VILLAGE OF NORWOOD MEETING OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN REGULAR SESSION March 14, 2024

The Mayor and Board of Aldermen met in regular session at the Norwood Town Hall on Thursday, March 14, 2024 at 7:00 p.m. with Mayor Becky Bellue presiding. Aldermen David Jett and Kimmi Sellers were present. Alderman Tyler Glascock was absent.

All motions carried unanimously unless otherwise noted.

A motion was made by Ald. Jett and seconded by Ald. Sellers approving the minutes from the February meeting.

A motion was made by Ald. Jett and was seconded by Ald. Sellers approving the financial statement from February, as well as payment of the new bills for March.

OLD BUSINESS:

- Police Report The police report was reviewed and Chief Kenny Stewart said that his
 unit is still in the shop. He recently attended a conference in Marksville and the focus
 of the new governor seems to be domestic violence and retaining criminals for their
 crimes.
- 2. Fire Report Fire Chief Jimmy Garig said that there were 14 at the last fire meeting and almost 20 (including Pecan Grove's department) that attended/participated in the driver's training course.
- 3. Gas Report No report given.
- 4. Maintenance Report Kohnke Rogillio gave the monthly report stating that 2 valves have recently been replaced on our system using CWEF money. Griner will be coming soon to set the wells up to alternate running times. Last month a 2016 Chevy truck and an Ex-Mark lawnmower were purchased using our Pennington Grant. Michael Tumey was asking if there was anything that could be done to isolate the work areas, so that so much debris does not get into the lines. Jimmy Garig and Kohnke Rogillio explained that this was a unique situation, but they are working on a better solution.
- 5. Clerk's Report Jennie Jelks reported that she and the Mayor attended the Mid-Winter Conference in Marksville.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Open Bids – All bids were opened and recorded. The following reflects the awards. All awardees have 10 days to pay for and pick up their items. Payment can be made by cash, cashier's check or money order. Arrangements for pick-up need to be made through the Town Hall.

- A. 1984 Chevrolet Pick-Up Leonard White for \$1050.00
- B. Ex-Mark Lawnmower John Archie for \$1021.00
- C. Ditch Witch & Trailer William Payne for \$1200.00
- D. 1986 Chevrolet Pick-Up Joey Dawson for \$2005.00

| There being no | further | business to | discuss, | a motion | to adjourn | was | made by | Ald. | Sellers | and |
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| seconded by Ald | l. Jett. | | | | | | | | | |

| Rebecca G. Bellue | Jennifer R. Jelks | |
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| Mayor | Town Clerk | |