



GLADSTONE CITY COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING

City Hall Chambers – 1100 Delta Avenue
October 28, 2024
6:00 PM

MINUTES

Mayor Joe Thompson gave the Invocation, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance. Clerk Berry called the roll:

PRESENT

- Mayor Joe Thompson
- Commissioner Judy Akkala
- Mayor Pro-Tem Brad Mantela
- Commissioner Robert Pontius
- Commissioner Steve O'Driscoll

The following spoke at Public Comment:
Mr. Mike O'Connor - 526 Minnesota Avenue
Mr. Doug Bovin - 2000 Lake Shore Drive

Motion made by Mayor Pro-Tem Mantela, Seconded by Commissioner Akkala to approve the consent agenda as presented.

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

Motion made by Commissioner O'Driscoll, Seconded by Mayor Pro-Tem Mantela to approve change order No. 13 from C2AE Engineering for a net increase to the contract price of \$148,301.00.

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

Motion made by Mayor Pro-Tem Mantela, Seconded by Commissioner Akkala to enter closed session at 6:40 PM to consider personnel evaluations of Manager ERic Buckman and City Clerk Kimberly Berry as allowable under the Open Meetings Act 267 of 1976 (15.268) Section 8 item a.

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| Mayor Pro-Tem Mantela | Yes |
| Commissioner O'Driscoll | Yes |
| Commissioner Pontius | Yes |
| Commissioner Akkala | Yes |
| Mayor Thompson | Yes |

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

Mayor Thompson called the meeting back to open session at 7:51 PM where no action was taken in closed session. Mayor Thompson reported that evaluations were conducted of the City Manager Eric Buckman and City Clerk Kimberly Berry where both received outstanding evaluations.

Motion by Commissioner Akkala; Seconded by Mayor Pro-Tem Mantela to renew contracts for City Manager Eric Buckman and City Clerk Kimberly Berry as presented and authorize Mayor Joe Thompson to sign the contracts.

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business before the Commission Mayor Thompson adjourned the meeting at 7:53 PM.

Mayor Joe Thompson

City Clerk Kimberly Berry