

**Agenda for Mercer City Regular Meeting**  
**Thursday, April 9th, 2026**  
**Mercer City Hall @ 7pm CST**

1. Open Meeting
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Roll Call
4. Minutes from March 12<sup>th</sup> 2026, regular meeting
5. April 2026 MTD &YTD (Month & Year to Date) Financial Report(s)
  - a. the current available (remaining) "Municipal Infrastructure Fund Bill" ("Operation Prairie Dog") is \$17,345.20
  - b. Present packet of paid bills (auto pay) & bills yet to be paid
  - c. Evolv (gov card) began charging a monthly fee of \$49.00 as of December 2025. \$588.00 per year. (due to low sales volume).
6. March 2026 Water Reports:
  - a. Emergency Declaration due to power outage (52 minutes) and resultant water pressure loss from for April 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2026 from 6:36 pm CDT to 7:30 pm CDT total duration of 54 minutes.  
  
April (Precautionary Boil Order) 2026 Water Test Results - Within acceptable parameters
  - b. Fire Hydrant Water Leak Fixed 3-23-2026: Mayor Thomsen
  - c. Generator for City Water Pump House: Council Member Volochenko
  - e. Check Valve for Main Potable Water Line from City Pump House: Mayor Thomsen
  - f. Larry Metzger letter; Drainage problem
  - g. Accounts #58 & #70 March & April bills respectively, bounced back via USPS mail
  - h. Account #79 Old MCC is showing 2300 gallons
  - i. MSRWD Board Meeting; April 21<sup>st</sup> 0800 at the Water District Office north of Turtle Lake
8. Park Report:
9. New Mercer Community Center Report:
  - a. On 3-13-2026 City Auditor signed a gaming funds request from the Turtle Lake and New Salem American Legions

10. City Office Organization Update: Auditor Volochenko

**Old Business**

2026 City Election: Auditor Volochenko

**New Business:**

1. Motor to Mercer Car Show, June 20th: Raffle Permit request for a 50/50 Raffle, also same permissions as last year are requested for blocking off Main St. and to use any extra trash bins and city road barrier signs.
2. St Olaf-Lutheran LYO Calendar Raffle:
3. Generator for City Water Pump House: Council Member Volochenko
4. Check Valve for Main Potable Water Line from City Pump House: Mayor Thomsen
5. Street Graveling: Council Member Volochenko
6. Garbage-WM is charging \$25.00 per overloaded totes and at the last pickup there were three, pictures included
7. USA Flags; need to order 6.
8. Drainage issue according to Larry Metzger; Letter and map: Ken Thomsen
9. NDLC Spring Conference (3-18, 19-2026) Report: Auditor Volochenko, Councilmember Volochenko, Council Member Lorenz.
10. NDRWSA Training (3-26-2026) Report: Auditor Volochenko
11. Water & Waste Water Test Prep. (3-30-2026): Auditor Volochenko
12. NDIRF HR Collaborative Conference (two days) to be held in Bismarck on April 22&23<sup>rd</sup>.
13. NDIRF Annual Meeting Notice; May 7<sup>th</sup> 2026 beginning at 9:30 am at the North Dakota Heritage Center, all city officials are welcome.
14. Bi-Annual Lagoon Discharge Monitoring Report submitted 3-31-2026
15. Lead & Copper Survey: Auditor Volochenko

**Public Comment:**

**Adjourn Meeting**

**Adjournment Time:**