



ROY CITY
Roy City Council Meeting Minutes
August 3, 2021 – 5:30 p.m.
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Minutes of the Roy City Council Meeting held in person in the Roy City Council Chambers and streamed on YouTube on August 3, 2021 at 5:30 p.m.

Notice of the meeting was provided to the Utah Public Notice Website at least 24 hours in advance. A copy of the agenda was posted.

The following members were in attendance:

Mayor Robert Dandoy
Councilmember Paul
Councilmember Saxton
Councilmember Wilson
Councilmember Jackson
Councilmember Burrell

City Manager, Matt Andrews
City Attorney, Andy Blackburn

Also present were Management Services Director, Camille Cook; Public Works Director, Ross Oliver, Morgan Langholf, Steve Parkinson, Glenda Moore, Kevin Homer, Sophie Paul, Glen Jacobson, Byron Burnett, Leon Wilson, Randy Scadden, Kim Kohli, Lane Finduht, Rod Belnap, Johnny Ferry, Jeff Stevens, John Richie, Rod Belknap, and Lane Findley.

A. Welcome & Roll Call

Mayor Robert Dandoy welcomed those in attendance and noted Councilmembers Burrell, Jackson, Paul, Saxton, and Wilson were present.

B. Moment of Silence

Councilmember Burrell invited the audience to observe a moment of silence.

C. Pledge of Allegiance

Councilmember Jackson led the audience in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance.

D. Consent Items

(These items are considered by the City Council to be routine and will be enacted by a single motion. If discussion is desired on any particular consent item, that item may be removed from the consent agenda and considered separately.)

- 1. Approval of the July 6, 2021 Roy City Work Session and City Council Meeting Minutes**

Councilmember Paul motioned to approve the Consent Items. Councilmember Jackson seconded the motion. All Councilmembers voted “aye.” The motion carried.

E. Public Comments

1. Byron Burnett

Mr. Burnett, 4375 South 4675 West, recalled discussions from previous work sessions regarding setback and height requirements for pending development projects surrounding his neighborhood. He wanted to ensure that the requirements as set forth in previous discussions were what got adopted.

2. Glen Jacobson

Mr. Jacobson, 4170 South 2400 West, recalled that elevation was discussed in a previous work session. He explained that he lived on the east side of the development area in question. He stated that going from the existing gravel road as the starting grade, 35 feet would still be above his fence line. He asked if some of the areas would still be storefront. The Council indicated that they had changed the requirements to where parking could be front, side, or rear; because of the slope, this would allow more options. Mr. Jacobson also stated that traffic on to 4000 West had not been addressed. Mayor Dandoy said at this point there were still several unknowns; however, another conversation would take place once a site plan came forward. Mayor Dandoy stated that Roy City would not implement eminent domain. There was further discussion on the above points.

F. Presentations

1. **Weber School District**

Jeff Stevens, Washington Terrace, introduced himself as the Superintendent of the Weber School District. He introduced John Richie, Rod Belknap, and Lane Findley. He expressed appreciation for the relationship that the Weber School District had with Roy City. Mr. Stevens explained that the Weber School District was contemplating a bond in the upcoming November election. There had been significant growth in the northwest portion of the County, and this was putting pressure on a number of schools. He then presented a short information video regarding the bond and its purpose.

Mr. Stevens stated that the primary purpose of the proposed bond was to respond to enrollment growth. He explained that three out of the four high schools were at or over capacity. The District had adjusted boundaries to try and maximize the efficient use of each of those high schools. Additionally, facilities had been moved around in order to accommodate more students. The junior high schools were also at or over capacity. He stated that a decision regarding a bond would be made in a Board meeting scheduled for the following day. The bond would likely cover expenses to build a new high school, a new junior high school, a new elementary school, and a rebuild of Roosevelt Elementary in Washington Terrace.

Councilmember Jackson agreed there was a need for these additional resources to be added to the Weber School District. Tentative timelines for each project, and the process by which boundary adjustments were made, were then briefly discussed.

2. **Major Brent Taylor Foundation**

Johnny (last name inaudible on recording) stated that he owned Honeyville, a food manufacturing company, and they made the famous Kodiak cakes and their facility. He explained that back in January, he was contacted by Jennie Taylor of the Major Brent Taylor Foundation about doing something for the 20th anniversary of 9/11. He explained that Weber County Fairgrounds had been reserved for a walk-through event depicting what life was like in the pre-2000s. The event would be free to the public would include an interactive museum, a chance to speak with Utahns in uniform, booths to share your

experiences and thoughts, as well as food trucks and activities for the kids.

3. Victim Advocates - Kim Kohli & Cassidy Hart

Kim Kohli introduced herself and Cassidy Hart. Ms. Kohli then reviewed how Victim Advocates was funded. As advocates there were three main goals: 1. Provide effective advocacy for crime victims by reaching out to them so they know they are not alone and know what services are available; 2. Provide effective advocacy for crime victims through the court process to ensure that victims are aware of their rights, and that they have help throughout that process; 3. To increase effectiveness of programs accessed through collaboration, training, public information, and volunteer programs. The number of persons were tracked through the program were reported on a quarterly basis, which was for grant purposes. There were student interns who aided in the program. The legislature passed a victim bill of rights to ensure all victims were treated with courtesy and sensitivity. This bill included the victims' rights to know their rights in the justice system, to be informed, to be safe, and to receive safe restitution.

The time was then turned over to Cassidy Hart, who discussed the roles of Victim Advocates. Ms. Hart expressed thanks to City Staff for all of their support.

City Attorney Andy Blackburn stated that the City did not give Ms. Hart and Ms. Kohli enough support. The cases of domestic violence had increased in 2020 in light of the pandemic. Ms. Hart and Ms. Kohli often got yelled at over heavy situations in their work, and they needed to be recognized for the roles they were playing in the community. He expressed appreciation to them, and said everyone owed them a lot of thanks and support for what they did.

The Mayor and Council applauded Ms. Hart and Ms. Kohli for the Victim Advocates program, and invited them to come back often to the Council to provide more education on the issues facing Roy.

G. Discussion Items

1. Weber Basin Water Conservancy District Incentive Program

Mayor Dandoy presented this program to the Council. He noted that he had distributed several charts to members of the Council pertaining to the newly created Weber Basin Water Conservancy District Incentive Program. He explained the importance of the City looking at ways in which they could continue engaging the community in water conservation efforts. One key concept integrated into the program included drought resistance landscaping options. Additionally, Mayor Dandoy explained the importance of the City's ordinances matching up with the concepts detailed within the program. Residents who used culinary and water qualified for this program. Mayor Dandoy then reviewed options for City curbs and park strips. He then reviewed program qualifications and how to apply. There was a brief discussion regarding participant accountability, as well as the timeline for program rollout.

I. Reports

1. City Manager Report

City Manager Matt Andrews welcomed everyone to Roy Days, which was taking place that week. He noted there were events taking place every day that week.

2. Mayor and Council Report

Councilmember Burrell reported that the latest golf tournament was the best attended and organized event ever. She commended the employees involved with that event.

Councilmember Saxton asked when the Council would be meeting with the economic development team again, to which Mayor Dandoy noted the next Council meeting on August 17th.

Councilmember Jackson discussed the 9/11 service day and noted there would be information included in the Community Connections magazine. She also noted where banners and flyers would be hung throughout the City.

I. Adjournment

Councilmember Burrell motioned to adjourn the City Council meeting at 6:50 p.m. Councilmember Jackson seconded the motion. All Councilmembers voted “Aye.” The motion carried.

Robert Dandoy
Mayor

Attest:

Morgan Langholf
City Recorder

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