

Cleveland Special Meeting Minutes – October 19, 2020

The meeting was called to order at 5:30 p.m. by Mayor Don McCabe, Councilmembers present were Nancy Gens, Justin Schabert, Glenn Beer and Fred Danner.

Steve Herman a representative with Access Networks Inc. was present at the meeting to discuss a water tower lease agreement from the purpose of putting eight (8) radios on top of the water tower for wireless internet. Steve stated that this wireless option would cover a seven (7) mile radius and provide speeds of 100 Mbps (megabits per second) to the area. Steve indicated that this area was underserved for internet connectivity.

The clerk indicated that this project will be paid for by CARES Act dollars from Le Sueur County, and the city will not be responsible for any cost associated with the project.

This council looked over the lease agreement and determined that it was in the best interest of the public to enter this agreement. A sum of \$250 dollars per month will be owed in rent to the city for the use of the water tower space. The lease will be for a period of ten (10) years with a one (1) year auto renewal period where the contract can be re-negotiated.

A Motion was made by Schabert and seconded by Gens to approve Resolution #33-2020 authorizing leasing water tower space to Access Networks, Inc. Voting yes-all

A Motion was made by Schabert and seconded by Beer to adjourn at 5:46 p.m. Voting yes –all

Dan Evans
City Clerk-Treasurer

Don McCabe
Mayor