

**EUREKA CITY COUNCIL
WORK MEETING
JUNE 5, 2023 7:00 P.M.**

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Mayor Dever opened the meeting and led everyone in the Pledge of Allegiance.

ROLL CALL

Mayor Chris Dever – Present

Council Member Greg Evans – Present

Council Member Travis Haynes – Present

Council Member Tom Nedreberg – Present via Zoom

Council Member Jeremy Snell – Present

Council Member Robert Trepanier – Present

City Recorder Patricia Bigler – Present

City Attorney Melissa Mellor – Absent She had Cherilyn Egner attend via Zoom.

OTHERS IN ATTENDANCE

Steve Child, HeatherAnn Zufelt

DISCUSSION ITEMS

Review of Noise Ordinance Amendments

Mayor Dever sent the changes to Attorney Mellor. She was not at the meeting to give an update.

Discussion on Planning Commission

Council Member Nedreberg said they did not have a meeting even though there is work that needs to be done. We need to get new members and then have training as to what the Planning Commission does. Recorder Bigler mentioned there are still ads out for the Planning Commission. They are posted on our website, in the office, and at the post office. She will put a blast on Facebook tomorrow. She said we no longer have members for the Board of Adjustments and has an ad out for them as well.

Eureka Drainage Improvements – Change in Scope of Work

Mayor Dever said former Mayor Nick Castleton started the process with JUB. After the recent flood issues, we decided to change the scope of work to focus on the gulch. In the meeting with JUB the discussion focused on running a pipeline up Highway 6 to tie in with the one by the school and improve some of the drainage on the North and South sides. There will be a Eureka match when it comes to the funding. Council Member Evans said his understanding of the project is that it will be done in phases. This should help when it comes to budgeting the money. He believes the match will be 90/10. Recorder Bigler mentioned we received another invitation to the meeting today, but it was after it started. Mayor Dever said he will contact them to see what the meeting was about.

Available Transportation Funding

Recorder Bigler said we received a call from a Representative from Jones and DeMille Engineering about funding available from UDOT. He will be at next Monday's meeting to talk

about a transportation plan. Council Member Snell asked if UDOT still has sidewalk grants. Council Member Haynes said yes.

Discussion concerning combining the Dump Attendant, Crossing Guard and Janitor Positions into one Part Time Position

The Council thought it was a good idea to combine these positions. Council Member Snell felt the wages needed to be addressed too. Council Member Haynes said maybe during the summer we could have the dump open on a weekday. Also, in the summer they could help the city maintenance workers. The Council agreed on \$15.00 an hour. Recorder Bigler said we are having issues with the used oil container. People have abused it since there has not been an attendant at the dump. When we started taking used oil it didn't cost the city anything, but in the last couple of years we have been charged a fee to have it removed. Mayor Dever feels because of the issues we have had recently and the fee we pay it would be a good time to get rid of it. We will get a hold of the person who put in for the dump attendant job and let him know about this new position.

Review of Budget Amendments for Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2023, and Budget for Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2024

The Council went over the budget revenues. Council Member Haynes would like to do a project and redo Beck St. There was a discussion on the different project Council Member Haynes may want to do. Mayor Dever wants to wait on doing big projects until we see what FEMA is going to do. Council Member Haynes said he has looked into getting a broom truck. The one he was looking at is between \$12,000 to \$15,000. Council Member Snell felt that \$53,000 was not enough money to do the projects Council Member Haynes has in mind. Mayor Dever would like to have Council Member Haynes work up a scope of work on the roads along with a list of priorities. Recorder Bigler mentioned there is an Emergency Management Meeting in Nephi on Wednesday, June 7th at noon. They will be discussing the flood issues and what funding is available. There will be a public hearing for the budget on Monday before the Council Meeting. The Mayor told the Council we are having mold issues in this building. He bought some mold killer and will have Darrin and Joe work on getting rid of it. He has been working with Juab Title concerning the property the caboose sits on. The Ride to Light up Eureka will be this weekend. He spoke to the gentleman about getting at least one of the chlorinators running. The State is aware of what is going on. The Mayor asked if the Council had any comments or anything they needed to mention. Council Member Snell asked about the IWORQ software. He would like to include this item on the agenda for approval on Monday. Council Member Evans commented he also had them do a demo of the public works side. Council Member Snell would like to have more money put in the Police/Law Enforcement section of the budget. There was a discussion on law enforcement. There was also a discussion on the property purchases that will be on the agenda for Monday.

ADJOURNMENT

Council Member Nedreberg made a motion to adjourn. Council Member Haynes seconded. All in favor meeting adjourned.