hope Bell	football coach	\$35.00
Josh Frazier	football coach	\$35.00
Aaron Moya	football ref	\$200.00
Luke Linford	football ref	\$100.00
Derek Astle	football ref	\$100.00
Echo Services	repairs and maintenance	\$880.00
Valley Wide COOP	propane	\$258.87
Marci Johnson	volleyball skills camp	\$75.00
Morgan Dana	volleyball skills camp	\$75.00
GEM State Paper and Supply	paper supplies	\$1,122.93
Caselle	maintenance	\$728.00
David Olsen	lawn care	\$1,650.00
Energy Labs	lad testing	\$663.00
Fenton's Office Solutions	maintenance	\$41.22
Lincoln Self Reliance	cleaning service	\$630.00
Star Valley Quick Stop	fuel	\$340.39
Thayne True Value	repairs and maintenance	\$91.18
Valley Tech	computer repairs and maintenance	\$275.50
Vinyl Art Signs and Graphics	beautification committee	\$150.19
Lower Valley Energy	electricity	\$3,979.60
Western Municipal Construction of Wyoming	Water Storage Tank	\$150,071.30
Westwood Curtis Construction	North Waterline Replacement	\$187,826.20
Wyoming Department of Workforce Services	Workman's Compensation	\$2,281.19
Western Municipal Construction of Wyoming	Water Storage Tank	\$252,378.69
Ferguson Waterworks	supplies	\$59.22
Wyoming Retirement System	retirement	\$1,105.28
Salaries		\$9,776.20

**EMT Bills:**

Tonya Taylor	training reimbursement	\$59.59
Alpine Garage Doors	repairs and maintenance	\$1,375.92
Wyoming Retirement System	retirement	\$225.00
Wyoming Department of Workforce Services	Workman's compensation	\$600.62
Star Valley Cleaning	cleaning service	\$59.00
Star Valley Health	supplies	\$342.20
Thayne True Value	repairs and maintenance	\$9.99
Lower Valley Energy	electricity	\$79.37
Hitch-n-Stitch	uniforms	\$442.14
Emergency Medical Products	supplies	\$150.46
Cole Julson	fire departments assist	\$80.00
Salaries		\$1,700.05

**Fire Department Bills:**

Silver Star Communications	telephone/internet	\$64.99
OMG National	gifts	\$786.00
Wyoming Department of Workforce Services	Workman's compensation	\$1,086.70
Lower Valley Energy	electricity	\$70.30
Star Valley Cleaning	cleaning service	\$69.00
Weidner Fire	equipment	\$71.69
Western Wyoming Drug Collection Services	drug testing	\$100.00
Town of Thayne	GPS Service	\$61.23
Wyoming Retirement System	retirement	\$420.00
Star Valley Quick Stop	fuel	\$65.44
Star Valley Ski Doo	repairs	\$670.43