



## SARTELL CITY COUNCIL MEETING

**MINUTES OF JANUARY 14, 2019**

**SPECIAL MEETING**

Pursuant to due call and notice thereof, a special meeting was held on January 14, 2019 at Sartell City Hall. The meeting commenced at 5:03 PM.

COUNCIL PRESENT: Mayor Fitzthum, Council members Chisum, Anandel (officially sworn in by taking Oath of Office before the meeting), Elness and Kolb

COUNCIL ABSENT: None

OTHERS PRESENT: Anita Archambeau, Comm Development Director/Asst. City Admin  
Mary Degiovanni, City Administrator  
Heidi Ostlie, Finance Director  
Jon Halter, City Engineer  
Adam Ripple, Rinke-Noonan Law Firm

### **AGENDA**

A motion was made by Kolb and seconded by Anandel to adopt the agenda as presented. The motion carried unanimously.

### **COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

Archambeau overviewed a number of topics we would like new Council members oriented to within the Community Development Department. Broader scope training would be through the League of MN Cities elected officials conference that new members are planning to attend.

Attorney Adam Ripple oriented the Council on the City's orderly annexation agreement with LeSauk and both historic and more recent issues. Council consensus was that attorney should seek a meeting among staff, attorneys and Mayor/Town Board Chair to discuss and come back to full bodies with suggestions if any progress could be made.

Engineer Halter and staff updated Council on latest findings and estimates with regard to the Sauk River Park pedestrian bridge. Council consensus was to pursue the bridge based on long term benefits and State funding available for the bridge within State approved plan. Chisum expressed interest in other improvements like kayak landing, benches, etc. and staff can make progress on those improvements without the use of substantial State funding currently available.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Upon motion made by Chisum and seconded by Kolb, the Mayor adjourned the meeting at 5:57 pm.

Minutes By:

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Mary Degiovanni, City Administrator

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Ryan Fitzthum, Mayor