

RESOLUTION NO. 2026

COUNCIL MEMBER ---- INTRODUCED THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTION:

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE AND INSTALLATION OF SECURITY CAMERA SYSTEMS FOR CITY WATER AND WASTEWATER FACILITIES.

WHEREAS, the City of Blair has identified a need to enhance safety, security, and operational awareness at its Water Treatment Facility, Wastewater Treatment Facility, and water intake structures located at Blair Optimist River Park; and

WHEREAS, City staff often work in isolated and potentially hazardous environments, and the installation of security cameras will provide an additional layer of protection and allow for improved response to accidents, equipment failures, and medical emergencies;

WHEREAS, such facilities are considered critical infrastructure, and enhanced surveillance will deter unauthorized access, improve situational awareness, and provide recorded documentation for incidents or investigations;

WHEREAS, the total cost of the purchase and installation of the security camera systems shall not exceed \$39,864.05, and all installation and ongoing maintenance will be performed by City of Blair IT staff at no additional labor cost to the City;

WHEREAS, current market conditions indicate increasing costs for electronic and networking equipment, and approval at this time will allow the City to secure pricing and avoid future cost increases;

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that the purchase and installation of said security camera systems is in the best interest of the City and necessary for the protection of public health, safety, and welfare.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BLAIR, NEBRASKA, THAT:

1. The purchase and installation of security camera systems for the Water Treatment Facility, Wastewater Treatment Facility, and intake structures at Blair Optimist River Park is hereby approved.
2. The total project cost shall not exceed \$39,864.05.
3. The City of Blair IT Department is authorized to complete installation and provide ongoing maintenance at no additional labor cost.

4. Said Resolution is hereby adopted and approved by the municipality, and the Mayor and City Clerk of the City of Blair are hereby authorized and directed to execute the same on behalf of the municipality.

COUNCIL MEMBER --- MOVED THAT THE RESOLUTION BE ADOPTED AS READ, WHICH SAID MOTION WAS SECONDED BY COUNCIL MEMBER ----. UPON ROLL CALL, COUNCIL MEMBERS ----- VOTING "AYE" AND COUNCIL MEMBERS --- VOTING "NAY," THE MAYOR DECLARED THE FOREGOING RESOLUTION PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 26TH DAY OF MAY 2026.

CITY OF BLAIR, NEBRASKA

BY: _____
MELINDA K. RUMP, MAYOR

ATTEST:

BRENDA WHEELER, CITY CLERK

(SEAL)

STATE OF NEBRASKA)
) ss:
WASHINGTON COUNTY)

BRENDA WHEELER, hereby certifies that she is the duly appointed, qualified and acting City Clerk of the City of Blair, Nebraska, and that the above and foregoing Resolution was passed and adopted at a regular meeting of the Mayor and City Council of said City, held on the 26th day of May 2026.

BRENDA WHEELER, CITY CLERK