

Minutes of the Regular Meeting of the Riverdale City Council held Tuesday, December 4, 2018, at 6:00 p.m., at the Civic Center, 4600 S Weber River Dr., Riverdale City, Weber County, Utah.

Present: City Council: Braden Mitchell, Councilmember-Mayor Pro-Tem
Brent Ellis, Councilmember
Alan Arnold, Councilmember
Cody Hansen, Councilmember
Bart Stevens, Councilmember-Participated via telephone

City Employees: Rodger Worthen, City Administrator
Steve Brooks, City Attorney
Mike Eggett, Community Development
Shawn Douglas, Public Works Director
Scott Brenkman, Police Chief
Jackie Manning, City Recorder

Excused: Norm Searle, Mayor

Visitors: LeAnn PoVey Craig PoVey Thatcher Eames

A. Welcome & Roll Call

The City Council meeting began at 6:00 p.m. Mayor Pro-Tem Mitchell called the meeting to order and welcomed all in attendance, including all Council Members and all members of the public. Mayor Pro-Tem Mitchell excused Mayor Searle from tonight's meeting. It was noted Councilmember Stevens participated via telephone.

B. Pledge of Allegiance

Mayor Pro-Tem Mitchell invited Mike Eggett, in Community Development, to lead the Pledge of Allegiance.

C. Moment of Silence

Mayor Pro-Tem Mitchell called for a moment of silence and asked everyone to remember our police officers, fire fighters, U.S. Military service members, and members of the City Council as they make decisions this evening.

D. Public Comment

Mayor Pro-Tem Mitchell invited any member of the public with questions or concerns to address the Council and asked that they keep their comments to approximately three minutes. No action will be taken during public comment. There were no public comments.

E. Presentations and Reports

1. Mayors Report

This item was not discussed.

2. Communities The Care (CTC) Recognition of Craig PoVey

Mayor Pro-Tem Mitchell discussed the program of Communities that Care (CTC) and discussed the recognition of Craig PoVey who was instrumental in conducting the recent 5k and half marathon for the CTC. Mayor Pro-Tem Mitchell presented a plaque to Mr. PoVey in recognition for his efforts. Craig PoVey thanked the council for their support.

F. Consent Items

1. Consideration to approve the City Council meeting minutes from: October 30, 2018 Joint Strategic Planning Meeting; November 20, 2018 Work Session and Regular Meeting.

Mayor Pro-Tem Mitchell invited any corrections or comments regarding the above referenced meeting minutes. There were no requested changes to the meeting minutes. Councilmember Hansen asked if the consent items could be voted on separately.

MOTION: Councilmember Arnold moved to approve the meeting minutes as proposed. Councilmember Ellis seconded the motion. There was not any discussion regarding this motion. Councilmember Arnold, Hansen, Ellis and Stevens all voted in favor.

2. Consideration to Approve 2019 Annual City Council Calendar.

There were no suggested corrections or changes to the annual meeting calendar.

MOTION: Councilmember Arnold moved to approve the meeting calendar as proposed. Councilmember Hansen seconded the motion. There was not any discussion regarding this motion. Councilmember Arnold, Hansen, Ellis and Stevens all voted in favor.

3. Consideration to approve Eagle Scout project for playground equipment.

Shawn Douglas, the Public Works Director, summarized the executive summary which explained:

Eagle Scout candidate Thatcher Eames has proposed to build a fitness park along the River Trail. The location of the park is along the trail going south from the middle trail restroom. The proposed park would include 6 fitness stations. Thatcher will provide the equipment and labor to install the equipment. Once the park is installed the city would be required to inspect and maintain the park. To meet the insurance requirement for inspections would require about two hours per month. The estimated continued labor to maintain the equipment would be between two to five hours per month. This would include weed eating, weed spraying, garbage clean up, fibar raking, and adding additional fibar etc.

Thatcher Eames, the eagle scout project requestor, discussed his process in developing the exercise equipment idea. He explained there would be 6 different stations all along the Weber River Trail, each would have a sign of instructions for the equipment. The signage would be brown and green to stay consistent to the existing signage along the trail. He discussed the materials that would be used for the equipment and emphasized the long term durability of each piece of equipment. He noted there are similar stations and exercise stations in parks located within Ogden and Park City.

Mayor Pro-Tem Mitchell asked Mr. Eames if he had spoken to resident who live near the trail. Mr. Eames stated he had not, but had spoken to trail users who seemed favorable to his exercise station idea. Councilmember Hansen stated he was agreeable to the idea, but felt the public works budget should be reviewed in the upcoming budget year to ensure funds were available for the continued maintenance for said project.

MOTION: Councilmember Hansen moved to approve the eagle scout project playground exercise equipment as proposed. Councilmember Ellis seconded the motion. There was not any discussion regarding this motion. Councilmember Arnold, Hansen, Ellis and Stevens all voted in favor.

4. Consideration to appoint a new Planning Commissioner, Rikard Hermann, to complete a planning commission vacancy term until January 31, 2021.

Mayor Pro-Temp Mitchell stated Mr. Hermann got called to work, but sent an email expressing gratitude for the opportunity to serve Riverdale City as a Planning Commissioner.

MOTION: Councilmember Ellis moved to approve the appointment of a new Planning Commissioner, Rikard Hermann, to complete a planning commission vacancy term until January 31, 2012. Councilmember Arnold seconded the motion. There was not any discussion regarding this motion. Councilmember Arnold, Hansen, Ellis and Stevens all voted in favor.

G. Discretionary Items

There were no discretionary items for this meeting.

H. Adjournment.

MOTION: Having no further business to discuss, Councilmember Arnold made a motion to adjourn. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Ellis; all voted in favor. The meeting was adjourned at 6:21 p.m.

Norm Searle, Mayor

Jackie Manning, City Recorder