

**CITY OF LAKE FOREST PARK
CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING MINUTES
July 13, 2023**

It is noted this meeting was held in person in the City Council Chambers and remotely via Zoom.

Councilmembers present: Tom French, Deputy Mayor; Phillippa Kassover, Lorri Bodi, Tracy Furutani, Larry Goldman, Jon Lebo, Semra Riddle

Councilmembers absent: None

Staff present: Jeff Johnson, Mayor; Phillip Hill, City Administrator; Kim Adams Pratt, City Attorney; Mike Harden, Police Chief; Jeff Perrigo, Public Works Director; Matt McLean, City Clerk

Others present: 200 visitors

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Johnson called the July 13, 2023 City Council regular meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

FLAG SALUTE

Mayor Johnson led the Pledge of Allegiance.

ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Deputy Mayor French moved to approve the agenda as presented. **Cmbr. Bodi seconded. The motion to approve the agenda as presented carried unanimously.**

PRESENTATION – Possible Support for the King County Veterans, Seniors, and Human Services Levy

King County Councilmember Rod Dembowski gave a PowerPoint presentation regarding the levy renewal on the primary ballot for August 1 and responded to questions from the Council.

The consensus of the Council was to hold a public hearing on the next meeting.

PRESENTATION – Sound Transit CEO Julie Timm

Sound Transit CEO Julie Timm gave a PowerPoint presentation and addressed concerns from the City Council.

Mayor Johnson recessed the meeting at 8:13 p.m. and reconvened at 8:17 p.m.

CITIZEN COMMENTS

Mayor Johnson invited comments from the audience:

- Kathy Comeau, LFP resident (Sound Transit)
- Grace Crowley, LFP resident (Sound Transit)
- Jeff Snedden, LFP resident (Sound Transit)
- Bud Homsey, LFP resident (Sound Transit)
- Vicki Scuri, LFP resident (Sound Transit)
- Don Fiene, LFP resident (Sound Transit)
- Paula Goode, LFP resident (Sound Transit)
- Jan Nimlas, LFP resident (Sound Transit)
- Julie Turnell, LFP resident (Sound Transit)
- Dick Harris, LFP resident (Sound Transit)
- Barb Sharkey, LFP resident (Sound Transit)
- Albert Lirhus, LFP resident (Sound Transit)
- Alexia Bailey, LFP resident (Sound Transit)
- Nancy Herzog, LFP resident (Sound Transit)
- Kerri Hallgrimson, LFP resident (Sound Transit)
- Don Koontz, LFP resident (Sound Transit)
- Louie Labrador, LFP resident (Sound Transit)
- Dick Harris for Yanling Yu, LFP resident (Sound Transit)
- Maddy Larson, LFP resident (Sound Transit)
- Heidi Shepherd, NHUSA (King County Veterans, Seniors, and Human Services levy)
- Theresa LaCroix, Director of Shoreline-Lake Forest Park Senior Center (support for King County levy)

Mayor Johnson recessed the meeting at 9:38 p.m. Deputy Mayor French reconvened the meeting at 9:43 p.m., noting Mayor Johnson excused himself from the meeting during the recess.

CONSENT CALENDAR

Cmbr. Lebo noted a correction to the regular minutes of June 22, 2023 to reflect he was recused from the vote, not that he abstained from the vote on Ordinance 23-1270.

Cmbr. Riddle moved to approve the consent calendar presented. **Cmbr. Furutani seconded. The motion to approve the consent calendar with the revision to the City**

Council regular meeting minutes on June 22, 2023, as noted by Cmbr. Lebo, carried unanimously.

1. June 22, 2023 City Council Budget and Finance Committee Special Meeting Minutes
2. June 22, 2023 City Council Regular Meeting Minutes
3. Approval of City Expenditures for the Period Ending July 13, 2023, covering Claims Fund Check Nos. 85075 through 85122, in the amount of \$384,925.54; Payroll Fund ACH transactions in the amount of \$165,702.30; and direct deposit transactions in the amount of \$191,436.67; additional approved transactions are Elavon, \$891.90; invoice Cloud, \$1,339.95; Washington State Excise Tax, \$9,343.73; total approved Claims Fund transactions \$562,203.42

COUNCIL COMMITTEE REPORTS/COUNCIL/MAYOR/CITY ADMINISTRATOR REPORTS

Deputy Mayor French noted the Budget and Finance Committee meeting on July 20, 2023 is canceled.

Councilmembers reported on meetings they attended.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 10:13 p.m.

Jeff Johnson, Mayor

Matt McLean, City Clerk