



MINUTES
Springville City Council Work/Study Meeting - SEPTEMBER 08, 2020

MINUTES OF THE WORK/STUDY MEETING OF THE SPRINGVILLE CITY COUNCIL HELD ON TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 08, 2020 AT 5:30 P.M. AT THE CIVIC CENTER, 110 SOUTH MAIN STREET, SPRINGVILLE, UTAH.

Presiding and Conducting: Mayor Richard J. Child

Elected Officials in Attendance: Liz Crandall Arrived at 5:35 p.m.
Craig Jensen
Patrick Monney
Matt Packard
Mike Snelson

City Staff in Attendance: City Administrator Troy Fitzgerald, Assistant City Administrator/City Attorney John Penrod, Assistant City Administrator/Finance Director Bruce Riddle, City Recorder Kim Crane, Building and Grounds Director Bradley Neel, Community Development Director Josh Yost, Recreation Director Corey Merideth, Golf Pro Craig Norman, Public Safety Director Craig Martinez, Public Works Director Brad Stapley, Operations Manager Rod Oldroyd, Library Director Dan Mickelson, and Museum of Art Director Rita Wright.

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Child welcomed everyone and called the Work/Study meeting to order at 5:30 PM.

Mayor Child asked if the Chamber of Commerce was going to do the downtown Halloween trick or treat walk. Councilmember Snelson said he would report back once he confirmed it with the Chamber of Commerce.

Administrator Fitzgerald and Public Safety Director Martinez reported on the Ether Hollow fire between Mapleton and Springville. Evacuations were implemented for all of Hobbie Creek Canyon right and left forks, Grindstone, The Meadows in Springville, Quiet Meadow Lane in Mapleton, and along 1600 East in Mapleton. The fire was fast-moving and overtook the mountain. Rain fell overnight and helped tremendously. Evacuees' were allowed to go back home today at noon on standby for evacuation if necessary.

COUNCIL BUSINESS

1. Calendar

- Sep 14 - Council Strategy Meeting 5:30 p.m.
- Sep 15 - Work/Study Meeting 5:30 p.m., Regular Meeting 7:00 p.m.
- Sep 23-25 - ULCT Annual Conference (virtual)
- Oct 06- Work/Study Meeting 5:30 p.m., Regular Meeting 7:00 p.m.

Mayor Child reviewed the calendar.

2. DISCUSSION AND PRESENTATIONS

a) Envision Utah Presentation

Ryan Beck with Envision Utah presented on their project Valley Visioning they work in association with various Utah County chambers of commerce. While 11,000 participated in the survey, the group's priorities were housing, transportation, education, and growth. A by-pass route to the west of Utah Lake for transportation had been suggested in the survey groups. Their valley visioning document should be released in early October.

Councilmember Jensen commented they are working with MAG (Mountainland Association of Governments) regarding transportation. Councilmember Snelson added currently public roads and traffic are not working, new roads are needed. Ryan stated to help with traffic, they are looking into light rail and noted transportation funding was always five years behind. They hoped to receive more funding and recognition from the legislature.

Administrator Fitzgerald asked what the chambers of commerce interests were in driving so much cost to their member businesses, both directly and indirectly like upgrading fleets and maintaining the level of service through taxation. Ryan replied the Chambers are dealing with, what everyone is, with population growth, while not necessarily wanting to pass it on to businesses.

Administrator Fitzgerald cautioned the visioning was done in absence of cost, citizens were not interested in some of the proposed costs and ample discussion is necessary as businesses and the community are not supportive. Ryan explained they try to present both sides and the tradeoffs.

Councilmember Monney stated the conversation needed to start somewhere. With the associated costs, citizens need to be asked what they are willing to pay and how it would be broken down so citizens know what is entailed for them and businesses, where costs will trickle down to citizens.

3. MAYOR AND COUNCIL ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS

a) Discussion with Department Directors

Director Merideth reported staff was getting ready to roll out new passes for the Clyde Recreation Center.

Director Stapley reported Public Works had the snowplows ready.

Director Mickelson stated the library had implemented more amenities by extending hours and adding a few more chairs, they will monitor the situation should they need to scale back.

b) Mayor and Council Reports

Councilmember Snelson asked about the protocol for texting back when they receive a group text or email. Attorney Penrod explained not to reply as a group or reply all.

Councilmember Monney expressed his thankfulness for public safety, fire, and those involved with taking care of the Ether Hollow fire.

4. ADJOURNMENT/TOUR

The Springville City Council adjourned the work session meeting to participate in a tour of the Springville Police Department.

COUNCILMEMBER MONNEY MOVED TO ADJOURN THE WORK/STUDY MEETING OF THE SPRINGVILLE CITY COUNCIL AT 6:25 P.M.

COUNCILMEMBER PACKARD SECONDED THE MOTION, ALL VOTED AYE.

5. CLOSED SESSION

The Springville City Council may temporarily recess the regular meeting and convene in a closed session to discuss the character, professional competence, or physical or mental health of an individual, pending or reasonably imminent litigation, and the purchase, exchange, or lease of real property, as provided by Utah Code Annotated Section 52-4-205

There was none.

This document constitutes the official minutes for the Springville City Council Work/Study meeting held on Tuesday, September 08, 2020.

I, Kim Crane, do hereby certify that I am the duly appointed, qualified, and acting City Recorder for Springville City, of Utah County, State of Utah. I do hereby certify that the foregoing minutes represent a true and accurate, and complete record of this meeting held on Tuesday, September 08, 2020.

DATE APPROVED: October 06, 2020



Kim Crane, CMC
City Recorder

