

**Regular Board Meeting**  
Vanduser City Council  
July 13, 2015  
7:00 P.M

Those Present:

Mike Hargrove	Eddie Fisher	Jim Murphree	Robert Verble
Kevin Burchard	Gary Owens	Diane Verble	Liz Casey

Mike opened the meeting and asked Diane to read the minutes of the June meeting. The minutes were approved as read. The financial report was gone over and approved.

There followed an explanation of the water bills. They are now on a sheet of paper that is put in an envelope and mailed. The information is easier to follow. The cost is not much more and there is a better chance of the bills reaching the customer. The old postcards will be used as receipts.

Robert reported that there is a problem with the gate to the #2 lift station. He will fix it with a new bolt. The mowing crew are not spraying the weeds in the lift stations. Kevin will talk to them.

Robert has fixed leaks at Hailey's, one at the trailer park and the cracked line at the family life center. Norman and Brian will be flushing the water system one half at a time. There was a discussion on a point-to-point shut off system they would like to have in our closed system. This has to do with valve problems.

Ron Hatley will be moving into the blue house so Robert will be checking the lines there. One of the Water Pumps was leaking water in the plant. He took the pump to Cape for repair and it is now reinstalled with no leaks. A seal was replaced.

Concerning the manhole problem, Robert has the caulk needed to seal the ones that are leaking. The water is leaking into the back door of the Water Plant. Robert had two alternatives. He can use an F46 silicone or use concrete to cover the leak with a lip covering the edge of the door. That door is never opened by the lip could be broken off if entrance is needed. After discussion it was decided to use the silicone.

An air conditioner has already been approved for the water plant. Robert was asked to get one and install it as soon as possible.

The repeater room is finished but the equipment has not been installed. A copy of the lease was presented. The original is with the lawyer of the Fire Department. A question of having to install a flashing beacon light on the antenna tower for the repeater was discussed. Mike will check on the height that one is necessary.

The signs needed for the lagoon have been given to Mike. He will give them to Robert when they are ready to be hung. The trimming of the trees along the streets that would be a problem for the paving was brought up. The city does not have any idea the height that is necessary for the equipment. Mike will ask the engineers.

The clean-up-letters were discussed. There were several that have done the work asked. Several others will have to be contacted. Tanya will be called by Diane and Jim will talk to David. Jim has already offered to help David take care of his pile in the yard. He will try again to get him to accept help. Denise will be contacted by Diane about mowing of the Foster lots.

The July 3<sup>rd</sup> program was a success and Mike gave Diane the money to deposit into the general fund. The one for next year will be planned earlier that year.

Marie Bryant will be asked to come to the next council meeting. She has filled out an application for the City Clerk job. Jim motioned to adjourn with Eddie seconding. All said aye. Meeting adjourned..