

# CITY OF NORMAN, OK CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING

Municipal Building, Council Chambers, 201 West Gray, Norman, OK 73069 Tuesday, December 12, 2023 at 6:30 PM

# **MINUTES**

# CITY COUNCIL, NORMAN UTILITIES AUTHORITY, NORMAN MUNICIPAL AUTHORITY, AND NORMAN TAX INCREMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY

The City Council of the City of Norman, Cleveland County, State of Oklahoma, met in Regular Session in the Council Chambers in the Municipal Building, on Tuesday, December 12, 2023 at 6:30 PM, and notice of the agenda of the meeting was posted at the Norman Municipal Building at 201 West Gray and on the City website at least 24 hours prior to the beginning of the meeting.

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#### **CALL TO ORDER**

Mayor Heikkila called the meeting to order.

#### **ROLL CALL**

**PRESENT** 

Mayor Larry Heikkila

Councilmember Ward 1 Austin Ball

Councilmember Ward 2 Lauren Schueler

Councilmember Ward 3 Bree Montova

Councilmember Ward 4 Helen Grant

Councilmember Ward 5 Michael Nash

Councilmember Ward 7 Stephen Holman

Councilmember Ward 8 Matthew Peacock

#### **ABSENT**

Councilmember Ward 6 Elizabeth Foreman

### **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

The pledge of allegiance was led by Mayor Heikkila.

#### **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

1. CONSIDERATION OF APPROVAL, ACCEPTANCE, REJECTION, AMENDMENT, AND/OR POSTPONEMENT OF THE MINUTES AS FOLLOWS:

CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL SESSION MINUTES OF MAY 10, 2022, JUNE 28, 2022, AND AUGUST 15, 2023

CITY COUNCIL STUDY SESSION MINUTES OF AUGUST 16, 2022

CITY COUNCIL CONFERENCE MINUTES OF NOVEMBER 22, 2022

CITY COUNCIL, NORMAN UTILITIES AUTHORITY, NORMAN MUNICIPAL AUTHORITY AND NORMAN TAX INCREMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY MINUTES OF APRIL 25, 2023, AND SEPTEMBER 26, 2023

CITY COUNCIL COMMUNITY PLANNING AND TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE MINUTES OF AUGUST 24, 2023

CITY COUNCIL FINANCE COMMITTEE MINUTES OF NOVEMBER 16, 2023

Motion made by Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Seconded by Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler.

Voting Yea: Mayor Heikkila, Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler, Councilmember Ward 3 Montoya, Councilmember Ward 4 Grant, Councilmember Ward 5 Nash, Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

The minutes were approved.

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#### **AWARDS AND PRESENTATIONS**

2. CONSIDERATION OF ADOPTION, REJECTION, AMENDMENT, AND/OR POSTPONEMENT OF RESOLUTION R-2324-90: A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE NORMAN ANIMAL WELFARE OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE, AWARDING THE 2023 NOMAN ANIMAL WELFARE VOLUNTEERISM AWARD.

Motion made by Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Seconded by Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler.

Voting Yea: Mayor Heikkila, Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler, Councilmember Ward 3 Montoya, Councilmember Ward 4 Grant, Councilmember Ward 5 Nash, Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

### Participants in discussion

- 1. Ms. Jeanne Snider, Assistant City Attorney
- 2. Mr. Mark Howery, Animal Welfare Oversight Committee Chairman
- 3. Dr. Amy Tyler, DMV, veterinarian at the Animal Welfare Center
- 4. Ms. Cindy Wanner, recipient

### Resolution R-2324-90 was adopted.

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3. CONSIDERATION OF ADOPTION, REJECTION, AMENDMENT AND/OR POSTPONEMENT OF RESOLUTION R-2324-94: A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, AWARDING THE 2023 CITY OF NORMAN HUMAN RIGHTS AWARD, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE NORMAN HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION.

Motion made by Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Seconded by Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler.

Voting Yea: Mayor Heikkila, Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler, Councilmember Ward 3 Montoya, Councilmember Ward 4 Grant, Councilmember Ward 5 Nash, Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

Participants in discussion

- 1. Ms. Jackie Farley, Human Rights Commission Chairman
- 2. Judge Michael Tupper, recipient

### Resolution R-2324-94 was adopted.

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4. CONSIDERATION OF ADOPTION, REJECTION, AMENDMENT AND/OR POSTPONEMENT OF RESOLUTION R-2324-95: A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, AWARDING THE 2023 CITY OF NORMAN HUMAN RIGHTS AWARD, IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE NORMAN HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION.

Motion made by Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Seconded by Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler.

Voting Yea: Mayor Heikkila, Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler, Councilmember Ward 3 Montoya, Councilmember Ward 4 Grant, Councilmember Ward 5 Nash, Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

### Participants in discussion

- 1. Ms. Jackie Farley, Human Rights Commission Chairman
- 2. Mr. Caleb Creed accepting on behalf of Red Dirt Collective, recipient

### Resolution R-2324-95 was adopted.

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### **COUNCIL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### Break In

Councilmember Ball mentioned a recent break in at an Air BnB.

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### Police Academy

Councilmembers Ball and Holman announced the upcoming Police Academy graduation on December 14, 2024.

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### Community Events/Meetings

Councilmember Ball announced the January 25th Police and Fire Chili Supper.

Councilmember Schueler invited everyone to attend the upcoming Council Oversight Committee meeting on December 14<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 p.m.

Councilmember Grant announced several upcoming community events; Suessical at Sooner Theatre, holiday art galleries at Firehouse, the Christmas tea at the Historic House, and the community Christmas dinner at the high school.

Councilmember Holman said there is a new public art piece at Reaves Park and encouraged everyone to go see it.

Councilmember Holman invited everyone to attend the upcoming Council Planning and Transportation Committee meeting on December 28<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 p.m.

Councilmember Peacock said he and Councilmember Schueler will be conducted a walking audit of West Lindsey Street from Berry Road to McGee on Sunday from 12:00-1:00 p.m. in hopes of identifying some small scale interventions to help improve accessibility, walkability, and pedestrian access through the corridor.

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#### Weather Museum

Councilmember Ball said he recently visited the Weather Museum and encouraged citizens to attend.

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### Council Comments, continued

### Aviation and Transportation Academy

Councilmember Ball said he attended an Aviation and Transportation Academy session today and said it was absolutely phenomenal.

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### City Manager Report

Councilmember Ball said there is a link on the website next to the weekly City Manager Report that will take you to ward specific announcements.

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# Norman Libraries

Councilmember Ball said Embark will be providing transportation to the east and west libraries during the closure of the Central Library.

Councilmember Holman said the Central Library is waiving fees at this time due to the recent closure for repairs.

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### Happy Holidays

Councilmembers Montoya and Schueler wish everyone happy holidays.

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#### **Human Rights Award**

Councilmembers Schueler, Grant and Holman congratulated the recipients of the Human Rights Award.

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#### AIM Norman

Councilmembers Montoya and Holman announced an upcoming AIM Norman pop up tent on Thursday, December 14th.

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### Animal Welfare Volunteer of the Year Award

Councilmember Grant and Holman congratulated the recipient of the Animal Welfare Volunteer of the Year Award.

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#### Norman Economic Development Coalition (NEDC)

Mayor Heikkila congratulated Lawrence McKinney, President and CEO of NEDC who received the North America Top 50 Economic Developer Award.

#### CONSENT DOCKET

This item is placed on the agenda so that the City Council, by unanimous consent, can designate those routine agenda items that they wish to be approved or acknowledged by one motion. If any item proposed does not meet with approval of all Councilmembers, that item will be heard in regular order. Staff recommends that Item 5 through Item 26 be placed on the consent docket.

Motion made by Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Seconded by Councilmember Ward 7 Holman.

Voting Yea: Mayor Heikkila, Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler, Councilmember Ward 3 Montoya, Councilmember Ward 4 Grant, Councilmember Ward 5 Nash, Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

Items 5 through 26 were placed on the Consent Docket.

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### **First Reading Ordinance**

5. CONSIDERATION OF APPROVAL, ACCEPTANCE, REJECTION, AMENDMENT, AND/OR POSTPONEMENT OF ORDINANCE O-2324-9 UPON FIRST READING BY TITLE: AN ORDINANCE OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, AMENDING SECTION 36-201 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF NORMAN SO AS TO REMOVE PART OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER (NW/4) OF SECTION FOUR (4), TOWNSHIP NINE NORTH (T9N), RANGE TWO WEST (R2W) OF THE INDIAN MERIDIAN, NORMAN, CLEVELAND COUNTY, OKLAHOMA, FROM NORTHERN COMMUNITY SEPARATOR AND FROM THE A-2, RURAL AGRICULTURAL DISTRICT AND PLACE THE SAME IN THE CR, RURAL COMMERCIAL DISTRICT, OF SAID CITY; AND PROVIDING FOR THE SEVERABILITY THEREOF. (SOUTHEAST CORNER OF INDIAN HILLS AND 12TH AVENUE N.E.)

Motion made by Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Seconded by Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock.

Voting Yea: Mayor Heikkila, Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler, Councilmember Ward 3 Montoya, Councilmember Ward 4 Grant, Councilmember Ward 5 Nash, Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

Ordinance O-2324-9 was adopted upon First Reading by title.

6. CONSIDERATION OF APPROVAL, ACCEPTANCE, REJECTION, AMENDMENT, AND/OR POSTPONEMENT OF ORDINANCE O-2324-10 UPON FIRST READING BY TITLE: AN ORDINANCE OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, AMENDING SECTION 36-201 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF NORMAN SO AS TO REMOVE PART OF THE NORTHWEST QUARTER (NW/4) OF SECTION FIVE (5), TOWNSHIP NINE NORTH (T9N), RANGE TWO WEST (R2W) OF THE INDIAN MERIDIAN, NORMAN, CLEVELAND COUNTY, OKLAHOMA, FROM THE NORTHERN COMMUNITY SEPARATOR AND FROM THE A-2, RURAL AGRICULTURAL DISTRICT AND PLACE THE SAME IN THE CR, RURAL COMMERCIAL DISTRICT, OF SAID CITY; AND PROVIDING FOR THE SEVERABILITY THEREOF. (SOUTHWEST CORNER OF INDIAN HILLS AND 12TH AVENUE N.E.)

Motion made by Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Seconded by Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock.

Voting Yea: Mayor Heikkila, Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler, Councilmember Ward 3 Montoya, Councilmember Ward 4 Grant, Councilmember Ward 5 Nash, Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

Ordinance O-2324-10 was adopted upon First Reading by title.

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7. CONSIDERATION OF APPROVAL, ACCEPTANCE, REJECTION, AMENDMENT, AND/OR POSTPONEMENT OF ORDINANCE O-2324-23 UPON FIRST READING BY TITLE: AN ORDINANCE OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, AMENDING SECTION 36-201 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF NORMAN SO AS TO REMOVE PART OF SECTION THREE (3), TOWNSHIP NINE (9) NORTH, RANGE THREE (3) WEST OF THE INDIAN MERIDIAN, TO NORMAN, CLEVELAND COUNTY, OKLAHOMA, FROM THE A-2, RURAL AGRICULTURAL DISTRICT, AND FROM PUD (O-0910-14), PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT, AND PLACE SAME IN THE PUD, PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT; AND PROVIDING FOR THE SEVERABILITY THEREOF. (EAST OF 48<sup>TH</sup> AVENUE N.W., SOUTH OF INDIAN HILLS ROAD, NORTH OF FRANKLIN ROAD, AND WEST OF 36<sup>TH</sup> AVENUE N.W.)

Motion made by Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Seconded by Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock.

Voting Yea: Mayor Heikkila, Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler, Councilmember Ward 3 Montoya, Councilmember Ward 4 Grant, Councilmember Ward 5 Nash, Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

Ordinance O-2324-23 was adopted upon First Reading by title.

8. CONSIDERATION OF APPROVAL, ACCEPTANCE, REJECTION, AMENDMENT, AND/OR POSTPONEMENT OF ORDINANCE O-2324-29 UPON FIRST READING BY TITLE: AN ORDINANCE OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, AMENDING SECTION 36-201 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF NORMAN SO AS TO REMOVE LOTS TWENTY (20) AND TWENTY AND ONE HALF (20 ½), OF ELMWOOD ADDITION, TO NORMAN, CLEVELAND COUNTY, OKLAHOMA, FROM THE R-1, SINGLE FAMILY DWELLING DISTRICT, AND PLACE SAME IN THE SPUD, SIMPLE PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT; AND PROVIDING FOR THE SEVERABILITY THEREOF. (463 ELM AVENUE)

Motion made by Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Seconded by Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock.

Voting Yea: Mayor Heikkila, Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler, Councilmember Ward 3 Montoya, Councilmember Ward 4 Grant, Councilmember Ward 5 Nash, Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

Ordinance O-2324-29 was adopted upon First Reading by title.

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### **Reports/Communications**

9. CONSIDERATION OF SUBMISSION, ACKNOWLEDGEMENT, ACCEPTANCE, REJECTION, AMENDMENT, AND/OR POSTPONEMENT OF RECEIPT OF REPORTS ENTITLED "ANNUAL COMPREHENSIVE FINANCIAL REPORT FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023," AS PREPARED BY THE CITY OF NORMAN FINANCE DEPARTMENT AND AUDITED BY THE FIRM OF FORVIS, LLP, FOR THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, NORMAN UTILITIES AUTHORITY, NORMAN MUNICIPAL AUTHORITY, NORMAN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY AND NORMAN TAX INCREMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY.

Motion made by Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Seconded by Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock.

Voting Yea: Mayor Heikkila, Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler, Councilmember Ward 3 Montoya, Councilmember Ward 4 Grant, Councilmember Ward 5 Nash, Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

Receipt of the Annual Comprehensive Financial Report for Fiscal Year ended June 30, 2023 was acknowledged.

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10. CONSIDERATION OF ACKNOWLEDGEMENT, APPROVAL, ACCEPTANCE, REJECTION, AMENDMENT, AND/OR POSTPONEMENT OF RECEIPT OF THE FINANCE DIRECTOR'S INVESTMENT REPORT AS OF NOVEMBER 30, 2023, AND DIRECTING THE FILING THEREOF.

Motion made by Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Seconded by Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock.

Voting Yea: Mayor Heikkila, Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler, Councilmember Ward 3 Montoya, Councilmember Ward 4 Grant, Councilmember Ward 5 Nash, Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

Receipt of the Finance Director's Investment Report was acknowledged.

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### **Donation**

11. CONSIDERATION OF APPROVAL, ACCEPTANCE, REJECTION, AMENDMENT, AND/OR POSTPONEMENT OF A DONATION IN THE AMOUNT OF \$3,000 FROM CAVINS CONSTRUCTION GROUP L.L.C., TO BE USED TO PURCHASE SERVICES AND SUPPLIES FOR THE 48TH ANNUAL NORMAN CHILI SUPPER BENEFIT AND BUDGET APPROPRIATION AS OUTLINED IN THE STAFF REPORT.

Motion made by Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Seconded by Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock.

Voting Yea: Mayor Heikkila, Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler, Councilmember Ward 3 Montoya, Councilmember Ward 4 Grant, Councilmember Ward 5 Nash, Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

The donation from Cavins Construction Group, L.L.C., was accepted.

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#### Contracts

12. CONSIDERATION OF APPROVAL, ACCEPTANCE, REJECTION, AMENDMENT, AND/OR POSTPONEMENT OF CONTRACT K-2324-72: BY AND BETWEEN THE CITY OF NORMAN AND ESKIMO SNO INC., D/B/A BEANSTALK COFFEE AND SNO, FOR BEANSTALK COFFEE AND SNO TO BE THE CONCESSIONAIRE PARTNER AND OPERATOR OF THE CONCESSION SPACE INSIDE THE YOUNG FAMILY ATHLETIC CENTER, 2201 TRAE YOUNG DRIVE, NORMAN, OKLAHOMA.

### Item 12, continued

Voting Yea: Mayor Heikkila, Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler, Councilmember Ward 3 Montoya, Councilmember Ward 4 Grant, Councilmember Ward 5 Nash, Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

Contract K-2324-72 was approved.

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13. CONSIDERATION OF APPROVAL, ACCEPTANCE, REJECTION, AMENDMENT, AND/OR POSTPONEMENT OF CONTRACT K-2324-82: AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA AND COMMUNITY AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM INC., TO PROVIDE FREE TUTORING SERVICES AT CITY OF NORMAN AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAMS AS OUTLINED IN THE STAFF REPORT.

Motion made by Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Seconded by Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock.

Voting Yea: Mayor Heikkila, Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler, Councilmember Ward 3 Montoya, Councilmember Ward 4 Grant, Councilmember Ward 5 Nash, Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

Contract K-2324-82 was approved.

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14. CONSIDERATION OF APPROVAL, ACCEPTANCE, REJECTION, AMENDMENT, AND/OR POSTPONEMENT OF A HAZARD MITIGATION ASSISTANCE GRANT FROM THE OKLAHOMA DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$402,712 TO BE USED FOR THE LOWER IMHOFF CREEK INFRASTRUCTURE PROTECTION PROJECT; APPROVAL OF CONTRACT K-2324-98 WITH THE OKLAHOMA DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AND HOMELAND SECURITY AS OUTLINED IN THE STAFF REPORT.

Motion made by Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Seconded by Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock.

Voting Yea: Mayor Heikkila, Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler, Councilmember Ward 3 Montoya, Councilmember Ward 4 Grant, Councilmember Ward 5 Nash, Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

The Hazard Mitigation Assistance Grant was accepted and Contract K-2324-98 was approved.

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15. CONSIDERATION OF APPROVAL, ACCEPTANCE, REJECTION, AMENDMENT, AND/OR POSTPONEMENT OF CONTRACT K-2324-102; A CONTRACT BY AND BETWEEN THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, AND SOURCE ONE FACILITY MAINTENANCE IN THE AMOUNT OF \$43,046 TO PROVIDE CUSTODIAL SERVICES FOR THE ADULT WELLNESS CENTER AND BUDGET APPROPRIATION FROM THE GENERAL FUND BALANCE AS OUTLINED IN THE STAFF REPORT.

Motion made by Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Seconded by Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock.

Voting Yea: Mayor Heikkila, Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler, Councilmember Ward 3 Montoya, Councilmember Ward 4 Grant, Councilmember Ward 5 Nash, Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

Contract K-2324-102 was approved and the appropriation was authorized.

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16. CONSIDERATION OF APPROVAL, ACCEPTANCE, REJECTION, AMENDMENT AND/OR POSTPONEMENT OF CONTRACT K-2324-103: A CONTRACT BY AND BETWEEN THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, AND PREFERED SERVICE CNG, TO PROVIDE MONITORING, MAINTENANCE AND AFTER HOURS OPERATION OF THE CITY OF NORMAN'S CNG FUELING STATION FOR THE TOTAL MONTHLY FEE OF \$2,070 AS OUTLINED IN THE STAFF REPORT.

Motion made by Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Seconded by Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock.

Voting Yea: Mayor Heikkila, Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler, Councilmember Ward 3 Montoya, Councilmember Ward 4 Grant, Councilmember Ward 5 Nash, Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

Contract K-2324-103 was approved.

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17. CONSIDERATION OF APPROVAL, ACCEPTANCE, REJECTION, AMENDMENT, AND/OR POSTPONEMENT OF CONTRACT K-2324-104: AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA AND ABBOTT HOUSE CHILD ADVOCACY CENTER, TO OPERATE AND PROVIDE PROGRAMMING AT 329 SOUTH PETERS AVENUE.

### Item 17, continued

Voting Yea: Mayor Heikkila, Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler, Councilmember Ward 3 Montoya, Councilmember Ward 4 Grant, Councilmember Ward 5 Nash, Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

### Contract K-2324-104 was approved.

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18. CONSIDERATION OF APPROVAL, ACCEPTANCE, REJECTION, AMENDMENT, AND/OR POSTPONEMENT OF CONTRACT K-2324-105: A PUBLIC TRANSIT REVOLVING FUND AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, AND THE OKLAHOMA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (ODOT) DISTRIBUTING A MAXIMUM AMOUNT OF FUNDS IN AN AMOUNT NOT-TO-EXCEED TWO HUNDRED SEVEN THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$207,400) FOR ESTABLISHING, EXPANDING, IMPROVING, AND MAINTAINING THE CITY OF NORMAN'S URBAN PUBLIC MASS TRANSPORTATION SERVICES AS OUTLINED IN THE STAFF REPORT.

Motion made by Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Seconded by Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock.

Voting Yea: Mayor Heikkila, Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler, Councilmember Ward 3 Montoya, Councilmember Ward 4 Grant, Councilmember Ward 5 Nash, Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

## Contract K-2324-105 was approved.

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19. CONSIDERATION OF APPROVAL, ACCEPTANCE, REJECTION, AMENDMENT, AND/OR POSTPONEMENT OF CONTRACT K-2324-106: A CONTRACT BY AND BETWEEN THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, AND COX COMMUNICATIONS, INC., IN THE AMOUNT OF \$220,000 FOR RELOCATING OVERHEAD COMMUNICATION LINES UNDERGROUND ON THE JENKINS AVENUE WIDENING 2019 BOND PROJECT AND APPROPRIATION OF FUNDS AS OUTLINED IN THE STAFF REPORT.

#### Item 19, continued

Voting Yea: Mayor Heikkila, Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler, Councilmember Ward 3 Montoya, Councilmember Ward 4 Grant, Councilmember Ward 5 Nash, Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

### Contract K-2324-106 was approved.

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20. CONSIDERATION OF APROVAL, ACCEPTANCE, REJECTION, AMENDMENT, AND/OR POSTPONEMENT OF CONTRACT K-2324-108: BY AND BETWEEN THE CITY OF NORMAN AND PAUL BAGLEY D/B/A DESIGN SILO L.L.C., IN THE AMOUNT OF \$175,000 FOR PUBLIC ART TO BE PLACED IN THE ROUNDABOUT AT JAMES GARNER AVENUE AND FLOOD AVENUE, NORMAN, OKLAHOMA.

Motion made by Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Seconded by Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock.

Voting Yea: Mayor Heikkila, Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler, Councilmember Ward 3 Montoya, Councilmember Ward 4 Grant, Councilmember Ward 5 Nash, Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

# Contract K-2324-108 was approved.

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#### Resolutions

21. CONSIDERATION OF ADOPTION, REJECTION, AMENDMENT AND/OR POSTPONEMENT OF AMENDMENT ONE TO RESOLUTION R-2223-104: AN AMENDMENT TO A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, APPOINTING COMMUNITY MEMBERS AND ALTERNATES TO THE STRONG TOWN AD HOC COMMITTEE TO SERVE AS PART OF THE LEADERSHIP TEAM FOR THE STRONG TOWNS COMMUNITY ACTION LAB, ADDING AND REMOVING CERTAIN COMMITTEE MEMBERS, SETTING FORTH GROUND RULES FOR PARTICIPATION, AND IDENTIFYING A TERMINATION DATE FOR THE AD HOC COMMITTEE.

### Item 21, continued

Voting Yea: Mayor Heikkila, Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler, Councilmember Ward 3 Montoya, Councilmember Ward 4 Grant, Councilmember Ward 5 Nash, Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

Amendment No. One to Resolution R-2223-104 was approved.

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22. CONSIDERATION OF ADOPTION, REJECTION, AMENDMENT, AND/OR POSTPONEMENT OF RESOLUTION R-2324-91: A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, TRANSFERRING \$189,700 FROM THE RAILROAD QUIET ZONE ACCOUNT AND TRANSFERRING \$45,641 FROM THE RAILROAD CORRIDOR SAFETY ACCOUNT TO THE JAMES GARNER AVENUE PHASE 3 ACRES STREET TO DUFFY STREET PROJECT CONSTRUCTION ACCOUNT.

Motion made by Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Seconded by Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock.

Voting Yea: Mayor Heikkila, Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler, Councilmember Ward 3 Montoya, Councilmember Ward 4 Grant, Councilmember Ward 5 Nash, Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

Resolution R-2324-91 was approved.

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23. CONSIDERATION OF ADOPTION, REJECTION, AMENDMENT, AND/OR POSTPONEMENT OF RESOLUTION R-2324-92: A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, TRANSFERRING \$15,883 FROM THE FACILITY MAINTENANCE HVAC IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT TO BE USED FOR THE POLICE DEPARTMENT TRAINING ROOM UPDATE PROJECT.

Motion made by Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Seconded by Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock.

Voting Yea: Mayor Heikkila, Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler, Councilmember Ward 3 Montoya, Councilmember Ward 4 Grant, Councilmember Ward 5 Nash, Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

Resolution R-2324-92 was approved.

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24. CONSIDERATION OF ADOPTION, REJECTION, AMENDMENT, AND/OR POSTPONEMENT OF RESOLUTION R-2324-93: A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, IMPLEMENTING TWO-HOUR PARKING LIMITS ON THE NORTH SIDE OF EUFAULA STREET BETWEEN PORTER AVENUE AND CRAWFORD AVENUE.

Motion made by Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Seconded by Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock.

Voting Yea: Mayor Heikkila, Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler, Councilmember Ward 3 Montoya, Councilmember Ward 4 Grant, Councilmember Ward 5 Nash, Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

Resolution R-2324-93 was approved.

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25. CONSIDERATION OF ADOPTION, REJECTION, AMENDMENT, AND/OR POSTPONEMENT OF RESOLUTION R-2324-97: A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, APPROPRIATING \$15,261.33 FROM THE REFUNDS/REIMBURSEMENTS MISCELLANEOUS RISK MANAGEMENT ACCOUNT TO REPAIR POLICE DEPARTMENT VEHICLES AND EQUIPMENT DAMAGED BY OTHER DRIVERS IN TRAFFIC COLLISIONS.

Motion made by Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Seconded by Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock.

Voting Yea: Mayor Heikkila, Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler, Councilmember Ward 3 Montoya, Councilmember Ward 4 Grant, Councilmember Ward 5 Nash, Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

Resolution R-2324-97 was approved.

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#### **NON-CONSENT ITEMS**

26. CONSIDERATION OF ADOPTION, REJECTION, AMENDMENT, AND/OR POSTPONEMENT OF ORDINANCE O-2324-17 UPON SECOND AND FINAL READING: AN ORDINANCE OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, AMENDING SECTION 36-201 OF CHAPTER 36 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF NORMAN SO AS TO REMOVE LOTS THIRTY-FOUR (34), THIRTY-FIVE (35), THIRTY-SIX (36), THIRTY-SEVEN (37), AND THIRTY-EIGHT (38) OF THE STATE UNIVERSITY ADDITION TO NORMAN, CLEVELAND COUNTY, OKLAHOMA, FROM THE CCFBC, CENTER CITY FORM-BASED CODE, AND PLACE SAME IN THE CCPUD, CENTER CITY PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT; AND PROVIDING FOR THE SEVERABILITY THEREOF. (305 E. BOYD STREET)

Motion made by Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Seconded by Councilmember Ward 4 Grant.

### Participants in discussion

1. Mr. Gunner Joyce, Rieger Law Group, attorney representing the applicant

Motion made by Councilmember Ward 4 Grant to postpone Ordinance O-2324-17 to February 27, 2024, Seconded by Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock.

Voting Yea: Mayor Heikkila, Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler, Councilmember Ward 3 Montoya, Councilmember Ward 4 Grant, Councilmember Ward 5 Nash, Councilmember Ward 6 Foreman, Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

Ordinance O-2324-17 was postponed to February 27, 2024.

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28. CONSIDERATION OF ADOPTION, REJECTION, AMENDMENT, AND/OR POSTPONEMENT OF ORDINANCE O-2324-18 UPON SECOND AND FINAL READING: AN ORDINANCE OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, AMENDING SECTION 36-201 OF CHAPTER 36 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF NORMAN SO AS TO REMOVE LOTS TWENTY-EIGHT (28), TWENTY-NINE (29), THIRTY (30) AND THIRTY-ONE (31) OF STATE UNIVERSITY ADDITION TO NORMAN, CLEVELAND COUNTY, OKLAHOMA, FROM THE CCFBC, CENTER CITY FORM-BASED CODE, AND PLACE SAME IN THE CCPUD, CENTER CITY PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT; AND PROVIDING FOR THE SEVERABILITY THEREOF. (221 E. BOYD STREET)

Motion made by Councilmember Ward 4 Grant to postpone Ordinance O-2324-18 to February 27, 2024, Seconded by Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock.

Voting Yea: Mayor Heikkila, Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler, Councilmember Ward 3 Montoya, Councilmember Ward 4 Grant, Councilmember Ward 5 Nash, Councilmember Ward 6 Foreman, Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

Ordinance O-2324-18 was postponed to February 27, 2024.

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29. CONSIDERATION OF ADOPTION, REJECTION, AMENDMENT, AND/OR POSTPONEMENT OF ORDINANCE O-2324-26 UPON SECOND AND FINAL READING: AN ORDINANCE OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, AMENDING SECTION 36-201 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF NORMAN SO AS TO REMOVE LOTS TWENTY-ONE (21) TO THIRTY-SIX (36), INCLUSIVE, IN BLOCK TWO (2), OF JOHNSON'S ADDITION, TO THE CITY OF NORMAN, CLEVELAND COUNTY, OKLAHOMA, FROM THE R-2, TWO-FAMILY DWELLING DISTRICT, R-2, TWO-FAMILY DWELLING DISTRICT WITH SPECIAL USE FOR OFF-STREET PARKING, AND RM-2, LOW DENSITY APARTMENT DISTRICT WITH SPECIAL USE FOR OFF-STREET PARKING, AND PLACE SAME IN THE SPUD, SIMPLE PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT; AND PROVIDING FOR THE SEVERABILITY THEREOF. (823 AND 845 CHAUTAUQUA AVENUE AND 748 COLLEGE AVENUE)

Motion made by Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Seconded by Councilmember Ward 4 Grant.

Participants in discussion

- 1. Mr. Gunner Joyce, Rieger Law Group, attorney representing the applicant
- 2. Ms. Shannon Polly, Theta Building Committee Chair
- 3. Mr. Stephen Ellis, Ward 4, asked questions
- 4. Ms. Lee Hall, Ward 4, proponent
- 5. Ms. Karlinda Gravel, Ward 4, made comments
- 6. Ms. Sherylann Densow, Wards 4 & 6, proponent

Motion made by Councilmember Ward 4 Grant to amend Exhibit D to the narrative to remove single family dwelling, two family dwelling (duplex), single family dwelling and garage apartment, family day care home, general purpose of farm, home occupation, and municipal recreation or water supply for the list of permitted uses and amend Section 3.1 as outlined below:

3.1 Fencing and Screening: all fencing and screening shall comply with the requirements outlined in the City of Norman's Zoning Ordinance, Chapter 36-552 (Fencing, Walls, and Screening), as amended from time to time, subject to changes allowed by Chapter 36-510(k). The applicant will install a low-level brick, masonry, or similar wall, not to exceed four feet (4') in height along the southeast corner of the new parking lot's Parsons Street and College Avenue frontages, with a decorative curve at the southeast corner to retain the spirit of the landscaped area located at the corner of the property, as shown on the attached site plan.

Seconded by Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock.

Voting Yea: Mayor Heikkila, Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler, Councilmember Ward 3 Montoya, Councilmember Ward 4 Grant, Councilmember Ward 5 Nash, Councilmember Ward 6 Foreman, Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

#### Ordinance O-2324-26 was amended as stated above.

Back to main motion on the floor:

Voting Yea: Mayor Heikkila, Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler, Councilmember Ward 3 Montoya, Councilmember Ward 4 Grant, Councilmember Ward 5 Nash, Councilmember Ward 6 Foreman, Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

# Ordinance O-2324-26 was adopted upon Second Reading section by section.

Motion made by Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Seconded by Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock.

Voting Yea: Mayor Heikkila, Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler, Councilmember Ward 3 Montoya, Councilmember Ward 4 Grant, Councilmember Ward 5 Nash, Councilmember Ward 6 Foreman, Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

### Ordinance O-2324-26 was adopted upon Final Reading.

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Motion made by Councilmember Ward 7 Holman to allow Councilmember Peacock to abstain from voting on Items 30 and 31 due to a conflict of interest, Seconded by Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler.

Voting Yea: Mayor Heikkila, Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler, Councilmember Ward 3 Montoya, Councilmember Ward 4 Grant, Councilmember Ward 5 Nash, Councilmember Ward 6 Foreman, Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

Abstain: Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

Councilmember Peacock was allowed to abstain voting on Items 30 and 31.

30. CONSIDERATION OF ADOPTION, REJECTION, AMENDMENT, AND/OR POSTPONEMENT OF ORDINANCE O-2324-30 UPON SECOND AND FINAL READING: AN ORDINANCE OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, AMENDING SECTION 36-201 OF CHAPTER 36 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF NORMAN SO AS TO REMOVE LOTS ELEVEN (11) AND TWELVE (12) OF BLOCK EIGHTY-FIVE (85) OF THE ORIGINAL TOWN OF NORMAN AND T.R. WAGGONER'S FIRST ADDITION, TO NORMAN, CLEVELAND COUNTY, OKLAHOMA, FROM THE CCFBC, CENTER CITY FORM-BASED CODE, AND PLACE SAME IN THE CCPUD, CENTER CITY PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT; AND PROVIDING FOR THE SEVERABILITY THEREOF. (321 WEST COMANCHE STREET)

Motion made by Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Seconded by Councilmember Ward 4 Grant.

Voting Yea: Mayor Heikkila, Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler, Councilmember Ward 3 Montoya, Councilmember Ward 4 Grant, Councilmember Ward 6 Foreman, Councilmember Ward 7 Holman

Voting Nay: Councilmember Ward 5 Nash,

Abstain: Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

Participants in discussion

- 1. Mr. Jake Aldridge, representing the applicant
- 2. Ms. Joey Wishnuck, developer representing the applicant
- 3. Mr. Stephen Ellis, Ward 4, asked questions
- 4. Ms. Karlinda Gravel, Ward 4, made comments

# Ordinance O-2324-30 was adopted upon Second Reading section by section.

Motion made by Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Seconded by Councilmember Ward 4 Grant.

Voting Yea: Mayor Heikkila, Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler, Councilmember Ward 3 Montoya, Councilmember Ward 4 Grant, Councilmember Ward 6 Foreman, Councilmember Ward 7 Holman

Voting Nay: Councilmember Ward 5 Nash

Abstain: Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

Ordinance O-2324-30 was adopted upon Final Reading.

31. CONSIDERATION OF ADOPTION, REJECTION, AMENDMENT, AND/OR POSTPONEMENT OF ORDINANCE O-2324-31 UPON SECOND AND FINAL READING: AN ORDINANCE OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NORMAN, OKLAHOMA, AMENDING SECTION 36-201 OF CHAPTER 36 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF NORMAN SO AS TO REMOVE LOTS TWENTY-TWO (22) AND TWENTY-THREE (23), IN BLOCK SIXTY-EIGHT (68) OF ORIGINAL TOWN OF NORMAN, NORMAN, CLEVELAND COUNTY, OKLAHOMA, FROM THE CCFBC, CENTER CITY FORM-BASED CODE, AND PLACE SAME IN THE CCPUD, CENTER CITY PLANNED UNIT DEVELOPMENT; AND PROVIDING FOR THE SEVERABILITY THEREOF. (122 WEST COMANCHE STREET)

Motion made by Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Seconded by Councilmember Ward 1 Ball.

Voting Yea: Mayor Heikkila, Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler, Councilmember Ward 3 Montoya, Councilmember Ward 4 Grant, Councilmember Ward 5 Nash, Councilmember Ward 6 Foreman, Councilmember Ward 7 Holman

Abstain: Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

Ordinance O-2324-31 was adopted upon Second Reading section by section.

Motion made by Councilmember Ward 7 Holman, Seconded by Councilmember Ward 4 Grant.

Voting Yea: Mayor Heikkila, Councilmember Ward 1 Ball, Councilmember Ward 2 Schueler, Councilmember Ward 3 Montoya, Councilmember Ward 4 Grant, Councilmember Ward 5 Nash, Councilmember Ward 6 Foreman, Councilmember Ward 7 Holman

Abstain: Councilmember Ward 8 Peacock

Ordinance O-2324-31 was adopted upon Final Reading.

#### MISCELLANEOUS COMMENTS

### **Human Rights Award**

Mr. Stephen Ellis and Ms. Cindy Rogers, Ward 4, congratulated Red Dirt Collective on winning the Human Rights Award.

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### Food Forestry

Mr. Evan Dunn, Ward 7, suggested Council provide incentives for those who wish to participate in food forestry. He hoped to see some of his suggestions put in to place.

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#### Homelessness

Ms. Chelsey Gravel, Ward 4, said she and the community are working on solutions to address homelessness issues.

Ms. Karlinda Gravel, Ward 4, referenced a post on the Norman Neighbors Facebook page regarding a person destroying a mailbox and alleged he worked at the emergency shelter.

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#### **ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting adjourned at 8:48 p.m.

ATTEST:

City Clerk

Mayor