

Seneca Council renews employee health, dental insurance  
**(KMZA)--The Seneca City Council has renewed the city's policy with Blue Cross and Blue Shield for employee health and dental insurance coverage.**

**The Council took the action during their May 19 meeting.**

**The city will see at 10.1 percent premium decrease, which is being attributed to some minor changes.**

**The renewal date for the insurance is August 1.**

**On the recommendation of Recreation Director Erin Tobey, the Council approved wage increases for Aquatic Center staff. Concession workers will start at \$7.25 an hour, lifeguards at \$8.24 an hour, and assistant pool managers at \$9.50 an hour. The pool manager will be paid \$15 an hour. Logan Frost has been hired as the pool manager for the 2021 season.**

**The pool is to open Memorial Day weekend.**

**The Council accepted a \$2,750 donation from the Seneca Girls Softball Association for the purchase of two pitching machines.**

**In addition, the Council voted to contribute \$1,000 toward of the cost of bringing Kansas City Chiefs play-by-play announcer Mitch Holthus to town as a special speaker on June 11 for the city's 150th + 1 Celebration. The celebration had originally been scheduled for last June but was rescheduled due to the COVID-19 pandemic.**

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