## MINUTES Special Meeting TULELAKE CITY COUNCIL February 24, 2025 - 5:00 PM

Mayor, Tom Cordonier called the meeting to order at 5:02PM. Council Member Henry Ebinger was present. Council Member Margie Cordonier was present via conference call. Also in attendance were Chief Resilience Officer, Jenny Coelho; Director of Public Works, Jose Perez; City Administrative Clerk, Cecilia Alvarado and City Engineer, Dan Scalas. Those absent were Mayor Pro Tem, Bryan Hendricks; Council Member, Teresa Williams; City Treasurer, Sara Luscombe; City Clerk, Aissa Martinez; Finance Director, Will Sargent; Chief of Police, Tom Hoy; Police Officer, Jorge Ruiz and Assistant City Admin, Christian Marquez.

## **COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC**

No comments.

## **UPDATE ON WASTEWATER PONDS**

Director of Public Works, Jose Perez, commented that due to the snow we have got in the last couple of weeks the wastewater ponds are to the max with water. He commented that he is discharging lots of water into the fields. He commented that if he were to let the sewage go out into the streets the state would fine the City about \$10,000 to \$20,000 a day. He also commented that maybe in the future the City should consider adding more ponds to avoid this issue. City Engineer, Dan Scalas, commented that he has been working with the state and letting them know what is going on. He also commented that a bigger pump is needed, and he will be going after a grant to get one. Director of Public Works, Jose Perez, also commented that he and his crew are checking the drains every two hours.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

Mayor Cordonier made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 5:20PM. Council Member Ebinger seconded the motion. All votes were aye. Motion carried. (Motion 25-35)

Tom Cordonier, Mayor

Attest

Aissa Martinez, City Clerk