

**CITY OF EDGELEY
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
Wednesday, March 4, 6:00 PM**

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 PM by Mayor Cal Triepke. Council members in attendance were Dan Schlosser, Preston Sitzmann, Chris Brummund, Cory Koenig, Sally Caudillo. Council member Jonas VanEnk was absent. Also in attendance were city employee Glen Fischer, Art Hagebock from the LaMoure County Chronicle, City Auditor Jessica Irey, City Attorney Kim Radermacher and guest Mark Madcke. Mayor Triepke called for any corrections or additions to the February regular and special minutes; Schlosser moved to approve, seconded by Brummund; all voted in favor and the motion was approved. Mayor Triepke called for a motion to approve the monthly expenditures. Motion was made by Caudillo and seconded by Schlosser to approve; motion carried on a roll call vote with all voting yes.

March 2026 Expenditures

3/3/2026	Rachel Gierszewski	31286	7,700.00
3/4/2026	Paychex TPS Taxes	Paychex	1,628.91
3/4/2026	Allied	31287	199.52
3/4/2026	Anderson Bros	31288	15.44
3/4/2026	AFLAC	31289	65.70
3/4/2026	Black Mountain Software	31290	9,429.00
3/4/2026	Dakota Valley Electric	31291	87.00
3/4/2026	Direct Electric	31292	5,422.85
3/4/2026	DRN	31293	488.63
3/4/2026	LaMoure County Chronicle	31294	173.90
3/4/2026	Millers	31295	47.98
3/4/2026	Northland Tree and Stump	31296	18,500.00
3/4/2026	Otter Tail	31297	3,758.46
3/4/2026	PFS Shareholder Services	31298	2,666.44
3/4/2026	Recycling Center of ND	31299	9,182.80
3/4/2026	Southeast Water Users	31300	7,187.50
3/4/2026	Sweeney Controls	31301	540.00
3/4/2026	Team Lab	31302	2,028.00
3/4/2026	Vestis	31303	139.60
3/4/2026	Glen Fischer	31304	69.69
3/10/2026	Paychex Invoice	Paychex	54.00
3/18/2026	Paychex TPS Taxes	Paychex	1,640.64
3/30/2026	NDDMV	31305	24.00
3/31/2026	Paychex TPS Taxes	Paychex	1,672.83
3/31/2026	USPS	31306	201.30
3/4/2026	Glen Fischer	Paychex	1,494.45
3/4/2026	Jessica Irey	Paychex	1,709.41
3/4/2026	Ronald M. Wald	Paychex	1,790.00
3/18/2026	Glen Fischer	Paychex	1,528.89
3/18/2026	Jessica Irey	Paychex	1,709.40

3/18/2026	Ronald M. Wald	Paychex	1,790.01
3/31/2026	Glen Fischer	Paychex	1,623.40
3/31/2026	Jessica Irey	Paychex	1,709.41
3/31/2026	Ronald M. Wald	Paychex	1,790.00
TOTAL			88,069.16

CITIZEN CONCERN

Mark Madcke presented a complaint to the council about a drainage issue near his home. Council will contact the contractor responsible for the work and they will repair the issue at no charge.

FLOOD PLAIN ORDINANCE AMENDMENT

Motion by Caudillo, seconded by Schlosser to approve the first reading of the amendment to the flood plain ordinance required by Century Code. All voted in favor on a roll call vote, motion carried.

MANHOLE REPAIR

Tabled until city maintenance workers can gather more information about options for repairs.

STREET IMPROVEMENT PLANS

Street committee and city maintenance workers will explore options and pricing for chip sealing. Discussion and decision tabled until more information is available.

FRANCHISE FEES

Franchise fees will remain in a separate fund and used for city projects as needed. Council will vote on each project as it comes up and funds spent will be reported at the end of each year.

PERMIT APPROVALS

Motion by Sitzmann, seconded by Schlosser to approve building permits for Heartland State Bank and Murray Welder.

OTHER BUSINESS

Motion by Sitzmann, seconded by Brummund to approve the sale of the old city pickup for \$100. All voted in favor on a roll call vote, motion carried. Motion by Stizmann, seconded by Koenig to retain Rath and Mehrer to complete an audit of city finances from 2024-2025. All voted in favor on a roll call vote, motion carried. Motion by Caudillo, seconded by Koenig to move the April City Council meeting to Wednesday, April 8 at 6:00pm. All voted in favor on a roll call vote, motion carried.

Mayor Triepke adjourned the meeting at 6:36 pm.

Cal Triepke, Mayor

Jessica Irey, City Auditor