

MINUTES–CITY OF ASHTON

COUNCIL MEETING

Wednesday, January 10, 2024

6:00 p.m.

714 Main Street

*The purpose of the Agenda is to assist the Council and interested citizens in the conduct of the public meeting. Careful review of the Agenda is encouraged. Testimony from the public will be solicited for any item or issue listed under the category of **Public Hearings**. The Mayor will not normally allow audience participation at any other time. Idaho Law prohibits council action on items brought under this section except in an emergency circumstance. Questions concerning items appearing on this Agenda or requests for accommodation of special needs to participate in the meetings should be addressed to the Office of the City Clerk or call 208-652-3987*

PRAYER OFFERED BY: John Kaelberer
CALL TO ORDER & WELCOME
PLEDGE LED BY: Tom Mattingly

In Attendance: Tom Mattingly, Teresa Hansen, Jerry Funke, John Scafe, John Kaelberer and Nate Finley.

Also, in attendance: Deputy Clerk Warnke, Chief Griffel, Joel Vega, Nicole Vega, Mary Lou Mattingly, Detective Owens, Cristy Owens, Andrew Hood, Terisa Hood, Valerie Finley, Kristy Hall, Kambry Hall, Teagan Hall, Ryan Hall, Joel Vega, Rosa Vega, Marta Nevarez, Joel Vega, Wendy Vega, Natalie Loveland, Denise Vega and Rachel Hatton.

Mayor Mattingly welcomed everyone and opened the meeting at 6:00 pm.

1. CONSENT AGENDA: ACTION ITEM

Being considered routine by the City Council, these items will be enacted by one motion unless requested by a Councilman or a citizen that one or more items be removed for later discussion.

- A. **Minutes** – Approval of Meeting Minutes 12-13-2023
- B. **Treasurers Report** - As Submitted
- C. **Payables** – Bills for Council approval as a result of City expenditures
- D. **Employee Expenses** – As submitted

Councilman Kaelberer made a motion to approve the Consent Agenda as presented. Councilman Scafe seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Regular Business:

Each speaker will be allowed a maximum of 5 minutes unless repeat testimony is requested by the Mayor/Council.

1. Thank You to Outgoing Councilman – Mayor Mattingly

Mayor Mattingly thanked Councilman Funke for his service to the City through the last 8 years. He presented him with a plaque. Councilman Funke thanked the Mayor and the City for everything.

2. Newly Elected Officials Oath of Office – Mayor Mattingly

Mayor Mattingly, Councilwoman Hansen and Councilman Finley took their oaths of office. Joel Vega then took the oath of office as a police officer. Mayor Mattingly thanked Officer Vega’s family as well as the other families for attending the meeting.

3. ITD Discussion – City Clerk Stegelmeier, Jason Mitzger, Greg Bowman, ITD representatives ACTION ITEM

Mayor Mattingly explained that due to the snowstorm, the ITD will be coming to the City Council’s February meeting.

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4. **Project Discussion – City Clerk Stegelmeier** ***ACTION ITEM***

Mayor Mattingly explained that this item will be discussed at the February meeting.

5. **Scheduling – City Clerk Stegelmeier** ***ACTION ITEM***

Mayor Mattingly went over the schedule with the City Council.

John Scafe reminded everyone about the American Dog Derby which will be held February 16th & 17th, 2024. They will be deciding soon if there is enough snow to start in town. They will announce their decision. They need a 2 to 2 ½ foot good base to have the race. He hopes everyone attends the race. It is a historical race and fun to watch. He expressed his appreciation to the City and the Chamber for their assistance with putting on the event.

6. **ADJOURNMENT**

Councilman Kaelberer made a motion to adjourn. Councilwoman Hansen seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

The meeting ended at 7:15 pm

Minutes respectfully submitted by Cathy Stegelmeier, City Clerk.

Attest

Cathy Stegelmeier

City Clerk

Tom Mattingly

Mayor