

October 21, 2010 City Council Regular Session City Council Room 48318 E. First Street, Oakridge OR 97463 7:00 p.m.



MINUTES

1.0 CALL MEETING TO ORDER

Council Present:	Don Hampton, Mayor (Absent)
	Amy Kordosky, Council President
	Randy Dreiling (Absent)
	Gerald Shorey
	Rayetta Clark
	Robert Moe
	Glenn Fortune (Absent)

Staff Present: Gordon Zimmerman, City Administrator Tim Demers, Fire Chief Louis Gomez, Police Chief (Absent) Kevin Urban, Community Services Director (Absent) Ruthann Plumlee, Finance Director/City Recorder

Council President Kordosky called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

2.0 PUBLIC COMMENT -

Don Hadley – 47696 Beaver St. – Mr. Hadley handed a letter to the Council concerning letters written by Randy Dreiling and Mel Draper. The Council informed him there was not a problem as the letters were written as private citizens and they did not use City resources.

John Ryon – 47735 W. 2nd St. – Mr. Ryon apologized to the Council for his accusation of City personnel using City vehicles for personal use. He said he had the wrong vehicle.

Karon Tiller – 47596 Riverview – Ms. Tiller handed a letter to the Council concerning her court matter and read it aloud. She also had a comment about the surcharge ballot measure. City Administrator Gordon Zimmerman promised to investigate Ms. Tiller's complaint.

Dan Carson – 47858 W. 1st St. – Mr. Carson asked about the surcharge. He said it was per user and not everyone has a meter. He said the home owners and small business owners will pay more than their share.

James Affa – 76340 Garden Way - Mr. Affa handed out some pictures of the skateboard park in use. He is concerned that it is not being used for its intended purpose. He would like to see the ramps and rail removed and something else put in its place for the children.

3.0 MAYOR AND COUNCIL COMMENTS -

Councilor Moe asked Mr. Affa if he wanted all the equipment removed and Mr. Affa said yes. The equipment is not stationary and the children pick the equipment up and move it around. Councilor Clark asked if the Community Service Committee should look into it and the Council President referred it to the committee.

Councilor Moe said he has noticed that campaigns are getting rotten and he would like to see them cleaned up.

Councilor Kordosky said she would also like to see them cleaned up.

Councilor Shorey said there was only one week left of the "silly season" and then they could get back to the real stuff.

Councilor Shorey thanked John Ryon for his apology.

Councilor Shorey said in regards to the EMS Surcharge that if someone doesn't like the surcharge, don't vote for it. This was an advisory vote for the Council to decide what they want to do about the shortfall for Emergency Services.

Councilor Shorey said the skateboard park was what he would term an attractive nuisance and he would like to see something done with it.

Councilor Shorey also asked what has happened with the resident of Oakridge Mobile Home Park who asked for help with getting it cleaned up at the last Council meeting. Gordon said he spoke with her in his office and sent her letter directing her to the right department for any information and reports she needs and that the City is working with the mobile home park owners and manager to address the issues.

4.0 ADDITIONS, CORRECTIONS, OR ADJUSTMENTS TO THE AGENDA

No additions, corrections, or adjustments to the agenda.

5.0 CONSENT AGENDA

5.1 Minutes of Regular Meeting of October 7, 2010

Councilor Clark said on page four of the minutes for the October 7th Council meeting, the second sentence of the second paragraph should begin with Mr. Hadley, not Mr. Hampton.

Motion: Councilor Clark moved to approve the consent agenda with the correction. Councilor Moe seconded the motion. R. Clark (Aye), R. Moe (Aye), G. Shorey (Aye), A. Kordosky (Aye). Motion carried 4-0.

6.0 ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

6.1 211 Discussion

Gordon said that this system provides information on where to go for services in the county such as medical, housing help, etc. It provides our dispatchers, emergency services personnel,

receptionists and librarians information on where to direct people that request information. He said Lane Council of Governments is asking for each city to contribute towards the cost of supporting the system. Oakridge's cost would be \$376 per year which would come out of the line item for membership and dues.

6.2 ACT Discussion

Motion: Councilor Clark moved to approve the bylaws as proposed for the formation of an ACT for Lane County. Councilor Shorey seconded the motion.

Councilor Moe said that it was taking the power from the city. Gordon said it is taking the power away from the County Commissioners and giving it back to the city.

R. Clark (Aye), G. Shorey (Aye), A. Kordosky (Aye), R. Moe (Aye). Motion carried 4-0.

6.3 LCOG Regional Voice Discussion

The Council decided to postpone the discussion until all members were present. The regular Council meeting scheduled for November 18, 2010 was chosen for the discussion.

7.0 COMMUNITY SERVICES

No report.

8.0 POLICE SERVICES

No report.

9.0 EMERGENCY SERVICES

Chief Demers had nothing to report.

10.0 REPORTS FROM BOARDS AND COMMITTEES

The reports from boards and committees are delayed to next meeting.

ADJOURNMENT: The Council adjourned at 8:10 p.m.

Respectfully submitted before the City Council November 4, 2010.

Signed:

Donald E. Hampton, Mayor

Signed:

Ruthann Plumlee, City Recorder