

COLTON TOWN HALL MINUTES
August 4th, 2025

The Meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. Members in attendance were Mayor Jerry Weber, Dot Sharp, Ken Darby, Sam Keller, Cory Cucchiara, Jenni Straughan, Steve Bremer and Erin with Gazette. Scott Miller was absent.

Minutes: Cory Cucchiara motioned to approve the minutes and Ken Darby seconded the motion. The vote was carried by voice and passed by all.

Treasurer's Report:

The treasurer's report was reviewed.

Checks: Checks, as follows, were approved, with a motion by Dot Sharp and a second by Sam Keller. The vote was carried by voice and passed by all.

Payroll Checks: 9905127-9905129 for:	\$15,357.32
Vendor Checks 9911509-99114513 for:	\$34,914.10
Grand Total:	\$50,271.42

New Business:**Sanitary Survey on Thursday:**

Steve told the council that he will be having a sanitary survey on Thursday.

Snow Removal Letter:

Mayor Weber reviewed and signed the letter to Whitman County to ensure that the town has snow removal and gravel, if needed in the winter months.

Bridge Inspection Letter:

Mayor Weber reviewed and signed the letter to Whitman County to ensure that the town's bridges get inspected by January 2026.

Speed Trailer for Steptoe:

Jenni told the council that she will contact Brett Myers to ask if the county would bring the speed trailer to the town and place it on Steptoe Street when school starts.

Leah Musson, Senior Project:

Ken Darby explained to the council that Leah Musson is going to help organize and find funding to replace the town's lighted outdoor Christmas displays with more efficient LED lights.

Ongoing Business:**A T&T Park:**

Jenni told the council that she spoke with Robert Caron and he was not sure that they would be willing to continue to pay for the maintenance and water use at the park. He was going to talk with admin about this and get back to her.

TIB:

Jenni told the council that WSDOT said that they spoke with Avista and worked out where to put the RRFB. Jenni will contact them about getting these ordered and the project started.

Back Hoe:

Jenni told the council that she contacted Uniontown and that they don't want anything to change in the shared agreement. The town's attorney has been contacted but no response yet.

Curtis Concrete:

Steve told the council that Curtis has not scheduled a time to do this yet.

Herco:

Steve told the council that Herco should be up soon to pick up the rock left over from the street work.

A motion to close the meeting was made by Sam Keller and seconded by Cory Cucchiara. The vote was carried by voice and passed by all. The meeting closed at 7:54 p.m.

Approved By Mayor

Attested By Clerk