

UINTAH CITY



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Mayor Gordon Cutler

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Jerry Smith

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UINTAH CITY COUNCIL MEETING

TUESDAY, MARCH 1ST, 2022

7:00 PM

MINUTES

Planning – Robert Guiller

Building Inspector - Jeff Monroe

Treasurer – Mike Ulrich

Sheriff – Lt. Ryan

Fire Chief – Paul Sullivan

Attendees: Mayor Cutler, Dave Boothe, Michelle Roberts, Jolene Sturzenegger, Misty & Richard Beacher, Gary Worthen, Lt. Ryan

Excused: Kristi Bell; Jerry Smith

MEETING MINUTES:

1. **MEETING CALL TO ORDER:** Mayor Cutler called the meeting to order for Tuesday, March 1st, 2022.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Led by Michelle Roberts.

CONFLICT OF INTEREST: Council members are required by law to file a public disclosure statement with the City Recorder listing business interests and investments that could create a conflict of interest with the duties of the Council Member. When a matter in which a Council member has a business or investment interest appears on the Council agenda, the Council member must publicly disclose that interest.

Mayor Cutler asked the Council if they had any conflicts of interest with tonight's agenda; there were none.

- Mayor Cutler excused Council Member Kristi Bell; she is at the Rural Water Association Conference in St. George.
- Mayor Cutler excused Council Member Jerry Smith; he is attending a water meeting at the Scout House.

2. **PUBLIC COMMENT (2 minutes per person):** (00:01:16)

- Weber County Deputy, Gary Worthen, spoke to the Council regarding the Fallen Officer Memorial project that was completed and placed at the Uintah Cemetery; he expressed that it is time to do a dedication for that. Deputy Worthen brought an example to the Council of what he had in mind, as far as having speakers present at this dedication, and he and the Council reviewed this and discussed a timeframe for when there might be a good turnout from the community. The idea of the Friday evening prior to the Saturday U-Day celebration in June, was one idea that was most discussed with those present tonight. The Council advised Deputy Worthen to reach out to Council Member Smith who is over the cemetery, and Council Member Bell who is over the U-Day celebration, to try to coordinate a dedication of this.
- Deputy Worthen mentioned that photos of this memorial did go to Washington D.C., and photos of this memorial were also published in a national police officer magazine; the magazine asked for more details regarding the memorial, because they wanted to use Uintah's as an example to others, of a completed fallen officer memorial (they asked this because they had donated money to help complete it, and were pleased with the outcome).
- Deputy Worthen thanked the Council for their time and for allowing him to speak past the two minute time mark that is typically given for public comment.

3. **APPROVAL OF CITY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES HELD FEBRUARY 15TH, 2022:** (00:24:35)

Presenter: Mayor Cutler

- City Council reviewed the City Council Meeting minutes from February 15th, 2022.
- Michelle Roberts motioned to approve the City Council Meeting minutes, as written, from February 15th, 2022.
- Dave Boothe seconded the motion.
- Mayor Cutler asked if there was any discussion on the motion; there were none.
- All in favor; the motion passed.

4. **PLANNING COMMISSION REPORT TO COUNCIL:** (00:25:00)

Presenter: Robert Guiller

- Robert Guiller was not present at tonight's meeting.
- Michelle Roberts commented that she did review the Planning Commission meeting minutes from February 22nd, and it appears that the meeting consisted of reviewing/renewing (Uintah's) conditional use permits.

5. **COUNCIL COMMENTS TO PUBLIC COMMENTS:** (00:25:16)

- Council comments were discussed prior, as Deputy Worthen gave his public comment.

6. **CITY COUNCIL DEPARTMENT REPORTS:** (00:25:28)

PARKS; BUILDINGS; NUISANCES; EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS; PLANNING COMMISSION – DAVE BOOTHE

- Dave reported that the furnace at the Scout House is not functioning again and advised the Council that it might be time to think about purchasing a new one; the furnace is well over twenty years old.
- Dave advised that he noticed Weber Fire District is getting ready to allow for open burn permits; timeframe is March 30th through May 30th.

WATER; GARBAGE; CTC; U-DAY; NEWSLETTER – KRISTI BELL

- Excused

ANIMAL CONTROL; WEBER COUNTY TRAILS; EQUIPMENT; ROADS – MICHELLE ROBERTS

- Michelle advised that she had a resident call regarding the safety of 6600 S; he is the resident who had the fatality happen in front of his home last week. Michelle explained that he told her he would like to help fund/donate to have signs placed on 6600 S that are solar and flash at drivers if they are speeding.
- Lt. Ryan advised that he could bring the County's speed trailers back and place them there, to see first how big this problem is. Lt. Ryan advised that when the trailer was last placed in Uintah it was not working properly, but it is now and can provide a lot of good data after leaving it sitting there a week or so. Michelle asked to also have the trailer placed where it was previously placed near City Hall, to get an accurate indication of speeding there as well, in efforts to be pro-active. As a side note, Lt. Ryan advised that in that particular fatality last week, speed did not appear to be a factor at this time; it was however a stormy night with high winds that may have more likely been the factor.
- Michelle reported to Council that the Easter hunt is being worked on and scheduled for April 16th.

CEMETERY; SERVICE PROJECTS; RAILROAD RELATIONS – JERRY SMITH

- Excused

STORM WATER & FLOODPLAIN; GRANTS; FIRE DEPARTMENT; WACOG – MAYOR CUTLER

- Mayor Cutler reported that he had a meeting today regarding the bridge at Adams; the timeline for now will be to start the project next Spring (2023), to only have one lane closed at a time, and that the project should hopefully only take 4-6 months to complete (Spring through Summer of 2023).

7. MEETING ADJOURNMENT: (00:50:25)

Presenter: Mayor Cutler

Dave Boothe motioned to adjourn the meeting.

Michelle Roberts seconded the motion.

All in favor; the motion passed. The meeting was adjourned.

APPROVED by City Council this 15th day of March, 2022.


Jolene Sturzenegger, Uintah City Recorder