

RESOLUTION NO. 2020-10

CITY OF HAYWARD, FREEBORN COUNTY

CITY OF HAYWARD, MN WILL PAY \$1000 INSURANCE DEDUCTIBLE

WHEREAS, On or around May 30, 2020 the sewer line that runs underneath the County Road 26 (CR 26), backed up. Hayward City Mayor Michael Hansen was alerted to the issue, along with Councilmember Dolph, and Operations Director, Travis Reichl;

WHEREAS, after having discovered something was plugging the sewer line, Operations Director Reichl contacted the City of Austin, Minnesota Sewer Department. The Austin Sewer Department jettied the sewer and vacuumed out the debris from the sewer line to eliminate the back-up. Reichl discovered a piece of a cement riser ring from a manhole had broken apart and, at some point, fallen into the flow line of the sewer that runs beneath CR 26;

WHEREAS, due to the afore stated incident, four residents' homes along CR 26 (aka 810th Avenue, Hayward, MN) were affected;

WHEREAS, The City of Hayward contacted the League of Minnesota Cities Insurance Trust (LMCIT), its sewer back-up liability insurance carrier, to notify them of the incident and conduct an investigation;

WHEREAS, The LMCIT, determined that it would pay each resident according to the policy's plan; however, there would be a [total] \$1000 insurance deductible;

WHEREAS, at the July 13, 2020 regularly scheduled City Council meeting, the Hayward City Council agreed the City would pay the \$1,000 deductible. Councilor Dolph resolved to pay the \$1,000 insurance deductible for those residents on 810th Avenue/CR 26 that were affected by the plugged sewer line and experienced sewer backup in their homes; Councilor Flaskerud advanced and **Resolution 2020-10** passed unanimously.

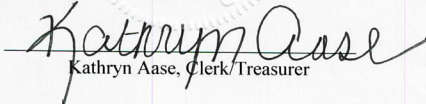
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Hayward, that it hereby establishes **Resolution 2020-10**, to pay the \$1,000 insurance deductible for the residents along CR 26 who were affected by the sewer back-up on or around May 30, 2020.,

APPROVED THIS 13TH DAY OF JULY 2020.



Michael Hansen, Mayor

ATTEST:



Kathryn Aase, Clerk/Treasurer