

COUNCIL MEETING OCTOBER 12, 2021 MINUTES

Mayor Jarrod Ogden brought to order at 6:30 p.m. the first regular meeting of the Craig City Council for the month of October 2021. In addition to Mayor Ogden, those present were Councilmembers Chris Nichols, Andrea Camp, Ryan Hess, Bruce Cummings, Paul James and Steven Mazzuca. Staff present were City Manager Peter Brixius, Finance Director Katy Burns, City Attorney Heather Cannon, Interim Chief of Police Michael Cochran, Road & Bridge/Solid Waste Director Trevor Campbell, Building Official Marlin Eckhoff and City Clerk Liz White.

All participated in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Councilman Nichols moved with a second by Councilman Mazzuca to approve the minutes from the September 28, 2021, council meeting. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Councilman James moved with a second by Councilman Hess to approve the payment of bills through October 7, 2021, in the amount of \$629,154.62. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Councilman Cummings moved with a second by Councilwoman Camp to approve the agenda as presented. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Public Comment was given by resident Vicki Huyser.

Economic Development Manager Scott presented to council a Letter of Support on behalf of the Region 10/AGNC Economic Development Administration Build Back Better (EDA BBB) Application. After further discussion, Councilman Nichols moved with a second by Councilman Cummings to approve the Letter of Support on behalf of the Region 10/AGNC Economic Development Administration Build Back Better (EDA BBB) Application. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Interim Police Chief Cochran gave the monthly Police Report for the month of September 2021. He offered kudos to CSO Hannah Wood and Phillip Nevarez on their weed removal efforts around town.

Road & Bridge/Solid Waste Director Campbell gave an update for the month of September 2021. He offered comments regarding the Yampa Avenue Sidewalk Project.

City Manager Brixius updated the group on meetings he attended or will be attending soon along with some project updates.

Building Official Eckhoff discussed with council a parcel of land that potentially could be used for a housing development.

City Councilmembers discussed various meetings and events in which they participated in or will take place soon.

Councilman Hess moved with a second by Councilman Mazzuca to move from Regular Session to Executive Session ~ Executive Session pursuant to CRS 24-6-402(4)(b) to obtain legal advice as to the liability regarding law enforcement practices. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Being no further business in Executive Session, Councilman Nichols moved with a second by Councilman James to move from Executive Session back into Regular Session. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Being no further business, Councilman James moved with a second by Councilman Nichols to adjourn the meeting. Ayes: 7. Nays: 0. Motion carried.