The Lindon City Council held a regularly scheduled meeting on Tuesday, December 18,

ABSENT

2 **2007,** beginning at 7:00 p.m. in the Lindon City Center, City Council Chambers, 100 North State Street, Lindon, Utah.

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- Conducting: James A. Dain, Mayor
- 6 Pledge of Allegiance: Sam Driessen, Boy Scout
- Invocation: James A. Dain
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## **PRESENT**

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## James A. Dain, Mayor

- 12 Eric Anthony, Councilmember H. Toby Bath, Councilmember
- 14 Lindsey Bayless, Councilmember Bruce Carpenter, Councilmember
- 16 Jerald I. Hatch, Councilmember Ott H. Dameron, City Administrator
- 18 Adam Cowie, Planning Director Cody Cullimore, Chief of Police
- 20 Debra Cullimore, City Recorder
- 22 The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m.
- 24 **<u>MINUTES</u>** The minutes of the regular meeting of December 4, 2007 were reviewed.
- 26 COUNCILMEMBER CARPENTER MOVED TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THE DECEMBER 4, 2007 MEETING. COUNCILMEMBER HATCH SECONDED
- 28 THE MOTION. ALL PRESENT VOTED IN FAVOR. THE MOTION CARRIED.

## 30 OPEN SESSION -

- 32 Mayor Dain called for comments from any resident present who wished to address an issue not listed as an agenda item. There was no public comment.
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## MAYOR'S COMMENTS/REPORT -

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Mayor Dain reported that the first Mayor's Open House held in December was successful. He noted that he, Chief Cullimore, Public Works Director Don Peterson, and Councilmember Carpenter attended the Open House to discuss concerns with area

- 40 residents. The next Open House will be held at the home of John and Sharon Call on January 10, 2008 at 6:30 p.m.
- 42 Mayor Dain expressed appreciation for the hard work of Public Works employees who performed snow removal during recent storms.
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## <u>CONSENT AGENDA</u> –

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No items.

### CURRENT BUSINESS -

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 Preliminary Plat – Lindon Business Office Condominiums. This is a request by C&H Holding, LLC for preliminary plat approval of Lindon Business Office Condominiums, amending unit #2 of the recorded plat titled Total Health Commercial Subdivision and creating condominium units within the existing building formerly known as "Total Health Institute" in the CG zone at 385 West 600 North. The Planning Commission recommended approval with no conditions.

Chris Cross was present as the representative for this application. Mr. Cowie explained that this is a request for approval of a subdivision plat that will create individual commercial condominium units from and existing building formerly know as

- 16 the Total Health Institute. The plat will create four individual condominium units with associated common areas. No structural changes are proposed. Existing cross easements
- 18 will be maintained on the site. The Planning Commission recommended approval with no conditions.

# 20 Councilmember Hatch inquired as to responsibility for maintenance of the common areas. Mr. Cross stated that the owner of each of the condominium units will be

- 22 responsible for a portion of the maintenance. Mr. Cowie noted that the owner of each unit will own the interior portion of the building, but that the exterior will be owned by a
- 24 condominium association which will take responsibility for exterior maintenance. Councilmember Anthony asked if the building is currently in compliance with
- 26 applicable fire codes. Mr. Cowie stated that the applicants have met with the Chief Building Official, and that the building appears to meet all building code requirements.
- Councilmember Carpenter asked if existing lease agreements will remain in force, or if current tenants will be required to purchase units. Mr. Cross stated that the current
   tenants are the new owners, and that no tenant turnover is expected.
- Mayor Dain called for further comments or discussion. Hearing none, he called
- 32 for a motion.

 34 COUNCILMEMBER CARPENTER MOVED TO APPROVE THE LINDON BUSINESS OFFICE CONDOMINIUMS SUBDIVISION PRELIMINARY PLAT.
 36 COUNCILMEMBER BATH SECONDED THE MOTION. THE VOTE WAS

- RECORDED AS FOLLOWS: 38 COUNCILMEMBER ANTHONY AYE COUNCILMEMBER BATH AYE 40 COUNCILMEMBER BAYLESS AYE COUNCILMEMBER CARPENTER AYE 42 COUNCILMEMBER HATCH AYE
  - THE MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.
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2. <u>Public Hearing</u> – Ordinance Amendment – R2 Overlay Zone (#2007-14). This is a request by Marion Johnson for approval of an amendment to the R2 Overlay

 ordinance (LCC Section 17.46 – R2 Overlay) to allow additional lots or dwellings
 to access private drive-ways that are part of an R2 Overlay multi-family project. The Planning Commission recommended approval of the drafted ordinance
 amendments.

6 COUNCILMEMBER BATH MOVED TO OPEN THE PUBLIC HEARING TO
CONSIDER R2 - OVERLAY ORDINANCE AMENDMENTS. COUNCILMEMBER
8 HATCH SECONDED THE MOTION. ALL PRESENT VOTED IN FAVOR. THE
MOTION CARRIED.

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Mick Johnson was present as the representative for this application. Mr. Cowie 12 explained that this is a request for an amendment to the existing R2-Overlay Ordinance to allow driveway access to additional lots through private R2 driveways. He stated that the 14 proposed revisions allow future applications to be reviewed on a case by case basis with specific considerations. The Planning Commission approved the proposed revisions with 16 a vote of 4-1, with Chairperson Peters voting against revisions due to concerns regarding the potential number of lots which may be impacted and specific language in the 18 ordinance. The remaining members of the Planning Commission felt that proposed revisions would not affect a large number of potential lots, and that it was not a 20 significant concern. Mr. Cowie reviewed the existing R2-Overlay Ordinance, which divides the City 22 into sixteen R2 districts, with each district being allotted a specific number of R2 units. He noted that there is no limit to the number of potential accessory apartments which can be located in owner occupied single family homes if code requirements are met. Mr. 24 Cowie presented a map of R2 districts which showed the number of units still available throughout the City. Mr. Cowie noted that it does not appear that a large number of 26 projects would meet the criteria specified in proposed ordinance revisions. He noted that 28 projected numbers are speculative, and that specific circumstances could alter the actual number of possible projects which would meet the proposed criteria. 30 Mayor Dain called for public comment on this item. Hearing none, he called for a motion to close the public hearing. 32 COUNCILMEMBER HATCH MOVED TO CLOSE THE PUBLIC HEARING 34 TO CONSIDER R2-OVERLAY ORDINANCE AMENDMENTS. COUNCILMEMBER CARPENTER SECONDED THE MOTION. ALL PRESENT 36 VOTED IN FAVOR. THE MOTION CARRIED. 38 Councilmember Bayless stated that she felt comfortable with the proposed wording which allows the additional access only if it is found to provide safer access or 40 provide other reasonable benefits to the surrounding neighborhood. Councilmember Carpenter agreed that the specific criteria which are required will likely prevent overuse of the option. Councilmember Hatch also agreed the proposed wording, including the 42 requirement for the additional lot to meet frontage requirements, would limit the number 44 of potential lots which could be approved based on proposed criteria.

Mr. Cowie noted that a site plan amendment for the existing R2 project will be required to allow the access. Councilmember Carpenter inquired as to maintenance of the private drive area. Mr. Johnson stated that there will be an agreement among

- 2 property owners to provide maintenance of the private drive. Mayor Dain called for further comments or discussion. Hearing none, he called for a motion.
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- COUNCILMEMBER CARPENTER MOVED TO APPROVE ORDINANCE 6 #2007-14 AMENDING CHAPTER 17.46.090(11)(f) (STREETS WITHIN AN R2 OVERLAY PROJECT) OF THE LINDON CITY CODE, MODIFYING, AMENDING 8 AND REVISING PROVISIONS OF THE SECTION AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE. COUNCILMEMBER BATH SECONDED THE MOTION. THE 10 VOTE WAS RECORDED AS FOLLOWS: COUNCILMEMBER ANTHONY AYE 12 COUNCILMEMBER BATH AYE COUNCILMEMBER BAYLESS AYE 14 COUNCILMEMBER CARPENTER AYE COUNCILMEMBER HATCH AYE 16 THE MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY. 3. **Public Hearing** – Ordinance Amendments – On Street Parking/Storage of 18 Commercial Vehicles in Residential Zones (#2007-15). This is a request by staff 20 for approval of amendments to the LCC Section 10.16.170 and 10.16.260 dealing with on street parking and/or storage of commercial vehicles in residential zones. 22 The Planning Commission recommended approval of the draft ordinance amendments. 24 COUNCILMEMBER BAYLESS MOVED TO OPEN THE PUBLIC HEARING 26 TO CONSIDER ORDINANCE #2007-15. COUNCILMEMBER HATCH SECONDED THE MOTION. ALL PRESENT VOTED IN FAVOR. THE MOTION CARRIED. 28 Mr. Cowie explained that this is a City initiated review of the parking ordinance 30 for on street parking in residential zones. He noted that the Code Enforcement Officer has encountered several incidents where commercial vehicles have been parked in residential zones. The Planning Commission discussed proposed amendments during 32 several meetings, and has forwarded the ordinance to the City Council for action. 34 Mr. Cowie reviewed specific proposed revisions, including the definition for commercial vehicles as found in the Utah State Code, and including vehicles longer than 25 feet. Proposed language includes a list of exempted vehicles. Revisions would allow 36 parking of commercial vehicles in residential zones if the vehicle is parked behind the 30 38 foot front setback, and located behind a six foot sight obscuring fence or in an enclosed structure. Current as well as proposed ordinance requirements do not allow parking of 40 recreational vehicles, such as boats and trailers, within the 30 foot front setback. Proposed revisions would require that any vehicle parked on the street for a 42 period of 48 hours to then be removed from any public street for 48 hours before being parked on the street again. The intent of this requirement is to prevent literal use of 44 current requirements which specify that a vehicle must be moved every 48 hours, which allows the vehicle to be moved to a different location on the street and left for an
- 46 additional 48 hours. Councilmember Carpenter observed that proposed revisions allow

overnight parking of vehicles on the street that are used daily, but is intended to prevent

- 2 on street storage of vehicles.
   Councilmember Bayless observed that the first priority in drafting revisions is to
   4 address safety and visibility concerns. She noted that the rights of neighboring property
   owners should also be taken into consideration, especially when considering parking of
- 6 commercial vehicles in residential zones.
- Mr. Cowie presented photographs of violations of existing and proposed ordinance requirements. He noted that it is not the intent of the City to actively enforce parking restrictions, and that enforcement will likely occur based on complaints.
- 10 Proposed revisions will provide the tools necessary to deal with complaints on a case by case basis.
- 12 Councilmember Carpenter noted that the general principal of proposed revisions is to clarify that streets are not intended to be used as storage areas. He noted that
- 14 amendments also effectively address sight distance and safety concerns.

Mayor Dain called for public comment. James Driessen expressed concern regarding some language in the proposed ordinance which he felt may be unclear. He suggested that different rules should be applied to recreational vehicles parked on private

- 18 property as opposed to commercial vehicles. He encouraged the Council to carefully consider specific language in the ordinance.
- 20 Dave Eaves expressed concern regarding the impact of proposed ordinance revisions on his ability to use a parking area he has created on his property on Canal
- 22 Drive. He explained that he has created a flat parking area which is located within the front setback of his property.
- 24 Rebecca Haslem asked if safety issues would exist if large vehicles are parked behind the 30 foot setback. Mayor Dain explained that parking and storage of
- 26 recreational vehicles behind the front setback is allowed, and does not present safety concerns.
- 28 Mayor Dain called for further comments or discussion. Hearing none, he called for a motion to close the Public Hearing.
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## COUNCILMEMBER BATH MOVED TO CLOSE THE PUBLIC HEARING TO 32 CONSIDER ORDINANCE #2007-15. COUNCILMEMBER HATCH SECONDED THE MOTION. ALL PRESENT VOTED IN FAVOR. THE MOTION CARRIED.

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Councilmember Carpenter noted that some vehicles may share residential and 36 commercial uses. Mr. Cowie noted that any pick up truck less than 25 feet in length is not defined as a commercial vehicle. He noted that defining commercial vehicles is 38 somewhat complex, due to the fact that some commercial vehicles, such as dump trucks, may be less than 25 feet in length. The Council discussed the possibility if revising the 40 language to state that any passenger vehicle is not defined as a commercial vehicle. Councilmember Carpenter inquired as to specific requirements for school buses. 42 Mr. Cowie stated that school buses are exempt from commercial vehicle requirements under proposed revisions. He noted that he contacted Alpine School District regarding 44 their policy on parking of buses. He was informed that parking of school buses at residences overnight is prohibited by district policy, but that buses may be parked at

46 residences between runs during the day in certain situations. He felt that it would be

reasonable to leave provisions regarding parking of school buses in the ordinance to

- 2 address any unforeseen issues. Councilmember Carpenter noted that parking of school buses should be treated differently than parking of commercial vehicles, based on the fact
- 4 that school buses serve a compelling public interest.

The Council went on to discuss parking and storage of recreational vehicles on private property, and whether proposed language may be too restrictive. They discussed

- the possibility of including a specific time period which would allow short term storageof recreational vehicles parked in driveways. Councilmember Hatch and Councilmember
- Anthony expressed that they felt parking of recreational vehicles, such as boats, in driveways should be allowed, provided that there were no associated sight or safety
- issues. Mr. Cowie observed that allowing parking of boats or recreational vehicles
- 12 anywhere in the 30 foot front setback will require ordinance revisions to differentiate between driveway areas and landscaped areas to prevent legal parking of vehicles in front
- 14 yards.

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The Council also discussed possible problem with enforcement based on

- 16 complaint. Mayor Dain noted that ordinance requirements may be unfairly during neighborhood disputes. Mr. Cowie noted that several other ordinance sections would
- 18 require revisions if current requirements regarding parking in the front setback are revised. Mr. Cowie noted that parking of recreational vehicles in the front 30 foot
- 20 setback is not allowed under current code, and that approval of this ordinance does not affect that particular requirement. Councilmember Bayless suggested that the ordinance
- 22 be passed at this time, but that Mr. Cowie be directed to review that section of the existing ordinance for possible revision in the future. The Council discussed possible
- 24 language which may allow parking is specific circumstances which do not present safety concerns. Councilmember Bath felt that current ordinance requirements allow
- 26 enforcement based on complaint, but provides the necessary tools to address problematic situations. Mayor Dain felt that enforcement based on complaint may be problematic if
- 28 requirement are not consistently enforced. He inquired as to whether the Council would prefer to pass the ordinance as presented with the possibility of future revisions, or
- 30 continue the item for further discussion. The Council felt it would be appropriate to proceed with approval of the ordinance with specific language revisions. Mr. Cowie
- 32 reviewed specific language changes requested by the Council, including changing the wording to "parking or storage" rather than "parking and storage", that school buses be
- 34 exempt but that overnight parking of school buses not be allowed, and specify "passenger vehicles" and pick up trucks under 25 feet as exempt. Mayor Dain called for a motion.
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- COUNCILMEMBER BATH MOVED TO APPROVE ORDINANCE #2007-15 38 AMENDING THE LINDON CITY CODE CHAPTER 10.16.260 TITLED "PARKING AND STORAGE OF COMMERCIAL VEHICLES, RECREATIONAL VEHICLES, 40 BOATS, AND TRAILERS IN A RESIDENTIAL ZONE" AND 10.16.170 TITLED "PARKING TIME LIMIT," MODIFYING, AMENDING AND REVISING THE 42 PROVISIONS OF THE SECTIONS AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE WITH LANGUAGE REVISIONS AS DISCUSSED. THE VOTE WAS RECORDED 44 AS FOLLOWS: COUNCILMEMBER ANTHONY NAY

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6 4. <u>**Review and Action**</u> – Agreement between Lindon City and Spillman Technologies, Inc. for Police Department Software. This is a request by the 8 Lindon City Police Department. The cost of the comprehensive software package is \$252,000.

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Jeff Andrus of Spillman technologies was present to address the Council. Chief Cullimore noted that several members of the Council previously attended a

demonstration of the Spillman system. He explained that the database and a shared 14 server is used throughout Utah and Juab counties, which facilitates a cooperative effort among local law enforcement agencies when tracking criminal activity. Chief Cullimore

16 noted that the system will also allow the department to track various personnel issues, such as training hours, with some of the components being used throughout the City in 18 other departments.

Chief Cullimore stated that the City has successfully negotiated with Spillman to 20 provide the third year of annual fees free of charge. He noted that following discussion,

the City has elected not to include the fleet maintenance module in the package which 22 will be purchased. Mr. Andrus presented a revised agreement with associated costs

without the fleet maintenance module. Chief Cullimore explained that Spillman has also agreed to defer half of the payment for the software until after July 2008. 24

Councilmember Carpenter expressed that while the program is necessary and is a good product, the City feels that they have already purchased "buy in" to the system

through fees paid to Pleasant Grove for contract services. Mr. Andrus explained that past 28 fees were taken into consideration, and that waiver of maintenance fees and inclusion of

two additional modules in the system at no additional charge are intended to offset the 30 initial cost to the City.

Mayor Dain called for further comments or discussion. Hearing none, he called 32 for a motion.

34 COUNCILMEMBER BATH MOVED TO APPROVE THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN LINDON CITY AND SPILLMAN TECHNOLOGIES, INC FOR POLICE DEPARTMENT SOFTWARE PROGRAMS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$246,000, WITH 36 50% OF THE PAYMENT TO BE PAID AT THIS TIME AND 50% OF THE 38 PAYMENT TO BE PAID AFTER JULY 1, 2008. COUNCILMEMBER BAYLESS SECONDED THE MOTION. THE VOTE WAS RECORDED AS FOLLOWS: 40 COUNCILMEMBER ANTHONY AYE COUNCILMEMBER BATH AYE 42 COUNCILMEMBER BAYLESS AYE COUNCILMEMBER CARPENTER AYE 44 COUNCILMEMBER HATCH AYE

THE MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

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5. <u>Discussion</u> – *Street Lighting Program.* This is a request by staff for the Mayor and Council's review of the current Lindon City Street Lighting Program. Alternative programs will also be discussed.

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City Engineer, Mark Christensen was present for this discussion. Mr. Christensen 6 reviewed the current street lighting plan used by the City. He outlined various lighting styles, and the location and frequency of each of the lights. Lighting styles discussed 8 included Town and Country, Cobra Head, and Washington Post. Town and Country and Cobra Head lights are owned partially by the City and partially by Rocky Mountain 10 Power, and are maintained by Rocky Mountain Power. Washington Post lights are owned and maintained by the City. 12 Councilmember Carpenter inquired as to whether it is the policy of the City to install street lights in new developments. Mr. Christensen stated that developers are 14 responsible for the cost of lights in new developments, but that the lights are installed by Rocky Mountain Power. He noted that there can be significant delays in actual 16 installation of the lights. Mr. Dameron explained that the purpose of this discussion is to determine 18 whether the City Council would like to expand the street lighting program within the City, and if so what areas should be prioritized and how should the lighting be paid for. 20 Mr. Christensen explained that Rocky Mountain Power is changing practice, and no longer wants to take responsibility for installation of new lights. Rocky Mountain 22 Power will maintain ownership of lights currently owned by the company. He noted that there are two options to provide installation of lights in future development. The City 24 could hold the developer responsible for purchase and installation of street lights, or the developer could be required to pay a bond to cover the cost of the lights and installation 26 by the City. Councilmember Anthony expressed interest in obtaining a list of lights which 28 have been bonded for and not yet installed, as well as the projected cost for the City to install lights in all areas in the City which do not meet current guidelines. Mr. 30 Christensen stated that bids have been requested from Custom Lighting Services, and that preliminary cost estimates have been submitted. 32 Councilmember Carpenter noted that Orem City installed street lighting city-wide using a Special Improvement District Bond. Orem residents will pay approximately \$48 34 per year over a 20 year period to repay the bond. He observed that if Lindon were to install half as many lights as Orem, residents would pay approximately \$25 per year for 36 bond repayment. Councilmember Anthony asked Chief Cullimore what impact increased lighting 38 would have on safety in the community. Chief Cullimore explained that light is biggest deterrent to crime, and that adequate lighting creates a perception of safety and a sense of 40 well being for residents. Mayor Dain inquired as to what percentage of the City currently complies with 42 established lighting guidelines. Mr. Christensen estimated that approximately 35%-40% of the City meets current lighting standards. Mr. Cowie presented a map of the City 44 showing existing street lights. Mayor Dain observed that the City could take the approach of installing street lighting using a Special Improvement District bond, or lighting could be installed upon 46

request in areas that do not meet lighting guidelines. He asked Mr. Dameron if the City

- would be financially able to install lighting in specific areas upon request. Mr. Dameron 2 responded that the City would likely be able to absorb the cost of installation of lighting
- 4 based on requests over time. Mr. Dameron will review specific costs to install lighting using the current criteria and determine what level of funding would be available from

#### the General Fund. 6

The Council went on to discuss costs associated with specific lighting styles

- 8 which may be used in various areas. Mr. Christensen explained that in addition to the purchase price for the lights, each light will require \$2,000 to \$4,000 in installation cost.
- 10 Councilmember Carpenter observed that it may be possible to install lights in one area a year over a period of time, similar to the method currently being used to update and
- 12 install ADA curb ramps throughout the City. Mr. Dameron and Mr. Christensen will investigate lighting options further, and
- 14 will formulate cost estimates for installation of lighting.

16 6. **Review and Action** – Cooperative Agreement between Lindon City and UDOT – *Lindon Heritage Trail.* This is a request by staff and UDOT for approval of the cooperative agreement to allow the Lindon Heritage Trail to be advertised for 18 construction.

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City Engineer, Mark Christensen was present to answer questions regarding this item. He reviewed discrepancies in the matching funds amounts shown on the information provided by UDOT. Mr. Christensen explained that inaccurate figures were used to calculate matching funds for right-of-way acquisition, and that Safe Routes to Schools funds were also allocated and added to this project which generated a significant savings to the City. Mr. Christensen also explained that the City is required to include a percentage of

28 anticipated revenue to project to cover cost overruns, as well as a 10% contingency fund. He stated that if bids come in lower than the money which has been allocated, UDOT

30 will release that additional funds immediately, with the exception of the 10% contingency, which will be held until completion of the project.

32 Mr. Christensen explained that the amount of federal grant funding is fixed, and that the City is responsible for all costs over the amount of allocated grant funds. The

- 34 City will realize the benefit of any cost savings over the amount of grant funds. Mayor Dain called for further comments or discussion. Hearing none, he called
- 36 for a motion.

38	COUNCILMEMBER BAYLESS MOVED TO APPROVE THE
	COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT BETWEEN LINDON CITY AND UDOT TO ALLOW
40	THE LINDON HERITAGE TRAIL TO BE ADVERTISED FOR CONSTRUCTION.
	COUNCILMEMBER ANTHONY SECONDED THE MOTION. THE VOTE WAS
42	RECORDED AS FOLLOWS:

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	COUNCILMEMBER BAYLESS	AYE
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## COUNCILMEMBER HATCH AYE

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4 7. **Review and Action** – *Financial Audit Report for fiscal year 2006-2007*. Michael R. Stoddard of the firm "CPA Network, LLC" and Kristen Colson, former Finance Director, Kristen Colson, will present the City's annual financial audit 6 report to the mayor and City Council. 8 Mike Stoddard of CPA Network, LLC, and former Finance Director, Kristen 10 Colson, were present to address the Council. Mr. Stoddard observed that, as stated in the independent audit report prepared by his firm, the audit has revealed a clean opinion on 12 the financials of the City. He noted that while the issue is not specifically addressed in the audit report, according to his observations while performing the audit Lindon City is 14 in sound financial shape. He stated that the unrestricted fund balance of the City was 17%, which is below the allowable 18% allowable unrestricted fund balance. 16 Ms. Colson presented figures found in the year end financial statements for the City, including long term debt, assets, liabilities, and unrestricted net assets. She noted 18 that figures received from CUP show that debt to be less than the anticipated 7.4 million dollars. She noted that the City's bonding potential will increase based on the new 20 figures. Mayor Dain observed that based on this new information, the projected cost of the new aquatics facility is more conservative than anticipated. 22 Mr. Stoddard stated that the audit makes no further recommendations regarding internal controls, and that recent action taken by the City to separate the duties of the Finance Director and Treasurer addresses concerns regarding segregation of duties in 24 previous audit reports. He noted that those finding in previous audits have included a comment that the staffing structure was not improper due to the size of the City, but that 26 the City should take action to mitigate any potential problems resulting from the staffing 28 structure. He noted that it is not feasible to completely eliminate risk, and that the City has a culture of honesty and integrity which helps to minimize risk potential. Mr. 30 Stoddard noted that the existing bond for the Treasurer was found to be inadequate, and that a new bond will be issued for the new Treasurer. 32 Mr. Stoddard explained that the figures in the Financial Audit Report are highly aggregated, and that more detailed information can be found in the June 30 financial 34 statements. Mayor Dain called for further comments or discussion. Hearing none, he called for a motion. 36 COUNCILMEMBER CARPENTER MOVED TO ACCEPT THE FINANCIAL 38 AUDIT REPORT FOR FISCAL YEAR 2006-2007 AS PRESENTED. COUNCILMEMBER BATH SECONDED THE MOTION. THE VOTE WAS 40 **RECORDED AS FOLLOWS:** COUNCILMEMBER ANTHONY AYE 42 COUNCILMEMBER BATH AYE COUNCILMEMBER BAYLESS AYE 44 COUNCILMEMBER CARPENTER AYE COUNCILMEMBER HATCH AYE 46 THE MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

 Review and Action – Agreement between Lindon City and VCBO Architecture – Lindon City Aquatics Center. This is a request by staff and VCBO Architecture for approval of the agreement for design services and construction oversight for Lindon City Aquatics Center. The fee for the basic services is proposed at 6.25% of construction costs.
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- 8 Mayor Dain called for discussion or questions from the Council. Hearing none, he called for a motion.
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COUNCILMEMBER BAYLESS MOVED TO APPROVE THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN LINDON CITY AND VCBO ARCHITECTURE FOR THE LINDON CITY AQUATICS CENTER. COUNCILMEMBER HATCH SECONDED THE MOTION.

14	THE VOTE WAS RECORDED AS FOLLOWS:	
	COUNCILMEMBER ANTHONY	AYE
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	COUNCILMEMBER BAYLESS	AYE
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	COUNCILMEMBER HATCH	AYE

- 20 THE MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.
- 9. <u>Review and Action</u> *Lindon City Tree Advisory Board Appointment*. This is a request by Mayor Dain for the City Council's consent and approval of the appointment of Cori Simmons to the Lindon City Tree Advisory Board to serve a four year term until December 2011.
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Mayor Dain explained that Ms. Simmons is not a tree expert, but is excited to serve on the Tree Advisory Board. Councilmember Anthony inquired as to whether this recommendation was made by the Tree Advisory Board. Mayor Dain stated that there

30 may have been some confusion in the past regarding appointments, but that appointments are made by the Mayor and City Council rather than existing board members.

Councilmember Anthony requested that the Council consider the option to take recommendations from the board for future appointments. Mayor Dain called for a motion.

#### 36 COUNCILMEMBER ANTHONY MOVED TO APPROVE THE APPOINTMENT OF CORI SIMMONS TO SERVE AS A MEMBER OF THE 38 LINDON CITY TREE ADVISORY BOARD FOR A FOUR YEAR TERM UNTIL DECEMBER 2011. COUNCILMEMBER BAYLESS SECONDED THE MOTION. 40 THE VOTE WAS RECORDED AS FOLLOWS: COUNCILMEMBER ANTHONY AYE COUNCILMEMBER BATH 42 AYE COUNCILMEMBER BAYLESS AYE 44 COUNCILMEMBER CARPENTER AYE COUNCILMEMBER HATCH AYE

46 THE MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.

2	10. <u><b>Review and Action</b></u> – <i>Resolution</i> – <i>Public Safety Non-contributory Retirement</i>
4	<i>Systems (#2007-20).</i> This is a request by Chief Cody Cullimore for approval of a resolution which is required by the Utah State Retirement Systems in order for the
6	City's police officers to participate in the Public Safety Non-contributory Retirement System.
8	Mr. Dameron explained that the Utah State Retirement System requires that the City pass an ordinance to allow new officers hire by the police department to enter the 20
10	year Public Safety non-contributory retirement system. Mayor Dain called for comments or discussion. Hearing none, he called for a motion.
12	COUNCILMEMBER BAYLESS MOVED TO APPROVE RESOLUTION
14	#2007-20 REQUESTING ADMISSION INTO THE PUBLIC SAFETY NONCONTRIBUTORY RETIREMENT SYSTEM AND SETTING AN EFFECTIVE
16	DATE. COUNCILMEMBER CARPENTER SECONDED THE MOTION. THE VOTE WAS RECORDED AS FOLLOWS:
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22	COUNCILMEMBER HATCH AYE THE MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY.
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26	11. <u><b>Review and Action</b></u> – <i>Resolution</i> – <i>Amendment to Staffing Document (#2007-21)</i> . This is a request by staff to amend the City's staffing document by separating the
28	position of Treasurer from the position of Finance Director/Treasurer. The Utah State Code states that the City Finance Director "may not assume the duties of the City Treasurer." Also, this change is recommended by the City's auditor to allow
30	for additional segregation of duties which helps in the prevention of fraud. If this resolution is approved, Dona Haacke will assume the duties of the Treasurer and
32	the Assistant Treasurer position will remain unfilled. Ms. Haacke's salary will be set according to the City's pay range schedule and a survey of similar position in
34	Utah Valley.
36	Mr. Dameron explained that this amendment to the staffing structure will allow segregation of duties of the Finance Director and Treasurer. Mr. Dameron
38	and members of the Council expressed confidence in Ms. Haacke's ability to take responsibility for the duties of the Treasurer. Mayor Dain called for further
40	comments or discussion. Hearing none, he called for a motion.
42	COUNCILMEMBER BATH MOVED TO APPROVE RESOLUTION #2007-21 APPROVING AN AMENDMENT TO THE STAFFING DOCUMENT FOR LINDON
44	CITY AND SETTING AN EFFECTIVE DATE. COUNCILMEMBER BAYLESS SECONDED THE MOTION. THE VOTE WAS RECORDED AS FOLLOWS:
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## <u>COUNCIL REPORTS</u> –

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Mayor Dain reported on the discussion and specific concerns expressed by resident at the recent Open House event. He requested that several staff members, including the Public Works Director Don Peterson, Chief Cullimore, and Mr. Dameron,

12 as well as Councilmember Carpenter and Councilmember Bath, attend the next Open House which will be held Thursday, January 10, 2008.

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## WATER, SEWER, SOLID WASTE, HOUSING CONSORTIUM -

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Councilmember Hatch reported that dumping rates at the transfer station are expected to be reduced this year based on profits last year.

Councilmember Hatch inquired as to recent activity at the power plant located in 20 Vineyard which produced a very loud sound which was reported by residents. He requested that the City follow up with the power plant and report the cause of the noise to

22 residents using the City newsletter and website.

## 24 TRAILS, PLANNING, ZONING, BD OF ADJ., ADMINISTRATION -

- 26 Councilmember Bayless reported that she had a conversation with a resident regarding parks. The resident reported that there was a "concerted effort" in her area to 28 request development of a central park in the City with play structures rather than smaller parks throughout the City. Councilmember Bayless clarified to this particular resident
- 30 that feedback from residents to the Council indicates that the majority of residents favor smaller parks closer to home in locations throughout the City.
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## PUBLIC SAFETY, COURT, BUILDING INSPECTIONS -

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Councilmember Bath thanked the Council for their support in the process of establishing the Police Department. He discussed a contract with All Pro Security to provide courtroom security. The firm has been providing security services for

- 38 approximately one week, and will be included in the court budget next fiscal year. Councilmember Bath expressed that it is beneficial to have two security officers present
- 40 during court proceedings. He noted that the potential for violence in the courtroom is unpredictable, and that in some situations it would be necessary to have two officers to
- 42 maintain the safety and security of others present in the courtroom.

## 44 PARKS, RECREATION, ENGINEERING, LINDON FAIR, NEWSLETTER –

Councilmember Anthony expressed appreciation for the work of Code Enforcement Officer, Gary Hoglund.

### 4 <u>GENERAL PLAN, STREETS & SIDEWALKS, PUBLIC BUILDINGS</u> –

 Councilmember Carpenter reported on a recent newspaper article about the Creekside Retirement Community located adjacent to Creekside Meadows. The article indicates that provisions of the Development Agreement entered into with Fieldstone Homes may not be honored. Mr. Dameron will follow up with the Planning Department and the developer.
 The Council went on to discuss possible names for appointment to the Board of Adjustments and the Tree Advisory Board. Mayor Dain requested that any suggestions for appointments be forwarded to him.
 <u>ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT</u> –

18	Mr. Dameron reported on the following items:
	1. The annual family Christmas Party will be held at the Public Works complex
20	Friday, December 21, 2007 at noon.
	2. Public Works employee Jason Parker has passed Class 4 Water Certification.
22	3. Water service to the historic tithing office has been terminated to avoid breakage
	of pipes in the unoccupied structure.
24	4. The City is meeting with Brent Tippets of VCBO Architecture to discuss the bid
	process and timeline for the aquatics facility.
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	COUNCILMEMBER BATH MOVED TO APPROVE THE PAY VOUCHERS.
28	COUNCILMEMBER BAYLESS SECONDED THE MOTION. ALL PRESENT
	VOTED IN FAVOR. THE MOTION CARRIED.
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	<u>ADJOURN</u> –
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	COUNCILMEMBER BAYLESS MOVED TO ADJOURN THE MEETING AT
34	10:54 P.M. COUNCILMEMBER BATH SECONDED THE MOTION. ALL
	PRESENT VOTED IN FAVOR. THE MOTION CARRIED.
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	Approved – January 15, 2008
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	Debra Cullimore, City Recorder
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