# SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING June 16, 2014

# CITY OF HENDRUM

308 Main St E.

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Hendrum, MN 56550

**PRESENT:** M. Alm, C. Johannsen, M. Smart, and S. Tommerdahl. Also present: Leroy Nepstad, Terry Torgerson, and Keri Plemmons, Clerk-Treasurer; Absent: None

**CALL TO ORDER:** Mayor Johannsen called the meeting to order at 7:32 PM.

The purpose of the meeting was to hold a Public Hearing concerning a conditional use permit applied for by Nepstad Oil Co to install an 18,000 gallon propane tank at the existing propane plant located at 133 Highway 75 N, Hendrum, Minnesota.

An additional tank will provide more storage and help to keep up with supply and demand. Another tank also means another driver will be needed, which provides an employment opportunity for the area.

The topics of concern voiced at the meeting were:

* 1. How is it protected? If the tank were to leak and explode, it could endanger the town, potentially taking out 3 city blocks.
     1. There are concrete bulkheads in place to protect the lines and safety valves are required.
  2. How often is it inspected?
     1. The internal valves were inspected in 2011.
  3. Is there another location other than in the city limits?

Having no further business, the Public Hearing closed at 7:46 PM. The above minutes are unofficial until approved at the next regularly scheduled council meeting on July 14, 2014.

Respectfully Submitted,

Keri Plemmons

City Clerk-Treasurer