

MINUTES
CITY OF FAIRVIEW
CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING

March 7, 2007 – 6:30 PM

1. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Mike Weatherby called the meeting to order at 6:30 PM.

2. ROLL CALL

PRESENT: Mayor Mike Weatherby
Council President Larry Cooper
Councilor Steve Owen
Councilor Barbara Jones
Councilor Ken Quinby
Councilor Lisa Barton Mullins

STAFF: Joseph Gall, City Administrator
Bob Cochran, Public Works Director
Laura Zentner, Finance Director
Ken Johnson, Police Chief
John Gessner, Community Development Director
Julia Bulfin, Executive Assistant

ABSENT: Councilor Jim Raze

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Mayor Mike Weatherby led the Pledge of Allegiance.

3. CITIZENS WISHING TO SPEAK ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS

As there were no citizens wishing to speak, the meeting proceeded.

4. PRESENTATIONS (NONE)

5. CITY ADMINISTRATOR/DEPARTMENT DIRECTORS REPORTS

City Administrator Joseph Gall reported to the Council that the Chili on the Green Planning Committee has begun meeting. The festival will be on September 15th. Mr. Gall advised the Council that at the following meeting there will be a presentation for movies in parks this summer.

Finance Director Laura Zentner reported on the budget process and outlined noteworthy dates.

Public Works Director Bob Cochran reported on the Public Works retreat that was held on February 8th and 9th. The entire Public Works department attended and the retreat was a success. Mr. Cochran reported that he will be giving a presentation to the

Pacific Northwest section of the American Water Works Association at their annual conference in Kennewick, Washington.

Police Chief Ken Johnson reported on the improved training program that the Police Department has been pursuing.

- 6. CONSENT AGENDA (NONE)
- 7. PUBLIC HEARINGS (NONE)
- 8. COUNCIL BUSINESS

A. APPOINTMENT OF NEW BUDGET COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Councilor Cooper moved and Councilor Jones seconded the motion to appoint Roger Vonderharr, Nancy Murdick and John McGiffin to the Budget Committee.

AYES: 6
NOES: 0
ABSTAINED: 0

B. APPOINTMENT OF NEW PLANNING COMMISSION MEMBERS

Councilor Owen moved and Councilor Jones seconded the motion to appoint Keith Kudrna and John McGiffin to the Planning Commission.

AYES: 6
NOES: 0
ABSTAINED: 0

9. MAYOR/COMMITTEE REPORTS AND COUNCIL COMMENTS

Councilor Jones made a call to the public for volunteers for the Chili on the Green festival on September 15th.

Councilor Cooper reported on the Fire Advisory Board and the improving dialogue that has taken place. Councilor Cooper also reported on the recent East County Transportation Committee meeting. The funds for the 223rd underpass construction have been approved by JPACT and now need to be passed by Metro.

Councilor Quinby reported that he attended an informal East County Councilors meeting and they are moving toward bringing a Hazmat truck to a future 4 Cities Meeting.

Councilor Barton Mullins noted that she attended the open house at the community center and encouraged citizens to use it. Councilor Barton Mullins reported that she attended the Parks Committee meeting and folks seem very excited about the Centennial celebration. The planning has begun and there are lots of great ideas.

Mayor Weatherby asked the Council if there were any qualms with the City of Damascus participating in the 4 Cities Meetings,

making it a 5 Cities Meeting. The consensus of the Council was to welcome Damascus to participate.

10. ADJOURNMENT

Mayor Weatherby adjourned the meeting at 7:15pm.

Mike Weatherby
Mayor

Joseph Gall
City Recorder

Date of Signing