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The City Council of Buffalo, IA met in regular session on Monday, March 04, 1996, at 7:00 p.m. at City Hall with Mayor Phil Hoover presiding. Present were Councilmembers Paula Anderson, Tom Harland, Jr., Dave Kinsinger and Betty Walters. Kent Roe arrived at 7:20 p.m. Absent, none.

Motion by Walters and Anderson to approve the minutes of February 05, 15, 20, 22 and 26. All present aye. Carried.

Motion by Walters and Kinsinger to approve the award of the water project bid to HyBrand Industrial Contractors, LTD in the amount of \$1,082,233.70 in the form of Resolution #14-96. Voting yes were Anderson, Harland, Kinsinger and Walters. Absent, Roe. Motion carried. Steve Honse of Schemmer Associates will contact HyBrand to draw up the contract for their approval. Mayor and Clerk are to sign the contract for the City.

Motion by Harland and Walters to approve the listed bills. All present aye. Carried.

The treasurers report was given. Receipts for February were \$83,470.85 and disbursements were \$77,501.99. Motion by Harland and Anderson to approve the report. All present aye. Motion carried.

At this time a Certificate of Appreciation was given to Joshua Davis, son of Karen and Steve Davis. Joshua won the V.F.W. Auxilliary sponsored contest of "I Love America Because..." at Buffalo School, at the district level and at state level and now goes on to the national contest. The City of Buffalo is very proud of Joshua.

The police report was given by Gage Adams, Police Chief. Kent Roe arrived at this time.

Motion by Kinsinger and Anderson to approve Resolution #15-96, "A RESOLUTION APPROVING AND ADOPTING THE MUTUAL PROTECTION AGREEMENT WITH THE CITIES IN SCOTT COUNTY." All members voted yes. Motion carried.

The public works report was given by Dwain Bollman, Public Works Director. He gave council updates on various projects. After discussion, motion was made by Kinsinger and Harland to allow Rick Fielder to attend the six session "National Electrical Code Update" classes at the Mark in Moline. All ayes. Carried. Motion by Kinsinger and Roe to allow Dwain Bollman to attend an "Emergency Preparedness Water Workshop" on March 20. All ayes. Carried. Motion by Roe and Walters to allow Frank Caprata to attend a "Pumps and Mechanical Mtce." class on April 29 and 30. All ayes. Carried. Tabled for more information was a request for a home study course for Ralph Jewett on wastewater treatment operator.

Motion by Kinsinger and Roe to approve Resolution #16-96, "A RESOLUTION FOR EMBARGO ON BUFFALO STREETS." This will take effect on March 18. All members voted yes. Carried.

No fire department report was given. Committee reports were given. Council agreed to have Mark Cleve continue with the real estate transaction we are presently involved in, even tho his resignation is for March 15. A sign with cemetery rules will be made to place at the cemetery. This will be on the March 14 agenda. The ordinance committee is going thru the code book and will be changing some of the old codes. The union/labor/employee relations committee has met this past month. The park board would like to have some dirt put on the ball field; there is a possibility of free tennis lessons if we get a tennis backboard up; a pay phone will be installed on the park stand; the new toilets will be ready for usage this spring; the vault toilets will be removed and disposed of.

As it is unknown about the savings sewer funds, the comminator for the treatment plant was tabled until a future meeting.

Council and Bollman discussed a grease trap for Clark's Landing. Tony Mendez, owner, said he is having one installed at the present time and will probably be finished in a couple of weeks. Council agreed, and said the problem will be corrected within thirty days with no forseen problems.

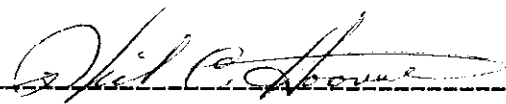
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The Buffalo Days celebration is coming along. Mayor Hoover gave his report. He told of a Flood Plain Management class that he and Bollman would like to attend; told of the cablevision contract coming up; the Community Builders Plan; and of the pending lawsuit.

Community input was asked for. Tim Guizar and Kevin Guizar discussed a problem they have getting their electric service run to a storage barn they are building. Jeff Dillett and Holly Randall discussed plans for a campaign to start up a Jaycees group in Buffalo. Ages for members are 21 to 39, they need 20 people to sign up to begin, and annual dues are \$40.00. They hold fundraisers to benefit the community.

The only special meeting scheduled is March 14 for the public hearing on the fiscal 1996-97 budget. No one gave any public input.

Motion by Kinsinger and Roe to adjourn the meeting at 9:00 p.m. All members voted yes.

Signed: 

Phil C. Hoover,
Mayor of Buffalo, IA

Attest: 

Carol A. Bernauer,
City Clerk of Buffalo, IA

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Randy Lamar, 100.00; Radio Shack, 99.97; I.A.M.U., 15.00; Buffalo Postmaster, 8.00; Pitney Bowes, 168.75; Payless Cashways, 184.73; W.W. Grainger, 134.55; Standard Bearings, 35.31; Chuck's Auto Ser., 85.00; Quad-City Times, 14.57; Emergency Lock, 6.00; Future Systems, 541.30; Buffalo Bank, 1299.55; Contractors Machinery, 530.43; Wal-Mart, 73.18; Teamsters Local #238, 187.00; HomeTown Plumbing, 11,960.00; Terminix, 32.00; American Heart Assoc., 92.00; Du-All Press, 121.40; Alter & Sons, 85.60; MidAmerican, 2791.31; Chief Supply, 15.98; W.W. Grainger, 446.66; City of Buffalo, 130.69; Satin's Northpark Glass, 12.00; Buffalo Bank, 1315.10; I.A.M.U., 50.00; City of Buffalo, 47.89; Buffalo Postmaster, 300.00; Buffalo Bank, 1353.36; Tom Harland, Jr., 92.35; Wal-Mart, 143.59; City of Buffalo, 97.61; Great Western Supply, 35.00; Schemmer Assoc., 668.00; Buffalo Savings Bank Ins. Agency, 198.00; American Industrial Door Co., 3942.76; Alter & Sons, 383.00; J.A. Reno, 504.69; AT&T, 5.00; U.S. Cellular, 16.15; Heritage Nat'l, 3116.82; MOS, 120.00; Quad-City Times, 132.84; The Des Moines Register, 171.00; Meyer Oil Co., 479.27; Curry Enviromental Sr., 975.00; K-Mart, 2.55; Davenport Abstract, 60.00; W.W. Grainger, 42.62; Contractors Machinery, 357.64; U.S. West, 634.24; Dadco Corp., 58.01; Buffalo Bank, 1529.82; AT&T, 5.00; Utility Equip., 132.60; Carter's Heating, 108.00; Linwood Mining, 4.79; Ralph Jewett, 2139.48; Dwain Bollman, 2707.07; Rick Fielder, 1948.08; Jamie Brooks, 1647.69; Frank Caprata, 2346.60; Carol Bernauer, 2410.78; Deborah Guenther, 738.40; Gage Adams, 2621.86; Robert Jackson, 1833.62; Richard Aleksiejczyk, 391.00; John Jensen, 123.75; James Morrissey, 56.00; Karen Bernauer, 641.71; Clerk of Scott Dist. Court, 848.00; City of Buffalo, 95.56; IPERS, 2072.59; Treasurer, State of Ia, 928.54; Kent Roe, 230.00; Office Machine Consultants, 195.58; Great Western Supply, 22.80; Fire Protection Publications, 65.00; Olderog Tire Ser., 195.38; A-1 Fire Equip., 101.20; A-1 Fire Equip., 136.00; HuMar, 3247.25; City of Buffalo, 92.33; Mark Cleve, 686.55; ATCO, 99.80; Industrial Engineering, 72.00; Dave Kinsinger, 195.00; Treasurer, State of Iowa, 1495.02; MidAmerican, 15,390.63; Matthews Office Equip., 213.68; Hach Chemical, 162.30; G.W. Supply, 22.80; Abrahams, 80.28; Ia. Dept. of Commerce, 55.81; IAMU, 880.00; Future Systems, 311.47; Grainger, 69.93; Walgreens, 30.70; United Lab, 355.22; K & K Hdwr., 68.45; Conoco, 14.89; Paula Anderson, 205.00;