

CITY OF WAPATO
Regular Council Meeting – Council
Chambers Minutes of August 19, 2019

CALL TO ORDER: Mayor Pro-Temp Workman called the Regular Council meeting of Wednesday August 19, 2019

- a. Invocation
- b. Welcome

ROLL CALL:

- a. Present: Those in attendance included Mayor Pro-Temp Workman, Council members, Chuck Stevens, Irasema Gonzalez- Cantu, and Brinda Quintanilla-Bautista.
- b. Absent: Mayor Dora Alvarez-Roa, council members Joel Torres, Ralph Sanchez, and Barbara Perez.
- c. City Staff Present: Public Works Director Jeff Schumacker. Fire Chief Bob Clark.

AMEND AGENDA:

Public Hearing: Councilmen Stevens motions Quintanilla-Bautista seconded motion carries unanimously.

CONSENT AGENDA:

No Consent Agenda to approve.

PUBLIC HEARING:

Public Hearing called to order.
Discussion: Ordinances for city clerk treasurer, and appointment of officers.
Public Hearing is closed and Regular meeting resumes.

NEW BUSINESS:

- a. Mayor resignation: Council member Gonzalez-Cantu motioned, Councilmember Stevens seconded. Motion carries unanimously.
- b. Fire chief bob Clark asks council for permission to replace a 12-foot roof ladder. Councilmen Stevens motions, council member Gonzalez-Cantu Seconded. Motion carries unanimously.

- c. The City will not be authorizing payroll for Erica Rocha nor Cristina Roselli due to the budget freeze.

ADMIN. REPORTS:

- a. Pro-Temp Mayor Workman: announces to public Alvarez-Roa is not complying with the Yakima Sheriff's Office and should be held responsible.
- b. Fire Chief Bob Clark: Asks who will be doing payroll with Mrs. Grimm and Rocha out. Pro-Temp Mayor Workman is not sure at the moment.
- c. Council member Quintanilla-Bautista: Reads ordinance on City Clerk Treasurer position. City Clerk and City Treasurer position is combined and appointed by majority vote from council.
- d. Council Member Gonzalez-Cantu: Reads ordinance on penalties for unauthorized signatures. Only signatures allowed are the Mayors and Clerk Treasurers, if none available council may sign with majority vote.

AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION:

Debra Manjarrez: Talks about Labor Day Parade for Wapato's Harvest Festival Celebration. Asks council for approval. Council member Quintanilla-Bautista motions, Stevens's seconded motion carries unanimously.

Sim Carlson: Talks about Kim Grimm being a well experienced clerk treasurer. She had worked in the Yakima County office for many years. Asks council members to recognize that City Administrator is done and Mrs. Grimm is doing her job as expected. He would like to see Kimberly Grimm, to continue doing well for the city of Wapato. Council member Stevens motions, Gonzalez-Cantu seconded. Motion Fails

ADJOURNMENT: Motion was made by council member Stevens, seconded by council member Quintanilla-Bautista. Motion carries unanimously.

Dora Alvarez Roa, Mayor

Clerk-Treasurer
