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## **CITY COUNCIL WORKSESSION MINUTES**

**Monday, January 24, 2022**

**4:00 PM**

Mayor Christy called the meeting to order at 4:44 PM.

### **ROLL CALL:**

**PRESENT:** Mayor Dale Christy, Councilor Dale Adams, Councilor Michelle Toven, Councilor Rick Blake, Councilor Tasha Connelly

**Staff present:** Tom Pagel, Chad Sterle, Steve Schaar, Kevin Ott, Andy Morgan, Barb Baird

### **BUSINESS:**

1. Discuss Joint Powers Agreement to Form the Aitkin, Itasca, Mille Lacs Drug Task Force

Police Chief Steve Schaar provided background information regarding the Joint Powers Agreement, along with Police Captains Morgan and Ott, who shared crime statistics and how this agreement can have a positive impact on law enforcement and the community. Following discussion, this item will be brought to a regular Council meeting for further consideration.

### **REVIEW OF REGULAR AGENDA:**

Upon review, item #21 on Consent is moved to Regular agenda as item #24b. No other changes or additions are noted.

### **ADJOURN:**

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 5:02 PM.

Respectfully submitted:

*Kimberly Gibeau*

Kimberly Gibeau, City Clerk