



CITY COUNCIL WORK SESSION MEETING

Tuesday, January 05, 2021, at 5:30 PM
Court Room/Council Chambers (2nd Floor) and Online

Minutes

ROLL CALL

PRESENT

Mayor Kirk Hunsaker
Council Member Nick Miller
Council Member Betsy Montoya
Council Member Lynn Mecham
Council Member David Hathaway
Council Member Jennifer Bowman

INVOCATION/INSPIRATIONAL THOUGHT

Offered by Council Member Lynn Mecham.

DISCUSSION ITEMS

Discussion Regarding Future Cemetery Expansion - Wade Eva & Jason Callaway

Public Works Director Jason Callaway gave a presentation on the needs for cemetery expansion and the proposed plans which included sections designated for upright headstones and flush headstones to allow for easier access for maintenance by the public works employees. Council gave their approval for the designs and plans.

Discussion Regarding FY2021-2022 Budget Planning Schedule - Ben Reeves

City Manager Reeves asked the Council if Saturday February 6th, 2021 worked for the Annual Staff-Council Budget Planning Meeting. Council gave approval for February 6th and the use of the Public Safety Training room for the meeting.

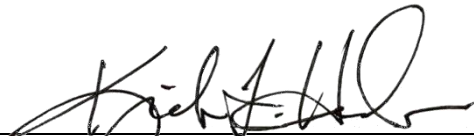
Annual City Council Training

City Manager Reeves shared concepts that he learned from a video from the Utah League of Cities and Towns about the role of City Council's in the City budget planning process. The values a City Council has, as a whole and as individuals, are reflected in the dollars spent in the City Budget and in Santaquin those values are expressed in the importance of Public Safety and Public Works. Reeves went over the Budget Book and the importance of understanding the decisions made by the city in the context of the whole budget to understand why those decisions were made. Council Member Montoya asked if the meeting could be stretched to Friday night and Saturday morning/afternoon to allow for time of the Council to digest the information presented by the department directors and it was agreed that it would be done that way.


ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 6:28 p.m. by Mayor Hunsaker.

ATTEST:



Kirk Hunsaker, Mayor



K. Aaron Shirley, City Recorder