

**CITY OF LAKE FOREST PARK
COUNCIL COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE MEETING NOTES
October 23, 2023
6:00 PM**

It is noted this meeting was held in person in the City Council Chambers and remotely via Zoom.

Councilmembers present: Tom French, Deputy Mayor; Lori Bodi, Tracy Furutani (via Zoom), Larry Goldman, John Lebo, Semra Riddle

Councilmember absent: Phillippa Kassover

Staff present: Phillip Hill, City Administrator; Mike Harden, Police Chief; Lindsey Vaughn, Finance Director; Jeff Perrigo, Public Works Director; Matt McLean, City Clerk

Others present: no visitors

CALL TO ORDER

Deputy Mayor French called the October 23, 2023 Committee of the Whole meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Citizen Comments

There was no one in the audience.

Deliberations and Recommendations for the Mayor's Proposed Mid-Biennial Budget Adjustment for 2023-2024

Finance Director Vaughn presented the Mayor's proposed mid-biennial budget adjustment and responded to Council questions.

Council discussion followed.

Council Letter to Sound Transit

Cmbr. Bodi reviewed recent engagement efforts by Sound Transit and a draft letter to Sound Transit she prepared for Council consideration and potential action at the upcoming regular meeting.

Letter to Sound Transit CEO Julie Timm Requesting Support for Lowering the Speed Limit on SR 522 to 35 mph

Deputy Mayor French reviewed a letter to Sound Transit CEO Julie Timm requesting lowering of the speed limit on SR 522 from 40 to 35 mph.

Council discussion followed.

Proposed Surplus Real Property Ordinance

Cmbr. Goldman introduced text of a draft ordinance that would add LFPMC Chapter 18.74 regarding Sale, Disposition or Lease of Surplus Real Property for Affordable Housing.

Brief discussion followed.

Potential Red-Light Camera Installation at the Intersection of NE 153rd Street and Bothell Way

Deputy Mayor French introduced the topic. Brief discussion followed.

Sound Cities Association Regional Boards and Committees

Cmbr. Goldman read a list of openings on the Sound Cities Association regional boards and committees and asked councilmembers to note their interest in any positions.

Adjournment

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 7:00 p.m.

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Tom French, Deputy Mayor

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Matt McLean, City Clerk