

**Rutland City Council**  
**March 3, 2025**

The monthly City Council meeting convened at 5p.m. on Monday, March 3, 2025. Mayor Mahrer, presiding. Council members Anderson, Erickson, and McLaen present; Lysne absent. City Auditor also present. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Erickson/Anderson moved approval of the agenda. Motion carried.

McLaen/Anderson moved approval of the February 3, 2025 minutes. Motion carried.

McLaen/Erickson moved approval of the February financials as presented. Motion carried.

Erickson/McLaen moved approval of the payment of bills:

Waste Management	\$ 1720.94	Garbage Contract
Waste Management	109.05	Hall dumpster
DRN	150.15	Phone
US Treasury	825.75	February monthly payroll taxes
Scott Haan	962.73	Jan. 25 – Feb. 8
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Deborah Banish	1,026.19	February
Kotaco Fuels	618.36	Hall propane, 324.6 gals.
Otter Tail Power	1,322.18	Utilities
Sargent County Auditor	843.75	Assessment books
SC Teller	113.79	Minutes & Financial Stmt. Publication
SE Water Users	801.19	Dec. 19-Jan 23; 276,164 gals.
Quill	280.14	Office ribbon, janitorial supplies
Jacobson PHE	2,258.65	Water break 2024 repair
<b>Sewer &amp; Lagoon Checking</b>		
Bank of ND	\$ 930.00	Wastewater Bond Interest & Admin. Fee

Motion carried.

The City Auditor reported two delinquents. Payment is pending on one and the other may need to be assessed to the property. The Council agreed to hold **one** Cleanup day this year and scheduled it for Saturday, May 17, 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. or until the dumpster is full, whichever is first.

McLaen asked about the cleanup of the fire at 215 Cooper Street. It was noted that the Fire Department plans to work on the cleanup when weather permits.

The meeting adjourned at 5:30 p.m. The next meeting will be Monday, April 7, 2025 beginning with the Board of Equalization meeting.

ATTEST:

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Deborah Banish, City Auditor

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Michael Mahrer, Mayor