October 7, 2024

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LEWISTON, IDAHO, met in a Work Session in the Bell Building Second Floor Conference Room at 215 D Street. Council President Kleeburg called the meeting to order at 3:00 PM.

I. CALL TO ORDER

COUNCILORS PRESENT: Council President Kleeburg; Councilor Forsmann (Zoom); Councilor Klein (Zoom); Councilor Liedkie (Zoom); Councilor Schroeder; Councilor Spickelmire.

COUNCILORS EXCUSED: Mayor Johnson.

II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Council President Kleeburg led the Pledge of Allegiance.

III. CITIZENS COMMENTS

None.

IV. PRESENTATIONS

A. **PROCLAMATION: FIRE PREVENTION WEEK:** Proclaiming the week of October 6-12, 2024 as "Fire Prevention Week" and presenting the proclamation to Fire Chief Rightmier and Fire Marshal Sorrell - Action Item

Council President Kleeburg read the Fire Prevention Week proclamation and presented it to Fire Chief Rightmier and Fire Marshal Sorrell.

V. DISCUSSION ITEMS

Please note that identifying an item as an "Action Item" does not require the City Council to vote on that item.

A. **THAIN ROAD CORRIDOR AND ACCESS STUDY:** Review of the Thain Road Corridor and Access Study prepared for the Lewis Clark Valley Metropolitan Planning Organization (LCVMPO) by Kittelson & Associates, Inc. - Action Item

Public Works Director Johnson introduced Wende Wilber from Kittelson & Associates, who presented the Thain Road Corridor and Access Study. The presentation covered study goals, public engagement, road needs and deficiencies, alternatives, and recommendations. Council approval of the study is scheduled for the October 28th, 2024 regular meeting.

B. **BRYDEN CANYON GOLF COURSE OPERATIONS UPDATE:** Update on the management of the Bryden Canyon Golf Course from CourseCo Senior Operations Manager Kevin Neissner - Action Item

Kevin Sharp from CourseCo provided a 2-year review of Bryden Canyon Golf Course, highlighting net operating income, community events, and customer service survey results. He discussed efforts to enhance the customer experience and noted continued improvements.

C. **SCHOOL CROSSING GUARD PROGRAM:** Overview of the school crossing guard program by Lewiston Independent School District No. 1 Superintendent Lance Hansen - Action Item

Superintendent Hansen reviewed the City's past partnership with the School District for the School Crossing Guard program, which ended in 2020. The School District is requesting the City to rejoin and enter into another Memorandum of Understanding (MOU). Concerns were raised about the already finalized FY2025 budget but future participation is supported and the topic will remain on the agenda.

D. **LEAD AND COPPER RULE REVISION:** Presentation of information regarding the Federal Lead and Copper Rule Revision and an update on the accomplishments of the program from Public Works Director Johnson - Action Item

Public Works Director Johnson presented information on the Federal Lead and Copper Rule Revision, an unfunded federal mandate that requires an inventory of both public and private water service lines and extensive testing for compliance. Public Information Officer Maurer explained the "Lead Free Lewiston" initiative, detailing upcoming public outreach efforts and accomplishments.

E. **FIRE STATION HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN UPDATE:** Update by Fire Chief Rightmier on the progress of the 2020 Fire Station Study - Action Item

Fire Chief Rightmier provided an update on the progress of the hazard mitigation plan for Fire Stations 1, 2, and 4. Phase 1, which included HVAC filters (MERV and HEPA), cleaning and painting, carpet removal, and consultant evaluation, has been completed, while Phases 2 and 3 are currently delayed.

VI. UNFINISHED AND NEW BUSINESS

A. **CITY COUNCILOR COMMENTS:** Comments shall not be related to an item currently before the City Council or an item that may come before the City Council in the foreseeable future, and shall be limited to comments, not discussion.

Councilor Forsmann apologized for not attending the meeting in person.

Councilor Schroeder noted the great turnout for Fire Prevention Week and

encouraged citizens to attend the next event.

Councilor Liedkie mentioned she would not be at the October 14th, 2024 Council meeting, as she will be out of the country.

B. CITY BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS LIAISON UPDATES

Council President Kleeburg and Councilor Schroeder noted the upcoming and Urban Renewal Agency and Lewis Clark Valley Metropolitan Planning Organization meetings, while Councilor Klein mentioned that the Cemetery and Urban Forestry Commission would be reviewing the results of the land surplus survey at a future meeting.

C. AGENDA TOPICS: - Action Item

None.

VII. ADJOURNMENT - Action Item

There being no further business to come before the Lewiston City Council, Councilors Liedkie and Schroeder moved and seconded, respectively, to adjourn the October 7, 2024 Work Session. The motion carried 6-0 and the meeting adjourned at 4:43 p.m.

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Daniel G. Johnson, Mayor

Tanya M. Brocke, City Clerk