Mercer City Meeting December 19, 2013

Mercer City meeting was called to order by Mayor Edward Schumann with all council present.

The minutes from the last meeting were read. Motion made by Randy to accept the minutes, seconded by Steve. Minutes were approved.

Financial were studied. A motion made by Darren to transfer \$2000.00 from General to Equipment was seconded by Randy. Motion passed. The check from the Washburn Legion would best be used in water.

We got some advice on how to approach the cleanup ordinance from Helen Wittrup. It was decided for council to study Turtle Lake & Washburn's ordinances & bring back their suggestions to January meeting. Then council can start rewriting ours.

It was decided that the January meeting will be held on Wednesday, January 8 @ 7 pm.

Motion made by Joe to pay the ND Rural Water dues for 2014 at \$200.00. Seconded by Steve. Motion passed.

Kathy Schon shared some information that she received from the Rural Water about looking into what needs the city is going to have & possible financing. Since financing takes time it is good to look into the future of what the city might need water wise. She is going to contact the engineer names she was given to see what kind of cost there will be to have someone look at our system & let us know what we could do for the future of our water in town. She also updated the council on how the testing is going & that she is going to change test sites in the future.

Bills initialed.

Meeting Adjourned.

JoLene Rust, Auditor

PTS Power LLP \$200.00, WM \$1296.19, D&J Bulk \$473.20, Kathy Schon \$110.82, Hardware Hank \$7.07, Hawkins \$268.87, Western Lighting \$59.09, Ottertail Power \$394.55 BHG \$69.87, Ferguson \$139.43, FU Oil \$436.02, Menards \$15.00, Rhonda Stradinger \$50.00 MEC \$49.08, Ferguson \$139.43, Bobcat \$292.26, TLM FFA \$22.00, Mercer Machine \$767.00 Marge Laib \$68.71, Bryan Brewer \$117.74 Ed's Service \$307.17, Jon Schumann \$286.50 ND Rural Water \$200.00