

**MINUTES
CITY OF FALLON
55 West Williams Ave
Fallon, Nevada
February 6, 2024**

The Honorable City Council met in a regular meeting on the above date in the Council Chambers, 55 West Williams Avenue, Fallon, Nevada.

Present:

Mayor Ken Tedford
Councilwoman Kelly Frost
Councilwoman Karla Kent
Councilman Paul Harmon
City Attorney Mike Mackedon
Chief Ron Wenger
Captain John Riley
Captain Daniel Babiarz
City Clerk Treasurer Sean Richardson
Deputy City Clerk Elsie Lee
Deputy City Clerk Michael O'Neill
Public Works Director Brian Byrd
Deputy Public Works Marco Guerrero
Engineer Derek Zimney
Director of Tourism Jane Moon

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Tedford at 9:00 a.m.

Mayor Tedford led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Mayor Tedford inquired if the agenda had been posted in compliance with NRS requirements.

City Clerk Treasurer Sean Richardson advised that the agenda was posted in compliance with the NRS requirements.

Public Comments

Mayor Tedford inquired if there were any public comments. He noted that comments are to be general in nature, not relative to any agenda items. No action may be taken on a matter raised under this item until the matter has been specifically included on an agenda as an item upon which action will be taken.

Geoff Knell of 261 Serpa Place greeted the Council.

- Made comments regarding an incident on December 22nd involving a Temporary Protective Order (TPO).

Mayor Tedford inquired if there were any further comments.

No further comments were noted.

Consideration and possible approval of Council Meeting Minutes for December 19, 2023, and December 28, 2023.

Councilman Harmon motioned to approve the Council Meeting Minutes for December 19, 2023, and December 28, 2023, with no additions or corrections; seconded by Councilwoman Frost and approved with a 3-0 vote by the Council.

Approval of Warrants

- A) Accounts Payable
- B) Payroll
- C) Customer Deposit

Councilwoman Kent motioned to approve the accounts payable, payroll and customer deposit warrants; seconded by Councilman Harmon and approved with a 3-0 vote by the Council.

Fallon Police Department Monthly Report for December 2023.

Captain Daniel Babiarz presented the December monthly report. The report will compare the 2023 crime, traffic stops, and traffic accident statistics to December 2022. Total calls-for-service this month were 708 total calls-for-service.

- Crime Summary: 5 total Domestic Batteries; 3 Battery; 8 Disorderly Conducts.
- Theft Calls: 11 total thefts for various items.
- Arrest Summary: 48 total arrests.
- Moving Citations/Traffic Warnings: 102 traffic stops were made; 21 issuing citations.
- Public Property Accidents: 15 total accidents.
- Animal Shelter Services: Total 111; Churchill County – 61; City – 50.
- Volunteers in Police Services: Contributed 83 hours.
- Various training courses were provided to sworn-in and non-sworn-in officers.
- 0 requests were made through the Citizen Assistance Program.
- Police officers participated in several various public relations events.
- Citizen Surveys were mostly positive and one dissatisfied. The dissatisfied comment was reviewed, and it was determined that the dispatcher did interrupt the caller to obtain important information to ensure a safe response of officers and did not appear that the dispatcher was being rude during the call.

Mayor Tedford inquired if there were any comments or questions.

No comments were noted.

Public Comments

Mayor Tedford inquired if there were any public comments.

Geoff Knell of 261 Serpa Place greeted the Council.

- Made comments regarding the fruits of the spirits.
- Made comments regarding satanists.
- Referred to Ephesians 5:11

Mayor Tedford inquired if there were any further comments.

No further comments were noted.

Council and Staff Reports

Mayor Tedford inquired if there were any Council or staff reports.
No reports were noted.

Executive Session

Mayor Tedford tabled the executive session, as it was not needed at this time.

Adjournment

There being no further business to come before the Council, Mayor Tedford adjourned the meeting at 9:10 a.m.



Mayor Tedford

Attest: 

Sean C. Richardson, City Clerk-Treasurer