



CITY OF SURPRISE
Regular City Council Work Session
16000 North Civic Center Plaza
Surprise, AZ 85374

Tuesday, April 5, 2022 @ 4:00PM

Call To Order

Roll Call

Mayor Hall called to order the Regular City Council Work Session of April 5, 2022 at 4:00 PM at Surprise City Hall Council Chambers, 16000 N Civic Center Plaza, Surprise, Arizona 85374. Also in attendance with Mayor Hall were Vice Mayor Cline and Council Members: Winters, Duffy, Hastings and Judd (Remley-excused).

Staff Present: City Manager, Bob Wingenroth; City Attorney, Robert Wingo and City Clerk, Sherry Ann Aguilar.

Call To The Public

Regular City Council Work Session Agenda

REGULAR AGENDA ITEM - NON-PUBLIC HEARING:

1. Presentation and discussion pertaining to the FY2023 Budget Department Overview - Public Safety, General Government, & Community Services - NO ACTION

City Court
Police Department

Vice Mayor Cline - Questioned dispatch program

Fire-Medical

Council Member Judd asked about staffing for new station and a timeline.

Mayor Hall asked for clarification on the ladder truck replacement.

Council Member Hastings - questioned the land for a fire station and where we are at for closing?

City Manager Wingenroth commented that he has a meeting with Maricopa Water District on this issue.

Council Member Winters - How are we doing with our ambulance situation? Are we

making money?

Community Services (HSCV):

Mayor Hall asked what is the result of a housing study?

Mr. Dyson commented that this will allow us to analyze housing trends with census data, trends, gap analysis, etc., Will also assist with acquiring HUD dollars.

Vice Mayor Cline complimented HSCV for their accomplishments

Parks & Recreation:

City Manager Winters - do we have 2 park rangers yet on staff? 2 positions, almost fully staffed with 2.

Mayor Hall asked how are we doing at Gaines Park? We don't have a park ranger there all the time. An uptick in vandalism, but we are working on it. Bathrooms are locked early.

Council Member Duffy - Asked about Marley Park, and lighting at Veramonte.

Mayor Hall asked about park at Sierra Montana lighting, etc.

Mayor Hall commented that we didn't finish a lot of things, we went through a tough economic time, we got a lot of left over things to fix as a City.

City Manager Wingenroth commented we can do inventory before the next meeting on capital projects.

Sports & Tourism:

Mayor Hall questioned the name of White Tanks.

Council Member Duffy - Permanent structure in right field instead of a tent? Would like to look at a permanent structure.

Turned over presentation to Eric Boyles to continue with general government.

Mayor/Council:

City Manager's Office

Marketing & Communications:

Council Member Winters commented that its a great idea to separate this department into its own department.

City Auditor:

Council Member Judd - Will this be a third position in City Auditor? Yes correct.

Vice Mayor Cline - Happy to see a third auditor to provide a greater evaluation of our services in a more timely manner.

City Attorney:

City Manager Wingenroth complimented our legal department.

Mayor Hall commented that when I first came on to Council there were lots of complaints about our legal department, that has changed significantly.

Mayor Hall asked for clarification on Fire Premium Insurance? We receive a portion of the premiums. Digger Oster gave an explanation.

City Clerk:

Mayor Hall gave compliments to the Clerk's Office.

Finance Department:

Mayor Hall asked about the position being in public works professional estimator? Yes correct.

Human Resources:

Mayor asked for an explanation on comp class study. Also asked for explanation of compression.

Information Technology:

Council Member Judd asked about timing, when are we going to go over the actual budget itself.

Executive Session

Adjournment

Vice Mayor Cline made the motion to adjourn the Regular City Council Work Session of April 5, 2022 at 5:24 PM. Council Member Winters seconded the motion. Six yes votes, one excused (Remley), motion carried.

Skip Hall, Mayor

ATTEST:

Sherry Ann Aguilar, City Clerk, MMC

CERTIFICATION:

I, Sherry Ann Aguilar, City Clerk for the City of Surprise, Maricopa County, Arizona, do hereby verify that these are the true and correct minutes of the Regular City Council Work Session of **Tuesday, April 5, 2022.**

Sherry Ann Aguilar, City Clerk, MMC