

City of Gary, South Dakota  
Special Meeting  
Thursday, April 20, 2020, 7:00 P.M.

The Gary City Council met in special session on Thursday, April 16, 2020, at 7:00 p.m. in the City Hall. Aldermen John Jenson, Clark Dessler, Albert Bekaert, Darwyn Engesser, Joni Kjelden, and David Peterson were present. Mayor Jeff Engesser presided. Present also were Mike Nosbush and Shirley Pederson.

The Pledge of Allegiance was said.

Motion by Darwyn Engesser, second by Dessler to approve the agenda. All members voted aye, motion carried.

Motion by Bekaert, second by Peterson to go into executive session at 7:02 p.m. Mayor declared council out of executive session at 7:15 p.m.

Motion by Bekaert, second by Dessler to hire Jason Anderson at \$17.00/hour to shadow Mike for a year and take over the position of Utilities Manager when Mike retires in April of 2021. There will be a six month probationary period after which time the wage will be revisited. He will also need to acquire a Class I water distribution certification within the next two years. A roll call vote was taken. Bekaert, aye; Kjelden, aye; Jenson, aye; Darwyn Engesser, abstain; Peterson, abstain; Dessler, aye. Motion carried.

Next regular meeting will be Monday, May 4, 2020 at 7:30 p.m.

Motion by Darwyn Engesser, second by Dessler to adjourn. All members voted aye, motion carried.

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