



CITY OF SHELTON, WASHINGTON - CITY COUNCIL

City Council Meeting Minutes

July 11, 2023 – 6:00 p.m.

Civic Center & Virtual Platform

COUNCILMEMBERS AND PERSONNEL

Councilmembers:

Mayor Eric Onisko
Deputy Mayor Joe Schmit
James Boad
Miguel Gutierrez
Kathy McDowell
Deidre Peterson
Sharon Schirman

Personnel:

City Manager Mark Ziegler
City Clerk Donna Nault
Public Works Director Jay Harris
Recreation Coordinator Jordanne Krumpols

CALL TO ORDER

Call to Order: 6:00 p.m.

Pledge of Allegiance: Mayor Onisko

Roll Call: City Clerk Nault – All Present

LATE CHANGES TO THE AGENDA

None

CITY COUNCIL REPORTS

None

CONSENT AGENDA

1. Vouchers numbered 108445 through 108453 in the total amount of \$1,057,163.11
2. Vouchers numbered APA002808 through APA002841 in the total amount of \$124,638.50
3. Vouchers numbered 108466 through 108469 in the total amount of \$2,380.50
4. Vouchers numbered APA002842 through APA002865 in the total amount of \$284,370.06
5. Vouchers numbered 108478 through 108491 in the total amount of \$85,869.89
6. Vouchers numbered APA002866 through APA002899 in the total amount of \$114,919.19
7. Minutes:
 - Business Meeting of May 16, 2023
 - Study Session of May 23, 2023

A motion was made by Deputy Mayor Schmit and seconded by Councilmember Schirman to approve the Consent Agenda as published. Passed.

BUSINESS AGENDA

1. Resolution No. 1274-0623 Civic Center Parking Lot Final Acceptance – Presented by Public Works Director Jay Harris

Public Works Director Harris reviewed the Civic Center Parking Lot project and discussed the final acceptance of project completion. Discussion followed. Public comment: Mary Eagleson.

A motion was made by Deputy Mayor Schmit and seconded by Councilmember Gutierrez to place Resolution No. 1274-0623 on the July 18, 2023 City Council Action Agenda for further consideration. Passed.

Mayor Onisko recessed from the regular meeting and opened a Public Hearing.

2. Public Hearing – Ordinance No. 2006-0523 Intent to Vacate 5th Street-Grove Street to Cota Street – Presented by Public Works Director Jay Harris

Public Works Director Harris reviewed a proposal to vacate a public right-of-way and a state grant for fencing. Discussion followed. No public testimony. City Clerk Nault provided the reading of Ordinance No. 2006-0523.

A motion was made by Deputy Mayor Schmit and seconded by Councilmember McDowell to forward Ordinance No. 2006-0523 to the July 18, 2023 City Council Action Agenda for further consideration. Passed.

Mayor Onisko closed the Public Hearing and opened another Public Hearing.

3. Public Hearing – Ordinance No. 2008-0623 Repealing & Re-adopting Ch. 2.56-Relating to the Police Department – Presented by City Manager Mark Ziegler

City Manager Ziegler discussed proposed changes to Shelton Municipal Code 2.56 removing inconsistent provisions and updating appointment procedures. No discussion. No public testimony. City Clerk Nault provided the reading of Ordinance No. 2008-0623.

A motion was made by Deputy Mayor Schmit and seconded by Councilmember Gutierrez to place Ordinance No. 2008-0623 on the July 18, 2023 City Council Action Agenda for further consideration. Passed.

Mayor Onisko closed the Public Hearing and resumed the regular meeting.

4. Resolution No. 1275-0623 Approval of City Manager Contract – Presented by City Manager Mark Ziegler

City Manager Ziegler discussed his appointment as City Manager and presented a contract and resolution for City Council consideration. Discussion followed. No public comment.

A motion was made by Councilmember Gutierrez and seconded by Councilmember Schirman to place Resolution No. 1275-0623 on the July 18, 2023 City Council Action Agenda for further consideration. Passed.

ACTION AGENDA

1. Traffic Box Wrap Project - Presented by Recreation Coordinator Jordanne Krumpols

Recreation Coordinator Krumpols reviewed art recommendations for the city's Traffic Box Wrap Project. Discussion followed. No public comment.

A motion was made by Councilmember Gutierrez and seconded by Deputy Mayor Schmit to approve the Shelton Arts Commission's Traffic Box Wrap Project recommended artwork. Passed.

ADMINISTRATION REPORT:

City Manager Report

- Recent fire events - Thank you First Responders
- 1411 Railroad Avenue incident
- Code Enforcement Officer – Recent new hire
- Future appointment of a Deputy Hearings Examiner
- Shelton Police Department – New hire
- July 12 – Park & Recreation Field Day
- Chamber of Commerce Government Affairs Committee
- RPF Comprehensive Plan Consultant
- July 14 – Movies in the Park
- New House Bill - Utility shut-offs during heat advisories

GENERAL PUBLIC COMMENT

In-Person:

Nellie Peebles	Rod Whittaker
Judy Denney	Gary Wolden
Mary Eagleson	Dean Jewett
Sarah Stone	Dee Sigmond
Donna Amarillas	Dr. Schyler
Steve Duenkel	Mary Eagleson
Judith Whittaker	Shawn McElhinney

Zoom:

Stacie Gileson

NEW ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION


None

ANNOUNCEMENT OF NEXT MEETING


City Council Meeting – July 18, 2023 at 6:00 p.m.

MEETING ADJOURN

Mayor Onisko adjourned the meeting at 7:09 p.m.



Mayor Eric Onisko



City Clerk Donna Nault