

COUNCIL'S CORNER

February 3, 2020: City Council Actions



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City Recognized for Excellence in Financial Reporting

The Government Finance Officers Association (GFOA) has awarded the City of Minnetrista a Certificate of Achievement for our 2018 Comprehensive Annual Financial Report. GFOA awards these certificates to cities whose annual reports achieve the highest standards in government accounting and financial reporting. The City has received this award every year since 2004.

Bids Accepted and Contract Awarded for Construction of Southwest Water Tower

The City received three bids for construction of a new water tower in the Southwest portion of the City. The lowest of the three was in the amount of \$2,288,500 from Phoenix Fabricators & Erectors, LLC. The City's consultant for this project, SEH, has investigated the qualifications of Phoenix Fabricators & Erectors, LLC and find that they have a sufficient understanding of the project and equipment to perform the construction.

Sale of Bonds Approved

The Council approved the sale of \$2,515,000 in General Obligation Bonds. Bonds sold will finance the proposed water tower in Southwest Minnetrista and equipment budgeted over the last years, and the current year. Water tower funding will be \$2,000,000 in GO bonds plus \$565,000 in cash from the water fund, with the remaining \$515,000 for equipment purchases.

Election Judges Appointed for 2020 Presidential Nomination Primary Election

The Presidential Nomination Primary (PNP) will be held March 3, 2020. The City is required to appoint election judges to administer the polling places. There will be 3-4 judges placed at each polling location on PNP day.

Upcoming Events

February 17—City Offices Closed for Presidents' Day Holiday
April 15—State of the City Address
April 22—Open Book Meeting

The City of Minnetrista will deliver quality services in a cost effective and innovative manner and provide opportunities for a high quality of life while protecting natural resources and maintaining a rural character, while effectively managing growth.



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