

Livingston City Commission Minutes September 06, 2022

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1. Call to Order

2. Roll Call

In attendance: Chair Melissa Nootz, Vice-Chair Karrie Kahle, Commissioner Mel Friedman, Commissioner Quentin Schwarz, and Commissioner Torrey Lyons. Staff in attendance: Interim City Manager Lisa Lowy, City Attorney Courtney Lawellin, Interim Fire Chief Ron Lindroth and Recording Secretary Faith Kinnick.

3. Public Comment 5:33 p.m.

Individuals are reminded that public comments should be limited to item over which the City Commission has supervision, control jurisdiction, or advisory power (MCA 2-3-202)

- Patricia Grabow gave public comment
- 4. Consent Items 5:38 p.m.
 - A. APPROVE MINUTES FROM THE AUGUST 23, 2022, REGULAR CITY COMMISSION MEETING.
 - B. RATIFY CLAIMS PAID 08/09/2022-08/30/2022.
 - Nootz like to pull consent item A, motion by Nootz to pass consent item B, second by Schwarz
 All in favor, passes
 - Schwarz motioned to approve consent item A, second by Friedman All in favor passes 4-0, Nootz abstain
- 5. Proclamations 5:42 p.m.
 - A. RECOGNIZING NATIONAL SUICIDE PREVENTION WEEK AS SEPTEMBER 4-10, 2022, AND THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER AS SUICIDE PREVENTION MONTH.
 - Lyons made comments
 - Kahle made comments
- 6. Scheduled Public Comment

7. Public Hearings 5:46 p.m.

Individuals are reminded that testimony at a public hearing should be relevant, material, and not repetitious. (MCA 7-1-4131 and Livingston City Code Section 2-21)

- A. ORDINANCE NO. 3038: AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF LIVINGSTON, MONTANA, AMENDING CHAPTER 11 OF THE LIVINGSTON MUNICIPAL CODE ENTITLED FIRE PROTECTION AND PREVENTION REMOVING LANGUAGE REDUNDANT WITH STATE STATUTE AND REMOVING LANGUAGE REGARDING THE LIFE SAFETY CODE, AND RENUMBERING THE SECTIONS INTO A MORE RECOGNIZABLE ORDER.
 - Lowy gave opening statements
 - Patricia Grabow made public comment
 - Nootz made comments
 - Ron Lindroth made comments
 - Lawellin made additional comments
 - Lyons motioned to approve Ord. No. 3038 with the copy edits suggested by Chair Nootz, seconded by Schwarz.
 All in favor, passes 5-0
- 8. Ordinances
- 9. Resolutions
- 10. Action Items (Pushed for consideration during the 9/20 meeting)
 - A. DISCUSS/APPROVE/DENY: APPROVE PAYMENT OF INVOICE FROM URGIN ALEXANDER ZADICK P.C. FOR \$12,093.04, FOR SERVICES OF OUTSIDE COUNSEL FOR THE CITY COMMISSION, EXCEEDING THE COMMISSION PROFESSIONAL SERVICES BUDGET FOR FY21-22.
- 11. City Manager Comment 5:57 p.m.
- 12. City Commission Comments 6:00 p.m.
 - Lyons-
 - Schwarz-
 - Friedman-
 - Nootz-
- 13. Adjournment 6:06 p.m.