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City Council Work Session Meeting Minutes Homelessness: Time, Place, and Manner

Monday, May 22, 2023 Zoom Community Auditorium

## Minutes are unofficial until approved by City Council.

- ROLL CALL: COUNCIL PRESENT: Donna Gustafson, Council President; Michael Marshall; Karen Martinez; Timothy Rippe; Mariana Valenzuela; and Malynda Wenzl, Mayor. COUNCIL ABSENT: Elena Uhing.
- 2. **STAFF PRESENT:** Jesse VanderZanden, City Manager; Paul Downey, Assistant City Manager/Finance Director; Ashley Driscoll, City Attorney; Henry Reimann, Police Chief; and Anna Ruggles, City Recorder.
  - A. <u>8:35 PM COUNCIL WORK SESSION (HOMELESSNESS: TIME, PLACE, AND MANNER)</u>:

Mayor Wenzl called the work session meeting to order at 7:58 p.m. via in-person and Zoom Webinar Video Conference.

## Staff Report:

Driscoll presented the Staff report via PowerPoint, noting this would be the final workshop discussing homelessness time, place, and manner regulations and providing a recap of prior discussions.

VanderZanden presented characteristics of the City Hall and Stuntzner lots, including proximity to needed services, and answered questions about transit routes and nearby residences raised at prior meetings.

Council reached consensus to allow camping at the City Hall lot to avoid conflict with residences near the Stuntzner lot.

VanderZanden reported Staff was already drafting the Ordinance, with the goal of having the first reading on June 12<sup>th</sup>. Surrounding business could be given notification of the first reading.

Council took no formal action nor made any formal decisions during the work session.

## B. Adjournment:

Mayor Wenzl adjourned the work session at 8:18 p.m.

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