

City of Selah
Council Minutes
June 28, 2011

Regular Meeting
Selah Council Chambers
115 West Naches Avenue
Selah, WA 98942

A. Call to Order Mayor Jones called the meeting to order at 4:00pm.

B. Roll Call

Members Present: Paul Overby; John Tierney; Kevin Jorgensen; Dave Smeback; John Gawlik; Allen Schmid

Members Excused: Keith Larson

Staff Present: Frank Sweet, City Supervisor; Bob Noe, City Attorney; Dale Novobielski, Clerk/Treasurer; Jerry Davis, Fire Chief; Gary Hanna, Deputy Fire Chief; Stacy Dwarshuis, Police Chief; Jeff Hagler, Parks, Recreation & Tourism Director; Joe Henne, Public Works Director; Monica Lake, Executive Assistant

C. Pledge of Allegiance

Mayor Jones led the Pledge of Allegiance. Pastor Rex Van Beek led the opening prayer.

D. Agenda Changes

Added to the Agenda:

L – 1 Approval for Purchase of Three Eagle Basalt Carvings

M – 2 Resolution Authorizing the Mayor to Sign an SIED Application for the South Park Drive extension and Wenas Road Radius

E. Public Appearances **None**

F. Getting To Know Our Businesses **None**

G. Communications

1. Oral

Mayor Jones opened the Public Meeting. Seeing no one rise to speak, he then closed the Public Meeting.

2. Written

- a. Letter from Donald, Jewel and Raven Sodergren thanking Chief Dwarshuis, Sgt. Hayes, Cpl. Valencia, Officer Martin and Officer Pepper for their assistance

Mayor Jones commented that it was a nice thank you letter and commended Police Chief Dwarshuis and his officers for their adroit handling of the situation with the Sodergren family, noting that it can be a difficult situation for an officer to find himself in.

- b. Letter from Department of Ecology identifying the City of Selah Wastewater Treatment Plant as a recipient of the 2010 “Wastewater Treatment Plant Outstanding Performance” award

Mayor Jones complimented the treatment plant workers for their excellent work, and commented that he thought it is the fourth year in a row they have received this award.

City Supervisor Sweet affirmed that this is the fourth year they have received the award.

- c. City of Yakima, Transit Division Service Expansion Status for the period starting April 25, 2011 and ending June 5, 2011

H. Proclamations/Announcements **None**

I. Consent Agenda

Councilman Overby moved, and Councilman Jorgensen seconded, to add N-3 to the Consent Agenda. By voice vote, approval to add N-3 to the Consent Agenda was unanimous.

Executive Assistant Lake read the Consent Agenda.

All items listed with an asterisk (*) were considered as part of the Consent Agenda.

- * 1. Approval of Minutes: Study Session & Council Meeting June 14, 2011

- * 2. Approval of Claims & Payroll:

Payroll Checks Nos. 71245 – 71327 for a total of \$139,033.29
 Claim Check No. 58426 for a total of \$ 200.00
 Claim Checks Nos. 58427 – 58488 for a total of \$173,113.31

- * 3. Ordinance N – 2 Ordinance Amending the 2011 Budget for Adjustments to Personnel Benefits

- * 4. Ordinance N – 3 Ordinance Amending the 2011 Budget for Miscellaneous Expenditures

Councilman Tierney moved, and Councilman Jorgensen seconded, to approve the Consent Agenda as read. By voice vote, approval of the Consent Agenda was unanimous.

J. Public Hearings **None**

K. New Business **None**

L. Old Business

1. Approval for Purchase of Three Eagle Basalt Carvings

City Supervisor Sweet addressed L-1. He reminded the Council that there was a consensus to continue at the last Council meeting, with the stipulation that it be presented to the Lodging Tax Advisory Committee for approval. He went on to say that it was brought before the Lodging Tax Advisory Board at their meeting on Monday, June 27th, and they unanimously agreed to support the purchase of the basalt carvings. He ended by saying that it was brought back today for the Council to approve the authorization of a budget adjustment for the purchase.

Councilman Schmid inquired if one of the eagles was currently at the rock place.

City Supervisor Sweet replied that all three are down there.

Councilman Schmid responded that they look great.

Councilman Jorgensen moved, and Councilman Schmid seconded, to approve the Purchase of Three Eagle Basalt Carvings. Roll was called: Council Member Overby – yes; Council Member Tierney – yes; Council Member Jorgensen – yes; Council Member Smeback – yes; Council Member Gawlik – no; Council Member Schmid - yes. Motion carried with 5 voting aye and 1 voting nay.

M. Resolutions

1. Resolution Authorizing the Mayor to Award the Construction Contract for 2011 Local Street Maintenance Project

Public Works Director Henne addressed M-1. He noted that the 2011 Budget allocated \$100,000 for street maintenance on several of the local access streets that are classified as Collectors, which makes them ineligible for funding through sources such as CMAQ or the Transportation Improvement Program. He said that they did a call for bids to do crack sealing, overlay and reconstruction on the selected streets, and that the lowest bid came from Columbia Asphalt & Gravel, Inc. in the amount of \$82,154.70. He requested that the Council approve the Resolution awarding the contract to Columbia Asphalt & Gravel, Inc. for their bid amount of \$82,154.70. He observed that the bids were based on quantities, and requested approval from the Council to spend up to the budgeted amount of \$100,735.00 and add additional streets for maintenance.

Councilman Schmid moved, and Councilman Tierney seconded, to approve the Resolution Authorizing the Mayor to Award the Construction Contract for 2011 Local Street Maintenance Project to Columbia Asphalt & Gravel, Inc. for the budgeted amount of \$82,154.70.

City Supervisor Sweet noted that the budgeted amount was \$100,735.00.

Public Works Director Henne said that the bid was for \$82,154.70 and the budgeted amount was \$100,735.00.

Councilman Schmid amended his motion to approve the Resolution up to the budgeted amount of \$100,735.00.

Councilman Gawlik inquired if there was a list of streets slated for maintenance using the excess funds.

Public Works Director Henne replied that he did not, but said that one of the streets he would like to repair is the one in front of City Hall, which was not on the original list. He commented that the street is composed of six inches of asphalt on concrete and should not need maintenance at this time, but it is currently rough to drive on and a hazard to walk across. He passed out a map indicating which streets will undergo maintenance this year.

City Supervisor Sweet asked if this was the \$82,000.

Public Works Director Henne responded that the bid was for those streets designated on the map.

Councilman Tierney inquired as to whether it was fair to the bid process, and the two companies not awarded the contract, to contract with Columbia Asphalt for the budgeted amount instead of the bid amount.

Public Works Director Henne replied in the affirmative, saying that the bids are based on quantities.

City Supervisor Sweet asked if the quantity would be more or stay the same.

Public Works Director Henne responded that the quantity would be increased.

Councilman Tierney expressed concern over whether the City should go out for bids on the additional quantities for street maintenance not included in the contract bid of \$82,000.

Public Works Director Henne replied that the original bid package was based on quantities to allow for the flexibility to decrease amounts if the bids were over the budget.

Councilman Overby asked if the bid was too much rather than too little.

Public Works Director Henne responded in the negative. He gave a rundown of each item in the bid, noting that the estimated quantities were what the three companies bid on.

City Supervisor Sweet asked which items would be increasing in quantity.

Public Works Director Henne responded that it would be items eight and nine.

Councilman Overby inquired why it couldn't be a formal change order process as opposed to a blank check for the budgeted amount.

Public Works Director Henne replied that it could. He added that he already knows the prices based on the bids, and will be reviewing this with the consultant.

Councilman Overby said that he has no problem spending up to the budgeted amount of \$100,735.00, but would feel more comfortable with the formality of a change order.

Public Works Director Henne responded that he can do a change order. He went on to say that he will go out with the consultant to measure quantities, and then send a letter to the contractor asking if he agrees with the quantity changes and dollar amount to sign it and send it back.

Councilman Tierney commented that would be his preference.

Public Works Director Henne asked Councilman Schmid if he would withdraw his second motion.

Councilman Schmid withdrew his second motion.

Mayor Jones asked if there was a second.

Councilman Tierney stated that he seconded the first motion for the \$82,154.70.

Public Works Director Henne asked the Council to approve the Resolution as presented, and noted that he will bring back the changes.

Roll was called: Council Member Overby – yes; Council Member Tierney – yes; Council Member Jorgensen – yes; Council Member Smeback – yes; Council Member Gawlik – yes; Council Member Schmid - yes. By voice vote, approval was unanimous.

2. Resolution Authorizing the Mayor to Sign an SIED Application for the South Park Drive extension and Wenas Road Radius

Public Works Director Henne addressed M-2. He said that per the zoning agreement with Matson Fruit, the City is responsible for the extension of South Park Drive to West Bartlett Avenue and improving the turning radius at the intersection of West Bartlett Avenue and North Wenas Road. He went on to say that the third part will be a joint project between the City of Selah, Larson Fruit and Matson Fruit to improve West Bartlett Avenue between Railroad Avenue and North Wenas Road.

City Supervisor Sweet inquired if all three were in the development agreement with Matson Fruit.

Public Works Director Henne replied in the affirmative, saying that the two listed on the SIED application are the ones that the City is required to do.

Councilman Schmid asked if the Railroad Avenue improvements were on the east end of Bartlett where it connects with Railroad.

Public Works Director Henne replied that it will start at the intersection of Railroad Avenue and Bartlett Avenue and proceed north to tie in with South Park Drive, as well as creating an entrance onto Home Avenue. He said that the total cost of the project is estimated at \$395,000.00; if the SIED Board approves the application, up to 40% could be in the form of a grant and the remainder a loan, similar to the funding for North Park and South Park. He went on to say that the local match is 36,000.00, which would make the City's costs a total of \$237,000.00 out of \$395,000.00. He stated that the application needs to be submitted by July 12th, and requested that the Council authorize them to proceed with the application, noting that it will need to be signed by the Mayor.

Councilman Tierney inquired if the development agreement was between the City and Matson Fruit or the City and Les Schwab.

City Supervisor Sweet commented that we had no development agreement with Les Schwab; they were verbally informed about what was to happen.

Public Works Director Henne remarked that Les Schwab is mentioned in the SIED application because the intent is to promote commercial growth, and putting this in will benefit Les Schwab with an access for their truck traffic, and this is why both Matson Fruit and Les Schwab are listed.

City Supervisor Sweet said that providing them access on the back side will remove some of the truck traffic on Wenas.

Mayor Jones commented that Commissioner Leita informed the Mayors at the last Mayors' Meeting that there were monies available, and encouraged them to submit project applications for the funds. He opined that this is a worthwhile project, and went on to say that there were two issues discovered when the project was started, one of which was the storage units built right up to the right-of-way many years ago that will put the road almost up to their door.

Public Works Director Henne remarked that there is sixty feet, and that they narrowed the road down to twenty-eight feet side to side to curb, with a five foot sidewalk.

Mayor Jones asked if the sidewalk is on both sides.

Public Works Director Henne replied that the east side gets quite a bit of fork-lift traffic with loading and unloading. He said they will try to minimize the impact on the storage units, but said until they survey they cannot be certain exactly how close the storage units are to the edge of the right-of-way.

Councilman Tierney asked what happens if we do not get the SIED money.

Public Works Director Henne responded that we still move forward with the project, but the City will have to cover all expenses.

Councilman Tierney asked what impact it would have on the annual payment.

Public Works Director Henne replied that the payment is \$25,000.00 per year for ten years, starting two years from the loan approval.

Councilman Tierney reiterated his question regarding what would happen if we do not get the SIED money.

Public Works Director Henne said that the City is responsible for the construction of the project and would then need to decide where to get the \$400,000.00.

Councilman Tierney asked if the annual payment would go up.

Public Works Director Henne responded that there would be no payment if the SIED application is not approved; the money would come from the City budget.

City Supervisor Sweet said that this was originally a part of the South Wenas project, but they were unable to secure the right of way at that time due to the issues with Matson Fruit. He went on to say that it was pulled from the South Wenas project, and now the City is left holding the bag. He commented that there was a timeline for the Bartlett/Wenas portion that required it to be completed within eighteen months after the agreement was signed, and wondered if there was a similar timeline for the connection.

Public Works Director Henne replied that it was based on payment conditions and things to follow.

City Supervisor Sweet said that he did not think there was a timeline for the connection, and that the only timeline was eighteen months for the Bartlett/Wenas portion.

Councilman Tierney inquired if this will positively impact their access or create another predicament regarding access to the property.

City Supervisor Sweet responded that this will solve any property access problems.

Public Works Director Henne remarked that a portion of the entrance to their facility is waiting for the completion of this access.

Councilman Schmid asked if there would be a rolled curb along the east side of Railroad Avenue where the forklifts run.

Public Works Director Henne replied that they are planning for a rolled curb, noting that although the documentation shows sixty feet of right-of-way, they have yet to determine exactly where that lies.

Councilman Jorgensen commented that he remembers discussion of the Bartlett Avenue radius as part of the negotiations with Matson Fruit. He went on to say that the City had attempted to give Railroad Avenue to Matson Fruit to avoid the expense, but Les Schwab had a prior agreement for a thru street for their commercial truck traffic that did not allow the City to transfer ownership of Railroad Avenue to Matson Fruit.

City Supervisor Sweet remarked that it was to take the industrial traffic off of Wenas and into the industrial area where it belongs.

Councilman Jorgensen said that they would prefer to come out that way as opposed to coming out onto Wenas.

Councilman Schmid asked about the turn radius on the intersection from Home Avenue onto Wenas Road.

Public Works Director Henne responded that they are standard, approximately twenty to twenty-five foot turn radius, but that is not a designated truck route.

City Supervisor Sweet concurred, saying that it isn't to be a truck route.

Mayor Jones observed that Home Avenue doesn't go all the way through to Railroad Avenue.

Public Works Director Henne corrected Mayor Jones, pointing out that the connection will be created as part of the project. He went on to say that there are apartment buildings lining Home Avenue; it was never meant to be a truck route and there will be appropriate signage added.

Councilman Schmid replied that his concern is regarding the truckers who would use the turn on Home if they miss the correct turn.

Councilman Tierney remarked that the Police Department can issue tickets for violation of a restrictive sign.

Public Works Director Henne said that they will sign the area once the project is finished. He commented that the occasional out of town trucker might take the wrong route, but the local truckers should remember which route to use.

Mayor Jones remarked that most of the trucks use a GPS system.

Councilman Jorgensen commented that if Bartlett Avenue is designated as a truck route, the GPS will pick that up and send them along the correct street.

Public Works Director Henne expressed his intent to keep the trucks off of Home Avenue, and away from the residential area, by sending them along Bartlett. He commented that Bartlett Avenue is the logical route as both Matson and Larson use it currently.

Councilman Overby moved, and Councilman Jorgensen seconded, to approve the Resolution Authorizing the Mayor to Sign an SIED Application for the South Park Drive extension and Wenas Road Radius. Roll was called: Council Member Overby – yes; Council Member Tierney – yes; Council Member Jorgensen – yes; Council Member Smeback – yes; Council Member Gawlik – yes; Council Member Schmid - yes. By voice vote, approval was unanimous.

N. Ordinances

1. Ordinance Amending Ordinance No.1838, which established the Selah Tourism Promotion Area, by setting a new date on which the special assessment shall go into effect

City Attorney Noe addressed N-1. He reminded the Council that the original Ordinance listed January 1, 2012 as the date to start collecting the assessment, and went on to say that the Department of Revenue informed them that they can start collecting on behalf of the City of Selah starting October 1, 2011.

Councilman Schmid said he had a question, and needed a moment to read through the amended Ordinance.

City Supervisor Sweet noted that our hotel is in agreement with collecting the assessment.

Councilman Schmid observed that the original date was stated, and the amended date was listed further down in the body of the document.

Mayor Jones asked if he was okay with it.

Councilman Schmid replied that he was.

Councilman Jorgensen moved, and Councilman Overby seconded, to approve the Ordinance Amending Ordinance No.1838, which established the Selah Tourism Promotion Area, by setting a new date on which the special assessment shall go into effect. Roll was called: Council Member Overby – yes; Council Member Tierney – yes; Council Member Jorgensen – yes; Council Member Smeback – yes; Council Member Gawlik – yes; Council Member Schmid - yes. By voice vote, approval was unanimous.

- * 2. Ordinance Amending the 2011 Budget for Adjustments to Personnel Benefits
- * 3. Ordinance Amending the 2011 Budget for Miscellaneous Expenditures

O. Communications

1. Oral

Mayor Jones opened the Public Meeting. Seeing no one rise to speak, he then closed the Public Meeting.

P. Reports/Announcements

1. Mayor Jones

Mayor Jones said that he enjoyed seeing all the Cub Scouts at Wixson Park, noting that they are well-supervised. He went on to say that there is a new monument of Coach Carlon out at Carlon Park, and spoke briefly on Coach Carlon's dedication to his kids, collecting money and using his vacation time to take them to tournaments. He said that one of Coach Carlon's former players donated the monument, which matches the concession stand. He noted that there will be a thirty foot flagpole added, and that the dedication will probably be held the week of the State Tournament. He observed that there are a lot of weeds on the sidewalks, and that if you see a crazy guy with a weed sprayer driving around, that is him. He wished everyone a safe Fourth of July.

2. Council Members

Councilman Tierney said he will be picking up the monument prototype from the powder-coating outfit tomorrow, and will start putting the face on it. He went on to say that he will bring it into the next Council meeting, and will start contacting Veterans' groups and civic groups for support. He hoped to be underway soon with the first twenty-five to fifty monuments. He also commented that they need a big City map for reference.

Mayor Jones commented that it would be nice to have a big city map on the wall behind the judge's bench, once the Municipal Court is no longer sharing Council Chambers.

Councilman Tierney replied that a nice City map and some laser pointers would be useful when discussing development and changes.

Mayor Jones observed that there will be a lot more room once the bench is relocated.

Councilman Tierney wished everyone a good Fourth.

Councilman Jorgensen had no report.

Councilman Smeback remarked that there was some discussion at the last Fire Commissioners meeting regarding the road in front of Station 1, and that the asphalt was looking rough. He asked Fire Chief Davis if this was true and noted that there are extra funds available for repair.

Fire Chief Davis replied that the concrete in front of the station is in bad shape, and the sidewalks do not meet new standards. He affirmed that the asphalt is starting to buckle, partly from truck traffic and partly from the Fire trucks pulling in and out, and went on to say that he thought it was in the Public Works' Master Plan once funding becomes available.

Public Works Director Henne responded that the street does have the ability to get grant money for repair and maintenance. He went on to say that if the Council wished to spend funds from the local access money he could get the surface crack sealed, but typically they don't spend money on those types of streets.

Councilman Smeback asked if town with a lesser amount of traffic are eligible for grants.

Public Works Director Henne responded that Federal and State Grants are available for Collector and Arterial streets, such as Second and Third, and that the funds come from a half-cent gas tax and property taxes.

Councilman Smeback noted that there are many discussions about GYGSA and girls' fast pitch tournaments, but wondered if there was a good schedule of High School baseball and Legion tournaments coming in to town

Mayor Jones observed that both the Regional and State tournaments will be in Selah on July 5th.

Parks, Recreation and Tourism Director Hagler replied that he will provide a copy of the current schedule to the Council, and noted that the High School baseball and Legion tournaments draw crowds to Selah as well.

Councilman Smeback inquired if the Legion Field is where it needs to be, noting that a significant amount of money was expended to make sure that Carlon Park is up to standard.

Councilman Schmid replied that the lighting is their biggest concern, and that it would be nice to have someone contribute a half million dollars to relight the facility. He went on to say that the field is in good shape aside from the lighting.

Mayor Jones concurred, saying that the field is mowed twice a week and the Archers do a great job of dealing with their own dirt work.

Councilman Schmid responded that they do some dirt work as well, noting that they went out a couple weeks ago and redid the entire infield, rototilling and leveling where needed.

Councilman Smeback observed that with the possibility of the Yakima Bears leaving the valley, he feels the need to promote the activities involving High School baseball teams.

Councilman Schmid commented that welcome packets are given out to the teams at the Regional tournaments. He went on to say that there is a lot of time put into both the Woods and McGonagle ball fields, and that all three are used heavily.

Councilman Jorgensen complimented Councilman Schmid on the packets he has shown the Lodging Tax Advisory Committee, noting that they are great advertising for the local businesses.

Councilman Schmid replied that he makes the packets himself.

Councilman Smeback inquired how other cities deal with maintenance and repair of facilities; if it was done as an escrow fund or if funds were available for items such as replacing the lights.

City Supervisor Sweet responded that we have an amortization program, and there is some money available for lights.

Public Works Director Henne commented that there is \$140,000 currently in the fund, with a small amount added every year.

Mayor Jones observed that Public Works Director Henne recently purchased a new machine for various field tasks.

Councilman Schmid remarked that it is a field grooming machine and is designed to keep everything flat. He noted that they will say the machine was purchased for Carlon Park, when in reality it is used at all three facilities. He said that lighting is the only concern, and will need to be addressed in the next two to three years. He observed that Legion is starting to look at lighting when deciding who to award tournaments to and that it will be a concern in the near future.

Councilman Overby wished everyone a happy Fourth of July. He stated that River Ridge will be having their annual cancer tournament for North Star on July 28, 29 and 30. He noted that he and Mayor Jones golfed together in the tournament last year and had a great time. He went on to say that it is a 48 hour tournament this year, and the course will be lit for those who want to play all night long. He encouraged any golfers to get into the tournament, and asked Mayor Jones if he would be joining him again this year.

Mayor Jones responded that he will be there.

Councilman Tierney asked if there were enough people on the Council who are golfers.

Councilman Overby responded affirmatively.

Councilman Schmid said that GYGSA will be hosting the Washington State Amateur Softball Association 14U A & B on July 8-10 at both Carlon Park and Gateway. He observed that they have 53 teams signed up to date, including 7 teams from the Seattle metro area and 6 teams from the Vancouver area, and we will have the opportunity to show our facilities to teams who have not been to Selah before. He went on to say that there will be a barbeque on Thursday July 7th at 6 pm in Carlon Park to welcome the teams, and invited the Council to attend.

Councilman Tierney commented that we need more barbeques.

Councilman Schmid responded that everyone will have a good time, and it is an opportunity for the community to show what we have. He stated that Parks, Recreation and Tourism Director Hagler has promised him good weather with temperatures in the 70s. He wished everyone a safe Fourth of July.

Councilman Gawlik asked Councilman Overby if they should talk about the Transit meeting.

Councilman Overby replied that he wasn't sure what he meant to talk about.

Councilman Gawlik responded that he was referring to the GPS trackers.

Councilman Overby commented that there are now GPS trackers on the buses, and people can track the various buses in real time on their routes and find out where the bus is. He said that it is on the City's website.

Councilman Gawlik said that the survey conducted did not support a Route Ten shuttle to the Training Center, so it will not be happening at this time. He wished everyone a good Fourth of July.

3. Boards

4. Departmental

Clerk/Treasurer Novobielski said that he would be closing the books shortly on the first half of 2011, and presenting the reports to the Finance Committee for review.

Fire Chief Davis said that all four stations responded to a fire Saturday morning at an apartment complex on 612 South 1st Street. He stated that they were able to confine the damage to one second-story unit and out of the attic area. He went on to say that the Garners own the complex and came to view the damages. He noted that there were no fatalities. He commented that fireworks are on sale right now, and there has only been one fireworks-related fire so far this year in front of a house on Goodlander. He said that Yakima is currently fighting one ridge fire, and reminded everyone that fireworks are illegal within the City of Selah and the majority of Yakima County.

Public Works Director Henne observed that they are legal in Moxee, Grandview and a few other patriotic towns.

Fire Chief Davis commented that it is Granger, Grandview and...

City Supervisor Sweet suggested Naches.

Fire Chief Davis responded that he thought last year was the last for Naches.

Mayor Jones commented that many years ago, former Fire Chief Soden returned from fighting a fireworks-related fire only to find his house burned down from his neighbor's fireworks.

Fire Chief Davis observed that after that incident, he told the Fire Marshal to start getting rid of the fireworks. He went on to say that a school burned down in Prosser that year, as well as a warehouse in Yakima, and a lot of people got on the bandwagon to ban fireworks. He said that both law enforcement and the Fire Department will be out checking, and hoped for a quiet Fourth of July.

Police Chief Dwarshuis had no report, but wished everyone a safe Fourth of July.

Parks, Recreation & Tourism Director Hagler reported that the Wixson Pool is up and running and that it did not take much effort to get it going. He noted that the cool spring and early summer resulted in a lower attendance so far this season. He said that there is a Cub Scout day camp running at Wixson Park for three days, with about three hundred Scouts in attendance. He thanked the Council for approving the purchase of the basalt carvings, and noted that the Lodging Tax Advisory Committee is looking at ways to promote them to bring tourists in.

City Attorney Noe had no report.

City Supervisor Sweet thanked the Council for their approval of the basalt carvings' purchase. He mentioned the upcoming 53 team tournament the second weekend of July, noting that close to a

thousand kids will be playing in both Selah and Yakima. He commented that a reliable source informed him that the teams playing in Selah will primarily be ones who have not played in Selah before. He noted that any time we get to expose our facilities to a group like that, it's a positive for Selah. He wished everyone a safe Fourth of July.

Q. Executive Session

No Executive Session was held.

R. Adjournment

Council Member Schmid moved, and Council Member Overby seconded, that the meeting be adjourned. By voice vote, the motion passed unanimously.

The meeting adjourned at 4:48pm.



Robert L. Jones, Mayor

Paul Overby, Council Member

Kevin Jorgensen, Council Member

John Gawlik, Council Member

EXCUSED

Keith Larson, Council Member

John Tierney, Council Member

Dave Smeback, Council Member

Allen Schmid, Council Member

ATTEST:



Dale E. Novobielski, Clerk/Treasurer