



CITY OF SWEET HOME CITY COUNCIL MINUTES

October 22, 2020, 5:30 PM
Sweet Home City Hall, 3225 Main Street
Sweet Home, OR 97386

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Mission Statement

The City of Sweet Home will work to build an economically strong community with an efficient and effective local government that will provide infrastructure and essential services to the citizens we serve. As efficient stewards of the valuable assets available, we will be responsive to the community while planning and preparing for the future.

Meeting Information

Notice is hereby given of the possibility of a quorum of the Sweet Home City Council during a City Council candidate training session held at the date, time and place as listed above. The purpose of the session is to discuss systems and processes to help elected candidates transition to their office(s) quickly if elected - to help them "hit the ground running."

Individuals attending public meetings in person will be limited, required to use a mask, maintain appropriate social distancing, (6-ft.) and be free of symptoms related to COVID-19. The City of Sweet Home is streaming the meeting via the Microsoft Teams platform and asks the public to consider this option. There will be opportunity for public input via the live stream. To view the meeting live, online visit live.sweethomeor.gov. If you don't have access to the internet you can call in to 541-367-5128 and you'll be asked to choose option #1 to be logged in to the call.

This video stream and call in options are allowed under Council Rules, meet the requirements for Oregon public meeting law, and has been approved by the Mayor as Chairperson of the meeting. All votes will be conducted by Roll Call Vote.

Call to Order and Pledge of Allegiance

The meeting was called to order at 5:30 PM.

Roll Call

PRESENT

Councilor Cortney Nash
Councilor Dave Trask
Councilor James Goble
Mayor Greg Mahler
President Pro Tem Diane Gerson

ABSENT

Councilor Lisa Gourley
Councilor Susan Coleman

The location of the meeting is accessible to the disabled. If you have a disability that requires accommodation, advanced notice is requested by notifying the City Manager's Office at 541-367-8969.

VISITORS

Angelita Sanchez
David Lowman
Dylan Richards

STAFF

Community and Economic Development Director Blair Larsen
Finance Director Brandon Neish

New Business:

Staff, current City Council members, and City Council candidates met to discuss the role of City Council and City operations. The training was meant for Q&A from candidates to learn more about what might be expected from them if they are elected.

a) Handouts (7)

This training was intended for Questions and Answers as well as review of policies, procedures and processes for City Council Elect. There was time for discussion. No official decisions were made during this training event.

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 7:16 PM.

Mayor

ATTEST:

City Manager – Ex Officio City Recorder