

City of Selah
City Council Minutes
July 11, 2023
Study Session

Mayor Raymond called the study session to order at 4:30 p.m.

Members Present: Elizabeth Marquis, Roger Bell, Michael Costello, Russell Carlson, Jared Iverson, Kevin Wickenhagen, Clifford Peterson

Staff Present: Joe Henne, City Administrator; Rob Case, City Attorney; Daniel Christman, Chief of Police; James Lange, Fire Chief; Rocky Wallace, Public Works Director; Jeff Peters, Community Development Supervisor; and Treesa Morales, Executive Secretary.

City Administrator Joe Henne began the discussion by introducing the first topic: Palm Park Playground and dedication.

After summarizing the presentation recently made by community member, William Longmire, Mr. Henne notified council that he has a meeting with Mr. Longmire on Thursday to get details on his idea of the project. Mr. Henne reviewed a map provided to council during the meeting and pointed out areas where a playground would work and potential areas to avoid. Mr. Henne specifically stated that staff will strongly discourage building a destination park or a playground for children with disabilities. Mr. Henne explained that the location of this park is a neighborhood park, and there is not adequate room for parking or bathrooms, or room to build a destination playground. Staff will recommend a passive park intended for use by the neighborhood, and maybe build a covered gazebo with a BBQ pit and picnic tables. Mr. Henne said he would provide council with more information after his meeting with Mr. Longmire on Thursday.

Councilmember Costello asked if putting in a playground would require removing any trees? Mr. Henne said, yes, it could. Mr. Costello stated his concerns of community blowback for removing the trees. Mr. Henne pointed out a few places where the potential playground could go, which would require removing some trees.

Councilmember Peterson said he understands that Mr. Longmire wanted a playground, and to dedicate it to Emily Harris, but he didn't realize Mr. Longmire wanted a gazebo or to rename the entire park. Mr. Peterson stated that was more that he thought Mr. Longmire was asking for. Mr. Henne said he wasn't sure what Mr. Longmire was asking for, but he does know that Mr. Longmire intends to raise funds for the playground. Mr. Henne said he would find out more at his meeting with Mr. Longmire.

Both Mr. Henne and City Attorney Rob Case explained to council that their understanding is that Mr. Longmire wanted council to pass a resolution to dedicate the playground to Ms. Harris before going out to raise funds.

Councilmember Bell said he wasn't in favor of taking down any trees. Mr. Bell also stated the basketball court needs updating. Mr. Bell also said he wasn't in favor of putting the City in a position to argue about naming unless the City knows for sure if Mr. Longmire is requesting the resolution to include Emily Harris. Councilmember Carlson said Mr. Longmire sent an email outlining his request for the resolution. Mr. Bell said he didn't receive it. Mr. Henne agreed, said Mr. Longmire sent an email in support of naming the playground after Ms. Harris, and explained that Mr. Longmire said he could bring a member of the Harris family to a Council meeting. Mr. Bell mentioned he just didn't want to get into a position of naming issues like what happened with Volunteer Park. Mr. Henne said he understood.

Mayor Raymond asked Mr. Henne why is the park called Palm Park? Mr. Henne said he believes that back in the mid 60's the plat was prepared by someone with that name and dedicated the park and reservoir to that person. Mayor Raymond suggested that because of the Council should steer clear of changing the name of the park. Mr. Henne agreed, said the naming would be for just the playground. Councilmember Carlson said he believes that all Mr. Longmire is asking for.

City Attorney Case requested council provide direction to staff for what they want in the Resolution, such as guaranteeing naming rights if Mr. Longmire raised funds for the playground, or a certain amount for the playground. Mr. Case requested council to think about what they want to promise in advance. Councilmember Carlson said that no matter what is done, City Staff should have final approval, and that no blanket statement should be included in the resolution, and that the Mayor should have veto power.

Mr. Henne agreed, said the resolution will not provide a guarantee. Mr. Henne said he would find out what Mr. Longmire is asking for, how big of a playground he wants to build and where in the park he wants to put it. Mr. Henne said he understands what Council is wanting and what Council is prepared to let staff do.

Mr. Henne moved on to the second topic: Replacement for Clerk-Treasurer and City Administrator. Mr. Henne explained that he and Mr. Novobielski are both planning to retire by the end of the year. Mr. Henne stated that city staff put ads in the paper, on the city website, and on two webpages per the SAFE agreement. Mr. Henne stated the jobs were also advertised on the AWC web page, and that so far, City Staff has received one application for the Clerk/Treasurer position and two for the City Administrator position. Mr. Henne explained the first review of applications is on July 24th and that the plan is to have new staff in by the end of the year.

Councilmember Carlson asked Mr. Henne if staff considered hiring a head-hunting team? Mr. Henne said no. Mr. Carlson said the City has done so in the past. Mr. Henne stated the posting is not closing on July 24th, and he could get a cost estimate.

Seeing no other discussion on this topic, Mr. Henne moved on to the next topic: Update from Fire Department. Mr. Henne asked Chief Lange to give an update on his new 24-hour schedule.

Chief Lange gave details to the council of the new staffing levels and transition to a 24-hour coverage schedule. Chief Lange presented his concerns of having enough volunteers with the new schedule, but stated there actually has been more engagement by the volunteers than before. Chief Lange explained that with the new schedule, the department has not missed any calls, their response time is better, their volunteer turn-out is better, and there has been little to no negative feedback. Chief Lange also explained that each shift is required to do training from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. each day and volunteers are coming down to train and have dinner with the crew. Overall, Chief Lange said he has been extremely happy with the transition.

City Attorney Rob Case asked when the Deputy Chief's last day is. Chief Lange explained to the Council that DC Gillie has taken another job on the west side of the state and will be leaving Friday. Chief Lange explained the current recruiting and hiring plan to replace DC Gillie. Chief Lange then updated the council on the local ambulance contract, and stated he is hopefully the countywide ambulance will be in town soon to provide 24 hour coverage. Chief Lange said he was not sure, yet, if it would be basic or advance support, but he knows it will greatly reduce the response time for the crew.

Councilmember Carlson asked Chief Lange to explain the difference between basic life support ambulance and an advanced life support ambulance. Chief Lange explained that the basic life support crews give wound care, provide trauma response, and administer CPR. Whereas the advanced care crew can do all that plus administer drugs, like oxygen, and they can transport a patient.

Then, Mr. Henne asked Public Works Director, Rocky Wallace to give the Council an update on the public works projects. Mr. Wallace explained the current status of the Valleyview-3rd Street-Southern Ave project, explained the crew will be paving tomorrow. Mr. Wallace then explained all the areas staff provided noticed to the community and surrounding neighbors, and hoped they would be able to let traffic back in by end of day. Mr. Wallace also let council know of the \$50,000 cost savings because the project came in under the proposed timeline.

Councilmember Carlson asked where residents are to park while the road is closed during paving? Mr. Wallace listed various neighborhood streets close by where people could park.

Councilmember Peterson asked how long Mr. Wallace expected the street to be closed. Mr. Wallace explained they must wait on the ambient temperature, and once it reaches a certain level, the crew can hit it with water, but it's hard to reach the necessary temperature in this heat. Mr. Wallace said they will do density testing and hope to have it open by 6:00 or 7:00 p.m. Councilmember Carlson was glad to hear that the road wouldn't be closed for 24 hours or more. Mr. Wallace confirmed, no, it would be reopened the same day, they just want to make sure the asphalt is set.

Mr. Wallace then updated the Council on the Fremont Ave sewer/grind-and-overlay project and stated the project is going to be awarded to Selland Construction. Mr. Wallace stated the pre-construction meeting is tomorrow, and the goal is to have the project started and completed by the time school starts in the fall. Mr. Wallace said he spoke with the school superintendent

regarding traffic control, and worked with the school to use parking lots for staging and holding equipment.

Mr. Wallace also stated that well 6 is up and running with no issues. He also said well 5 repairs are in progress and was pumped today, and if they get the all clear, it will be ready to go tomorrow.

Mr. Wallace also addressed the Welcome to Selah Sign project. He said the contractor set the meter at the job site and plans to put conduit in soon and get the inspection done. Mr. Wallace said he hopes the project will be done in the next few weeks. Mayor Raymond asked about the trench. Mr. Wallace said yes, Cascade Sign is going to make sure the drip line is working and watering all the plants.

Mr. Wallace addressed the tennis courts, and said Public Works has received 60% plans, made comments, and provides requested changes to the schedule. Mr. Wallace said he is encouraging the repairs to be completed by the time school starts in the fall. Mr. Wallace also reminded Council they have to have the right temperature to lay the coating. Mr. Wallace also said he recently ordered 30 bulbs and ballasts, and currently there are 25 out. He told council they know of an electrician who would go up in the crane bucket to change the lights, and plans to have the project completed by October.

Councilmember Carlson asked if the poles had been tested. Mr. Wallace said the poles were originally installed in 1991, and they tested great and should be good for another 20-30 years. Mr. Wallace said he plans to cover the cost of the project with ARPA funds. Regarding the crack seal project, Mr. Wallace said the project bid for the crack seal project was opening next week.

Councilmember Bell asked Mr. Wallace if he had an estimated cost for the light project at Carlon park. Mr. Wallace said the estimation was around \$9,000 for the lights and ballasts, the electric would cost around \$4600 for electric. The crane costs \$200 per hour and Mr. Wallace estimates needing 32 hours of work, and the permit is \$150. Mr. Wallace also explained that he plans to repair 8 lights on the north tennis courts that are also out during this project.

Mr. Henne asked Mr. Wallace to provide input on the sidewalk projects. Mr. Wallace replied with details on the sidewalks between 1st and 2nd streets and Valleyview.

Councilmember Wickenhagen asked about the crack seal area. Mr. Wallace provided information on locations in town that are planned to have crack seal work. Councilmember Carlson asked if the crew who massively underbid last year was going to bid again. Mr. Wallace said he wasn't sure, but it would be nice if they did as it helps the projects greatly.

City Attorney Case asked Rocky to address the grass at Volunteer Park. Mr. Wallace explained that Naches Selah Irrigation has been fighting a battle with the elements due to all the rain and snow melt from the mountains, there is a lot of silt in the water that is being distributed. Therefore, Mr. Wallace explained, every sprinkler at volunteer park was plugged so the grass

was dying. Mr. Wallace told council how public works is working to fix the problem and repair the grass.

Mr. Henne then provided an update on the WCIA annual audit and explained that the reviewer was happy to see claims have gone down significantly. Mr. Henne said he anticipates receiving an estimate for cost to continue coverage next year soon. Mr. Case added that the City may be eligible to receive some money for repair costs to the wells. Mr. Case also stated that based on the conversation at the audit, the City has many things they need to change before next year regarding special events.

Mayor ended the study session at 5:18 p.m. and told council they would take an 8-minute break.

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Regular Meeting

- 1) **Call to Order:** Mayor Raymond called the meeting to order at 5:30 pm.
- 2) **Roll Call**
 - A. Members Present: Elizabeth Marquis, Roger Bell, Michael Costello, Russell Carlson, Jared Iverson, Clifford Peterson
 - B. Staff Present: Joe Henne, City Administrator; Rob Case, City Attorney; Daniel Christman, Police Chief; James Lange, Fire Chief; Rocky Wallace, Public Works Director; Dale Novobielski, City Clerk/Treasurer; Jeff Peters, Community Development Supervisor; Zack Schab, Recreation Director, and Treesa Morales, Human Resources Director.
- 3) **Registering in record of Councilmember absence(s) as excused absence(s), per SMC 1.06.070 - None**
- 4) **Pledge of Allegiance**
- 5) **Invocation with Bishop Taylor Hall, from the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints**
- 6) **Announcement of changes, if any, from previously-published agenda:**
- 7) **Getting to know local businesses, agencies and/or people**
- 8) **Comments from the public**
 - A. Pre-arranged oral comments – None
 - B. Reading of received written comments – None
 - C. Oral comments by people in attendance

Audience member Robert Archer approached the podium and gave extensive information on Legion Baseball in Selah and the baseball program at Carlon Park. Mr. Archer explained that baseball programs are excluding kids based on economical background and the sport is getting too expensive for kids to play. Mr. Archer stated that the Legion Baseball Program takes great pride in making sure they don't exclude any kid because of what they can afford, which is the way they have been running the program for 40 years. Mr. Archer said that usually a player and their family will have to pay \$3000 to \$6000 per season to play, whereas Legion Baseball only charges \$1500 per player.

The five-minute alarm sounded. Councilmember Bell moved to allow Mr. Archer to finish his presentation. Councilmember Carlson seconded. By voice vote, motion carries. Mayor Raymond asked Mr. Archer to continue.

Mr. Archer outlined the Legion annual budget of around \$100,000, which in order to cover all expenses, hotel, and travel for players and coaches, will still be pushing it, Mr. Archer explained. Mr. Archer addresses the question of the banners on the outfield fence saying they are not advertising banner, rather, they are sponsor banners as they come from former players, prior parents, or supporters from the community. Mr. Archer addressed Mr. Wallace's question regarding camp, to which Mr. Archer said they do not hold a camp anymore. Mr. Archer referenced the concession stand revenue, saying the group made \$4000 last year, but in prior years, they made no money. Mr. Archer also noted local financial and in-kind donations that have helped keep the facility in such great condition.

Mayor Raymond asked how many more years Mr. Archer plans to participate in the program. Mr. Archer said the kids keep him young, and he loves what he does.

Councilmember Bell stated he understood there was an original agreement that the baseball team would replace the lights when they went out, and asked what happened to that agreement when the city is not spending thousands of dollars to replace the lights? Mr. Archer said he wasn't sure, but there has been a number of City Administrators over the years and he tried to work through an agreement with David Kelly. Mr. Archer also noted that it was never a priority with the last City Administrator.

Councilmember Bell addressed the issue that the park and ball field is a public facility, but Legion Baseball has exclusive use, and how do the council members answer questions from the public when asked? Mr. Archer replied he was not sure how the council should address that question, but that when the season is ongoing, there isn't any time for another user with all the practices and tournaments, which brings many outside users to the facility.

Councilmember Bell asked how to answer to the public regarding the City's cost to repair the fence since the park is public property yet the City isn't taking a share of the revenue for the sponsor banners. Mr. Archer stated he believes the response is that the City and community members should feel good about the fact that the money for the signs is supporting youth in the community, and reminded council that the money spent was to construct a fence that could hold the banners to support the kids.

Councilmember Bell thanked Mr. Archer for answering the hard questions and explained that these are questions he hears from the community, but do not always have the answers to.

Councilmember Costello asked Mr. Archer if he had received any input from other teams as to things they would like to see in the community, other than another hotel or an RV park? Mr. Archer said he has heard positive things from visiting teams, and other than the RV park, he was not sure of any other requests.

9) **Proclamations/Announcements:** None

10) **Consent Agenda (all items listed with an asterisk (*) are considered part of the consent agenda and are enacted in one motion).**

Councilmember Carlson made a motion to remove Resolution 14-A from the consent agenda. Councilmember Bell moved to approve the Consent Agenda as amended. Councilmember Costello seconded. Mayor Raymond restated the motion and asked Council for discussion. Hearing none, Mayor Raymond called for Roll Call. Ms. Morales called roll: Councilmember Marquis – yes; Councilmember Bell – yes; Councilmember Costello – yes; Councilmember Carlson – yes; Councilmember Iverson – yes; Councilmember Wickenhagen – yes; Councilmember Peterson – yes. Motion carries.

Ms. Morales read the Consent Agenda:

- A. Tresa Morales Approval of Minutes: June 13, 2023 Council Meeting
- B. Dale Novobielski Approval of Claims and Payroll:
Payroll Checks No. 85611-85712 for a total of \$946,946.18
Claim Checks No. 180015-180224 for a total of \$1,763,081.58
- 14-B Rocky Wallace Resolution Declaring the Wastewater Collection System Improvements Project as Complete and Accepting the Work and Materials

11) **Public Hearings - None**

12) **General Business**

- A. **New Business: None**
- B. **Old Business: None**

13) **Resolutions**

A. Resolution Authorizing the Mayor to Sign a Two-Page Transportation Improvement Board Updated Cost Estimate, for the Fremont Avenue Overlay Project

Introduced by Mayor Raymond and presented by Mr. Wallace, who explained that the opening bids came in higher than expected, so the City's final match after receiving more funds from TIB was \$41,500. After presentation,

Councilmember Wickenhagen moved to approve the Resolution as presented. Councilmember Carlson seconded. Mayor Raymond restated the motion and asked Council for discussion.

Hearing none, Mayor Raymond called for Roll Call. Ms. Morales called roll: Councilmember Marquis – yes; Councilmember Bell – yes; Councilmember Costello – yes; Councilmember Carlson – yes; Councilmember Iverson – yes; Councilmember Wickenhagen – yes; Councilmember Peterson – yes. Motion carries.

B. Resolution Amending Resolution No. 3027 for Additional Funding for the City’s Emergency Water Well #5 Project

Introduced by Mayor Raymond and presented by Mr. Wallace who explained that some additional maintenance would be needed before putting the new pump in and additional funding is needed to do so. After presentation,

Councilmember Costello moved to approve the Resolution as presented. Councilmember Peterson seconded. Mayor Raymond restated the motion and asked Council for discussion. Hearing none, Mayor Raymond called for Roll Call. Ms. Morales called roll: Councilmember Marquis – yes; Councilmember Bell – yes; Councilmember Costello – yes; Councilmember Carlson – yes; Councilmember Iverson – yes; Councilmember Wickenhagen – yes; Councilmember Peterson – yes. Motion carries.

C. Resolution Authorizing the Mayor to Sign a Contract with Selland Construction, Inc., Related to the City’s Fremont Avenue Sewer and Resurfacing Project

Introduced by Mayor Raymond and presented by Mr. Wallace. After presentation,

Councilmember Carlson moved to approve the Resolution as presented. Councilmember Wickenhagen seconded. Mayor Raymond restated the motion and asked Council for discussion. Hearing none, Mayor Raymond called for Roll Call. Ms. Morales called roll: Councilmember Marquis – yes; Councilmember Bell – yes; Councilmember Costello – yes; Councilmember Carlson – yes; Councilmember Iverson – yes; Councilmember Wickenhagen – yes; Councilmember Peterson – yes. Motion carries.

D. Resolution Directing City Staff to Publish an Underlying Proposed Resolution in the City’s Designated Official Newspaper as Notice of the City’s Intent to Grant a Nonexclusive Franchise for Small Cell Wireless Facilities to Yakima MSA Limited Partnership on July 25, 2023

Introduced by Mayor Raymond. Presented by City Attorney Rob Case. After presentation

Councilmember Bell moved to approve the Resolution as presented. Councilmember Peterson seconded. Mayor Raymond restated the motion and asked Council for discussion.

Councilmember Wickenhagen asked if there was even an option to not allow the franchise? Mr. Case explained that technically yes, they could, but it would probably end up in court. After reading the FCC’s ruling, Mr. Case advised the council to approve the resolution.

Councilmember Carlson asked if that included allowing them to use the City owned property such as telephone poles? Mr. Case replied, yes, he believes that is what is required since a franchise is a “right to use what the City owns.” Mr. Carlson asked what other companies currently provide small cell wireless. Mr. Case said he was not sure. Community Planner Jeff Peters provided his understanding of small cell technology. Councilmember Iverson asked if the installation would include repeaters? Mr. Wallace joined the conversation and said yes, repeaters would be used. Mr. Peters stood again to provide input and explain to council that per the ordinances and rules and regulations, the City should accept the franchise, they can include terms and costs, but they should not deny. Councilmember Costello asked Mr. Case if the City could fall into legal issue by taking the first company to come and not opening it up to others? Mr. Case said there is no exclusive franchise and other companies are welcome to come in too.

Councilmember Carlson asked if there was any way to avoid this? Mr. Henne said no, the City can require access, but cannot hinder. Mr. Case agreed, said as Mr. Peters pointed out, the City did not adopt an ordinance regarding this so the contract is only able to do so much and other providers might come in, but this is all about interstate commerce and equality. Discussion continued.

Hearing no further discussion, Mayor Raymond called for Roll Call. Ms. Morales called roll: Councilmember Marquis – yes; Councilmember Bell – yes; Councilmember Costello – yes; Councilmember Carlson – yes; Councilmember Iverson – yes; Councilmember Wickenhagen – yes; Councilmember Peterson – yes. Motion carries.

14. Ordinances

A. Ordinance Enacting New Chapter 3.05, “Compost Procurement”, of the Selah Municipal Code; Providing for Severability; Allowing for Corrections; and Establishing an Effective Date

Introduced by Mayor Raymond and presented by Mr. Wallace. After presentation,

Councilmember Wickenhagen moved to approve the Ordinance as presented. Councilmember Costello seconded. Mayor Raymond restated the motion and asked Council for discussion.

Councilmember Carlson stated he understood there is no immediate financial outlay listed but asked if there could be so in the future? Mr. Wallace replied, yes, the City may have to purchase compost for a project in the future. Mr. Carlson asked if it would cost more to purchase because of this ordinance? Mr. Wallace said the way this Ordinance is written, no, but he will have to look when necessary and every two years he will need to provide a report.

Mr. Carlson expressed his concern over growing costs because of a government mandate. Mr. Case said he reviewed similar ordinances from Toppenish and Yakima County and tried to build in as much wiggle room as necessary.

Hearing no further discussion, Mayor Raymond called for Roll Call. Executive Secretary Morales called roll: Councilmember Marquis – yes; Councilmember Bell – yes; Councilmember Costello – yes; Councilmember Carlson – yes; Councilmember Iverson – yes; Councilmember Wickenhagen – absent; Councilmember Peterson – yes. Motion carries.

15. Reports/Announcements

A. Departments

- Police Department – Chief Christman reported that the two officers at the academy are doing well and he is receiving good reports from their TAC officers. Chief explained that there is a Civil Service meeting on Thursday to discuss holding the Sergeants test in house or hiring Public Safety Testing to do it, which can be expensive. Chief also stated that the installation on the Flock Cameras has somewhat stalled but he’s not sure why, and hopefully by the end of the week he would have more information. Mr. Peters said he has not had any contact with anyone from Flock regarding the cameras. Chief reported that the department had a representative from LEIRA come to the office and provide feedback on records management as they work towards a paperless department. And, Chief stated that retail theft is three times higher this year than the same time last year.
- Parks and Recreation – Zack Schab gave an update on Hot Rods on First Street, stating the show was smaller than projected, perhaps because there was a car show in Ellensburg at the same time. Mr. Schab updated the council on the youth football camp, and afterschool program., stating both wanted to continue through next year.
- Planning – Jeff Peters gave a department update including the work on the Housing Action Plan. Mr. Peters also said construction work is starting on the previously titled “Selah Travel Trailer” lot, that Starbucks and other business are interested in moving into the new development. Mr. Peters said he met with a developer for building on Crusher Canyon who is looking to bring more housing now that there is a sewer close by.
- Public Works – Rocky Wallace said he already gave his department update during the study session.
- Finance – Mr. Novobielski updated the council on the water sales, which were down early in the year, but have recently seen a 30% increase. Mr. Novobielski gave an update on taxes, stating that sale dipped in June compared to last year but that the city is still on target for the budgeted amount.

a. Councilmembers

Councilmember Bell provided feedback on his recent attendance at the AWC Annual Conference, stating that housing is a hot topic with few answers. Mr. Bell also said that many of the state funding booths said they have plenty of funds to spend and Cities should be talking to them. Finally, Mr. Bell said the Dolphins swim team purchased a new timing system with LTAC funds and it has been working exceptionally well.

Councilmember Costello also provided his feedback on his attendance at the AWC Annual Conference saying he was proud of everything Selah is doing and that we are far ahead of the game. Mr. Costello also gave a quick briefing of the 4th of July event, saying it was great to see the community come out and support the event.

Councilmember Carlson commented on the SDA 4th of July event as well, said the SDA made about \$6000 gross from sales during the event and thanked the police department and public works department for their help. Mr. Carlson also said that the SDA is still working on the public art installation at the Post Office.

b. **City Attorney** – no report

c. **City Administrator** – Mr. Henne said contacted the Janitorial service and said the adjusted proposal to reflect two times per week brought the overall price down, and the contract is being reviewed by the City Attorney.

d. **Mayor Raymond** gave a 5-minute break and told council to be back at 7:07pm.

16. Executive Session: RCW 42.30.110(1)(b) – regarding the acquisition of real estate.

7:10 pm: Executive session began. Mayor Raymond said they would return to the record at 7:25pm.

7:25pm: Mayor Raymond said they were back on the record, and that no decisions were made, no votes were taken. Mayor Raymond said the council wanted more time and would take another 20 minutes in session.

7:45 pm: Executive ended. Mayor Raymond said they were back on the record, and that no decisions were made, no votes were taken

7:45 pm: Closed session RE: RCW 42.30.140(4)(b) – Regarding collective bargaining negotiations started. Mayor requested 15 minutes for closed session.

8:00 pm: Closed session ended. Mayor Raymond said they were back on the record, and that no decisions were made, no votes were taken.

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17. Adjournment

Councilmember Carlson moved to adjourn the meeting. Councilmember Iverson seconded. Mayor Raymond asked for all those in favor, say "Aye." By voice vote, motion was unanimous.

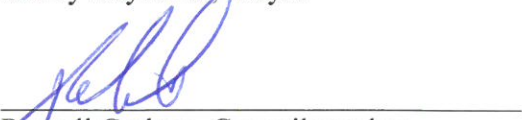
The meeting adjourned at 8:00 p.m.



Sherry Raymond, Mayor



Roger Bell, Councilmember



Russell Carlson, Councilmember

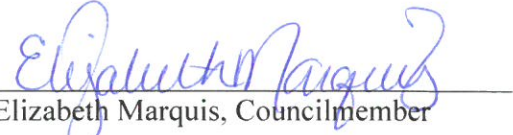
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Clifford Peterson, Councilmember



Elizabeth Marquis, Councilmember



Michael Costello, Councilmember

ATTEST:

Dale E. Novobielski, Clerk/Treasurer