

Minutes of the Study Session of the
LEMOORE CITY COUNCIL
June 4, 2013

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER:

At 5:30 p.m. the meeting was called to order.

ATTENDANCE:

Mayor Siegel; Mayor Pro Tem Wynne; Council Members Gordon, Rodarmel; Acting City Manager/Police Chief Laws; Public Works Director Wlaschin; Parks and Recreation Director Simonson; Finance Director Silva; Project Manager Holwell; Administrative Analyst Apone; Commander Rossi; City Clerk Baley

ABSENT:

Council Member Neal

ARRIVED LATE:

Attorney Avedisian arrived at 6:25 p.m.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

There was no comment.

REPORT – LEMOORE MUNICIPAL GOLF COURSE – PROPOSED 2013-2014 BUDGET:

Rich Rhoads presented the proposed 2013-2014 Municipal Golf Course Budget to Council for discussion.

DISCUSSION - 2013-2014 ENTERPRISE FUND BUDGET:

Acting City Manager Laws presented the proposed 2013-2014 Enterprise Fund Budget to Council for discussion.

Finance Director Silva answered questions concerning the payoff of the Golf Course Loan.

Public Works Director Wlaschin reported on matters relating to his department and answered questions concerning the Waste Water Treatment Plant. The recently approved solar projects are expected to bring savings that will be realized at a later date.

Parks and Recreation Director Simonson and Finance Director Silva answered questions concerning the Fleet Inventory Management. Further improvements to the accounting process are expected over the next year.

DISCUSSION – ILLEGAL FIREWORKS – ENFORCEMENT 2013:

Commander Rossi presented enforcement options to Council and asked for direction.

Council directed staff to take a zero tolerance approach and provide safety awareness information to residents through the media and other available resources. It was also suggested that two extra officers be requested to work an overtime shift on July 4th to provide additional enforcement and VIP's be used for extra patrols.

Council was made aware that Chief Gibson of the Lemoore Volunteer Fire Department has also offered engine patrols on July 4th.

CLOSED SESSION PUBLIC COMMENT:

There was no comment.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

Steve Hickman voiced concern about unregulated taxi activity, which he referred to as "designated drivers".

Mayor Siegel asked that the matter be brought back as a Study Session Item June 18, 2013.

ADJOURN TO LEMOORE CITY COUNCIL CLOSED SESSION:

At 6:56 p.m., the Council adjourned to closed session regarding labor negotiations, potential litigation and a public employee performance evaluation.

ADJOURNMENT:

At 7:29 p.m., Council adjourned to the Regular Meeting.

ANNOUNCEMENT:

Mayor Siegel announced that Council did not review the performance evaluation for the Chief of Police due to lack of time.

Mayor Siegel announced that Council approved a 3% pay raise across the board for Unrepresented Employees effective July 1, 2013 and asked that the 2013-2014 Budget be adjusted to reflect the increase.

Minutes of the Regular Meeting of the
LEMOORE CITY COUNCIL
June 4, 2013

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER:

At 7:31 p.m. the meeting was called to order.

ATTENDANCE:

Mayor Siegel; Mayor Pro Tem Wynne; Council Members Gordon, Rodarmel; Acting City Manager/Police Chief Laws; City Attorney Avedisian; Public Works Director Wlaschin; Parks and Recreation Director Simonson; Finance Director Silva; Project Manager Holwell; Administrative Analyst Apone; Administrative Analyst Prichard; City Clerk Baley

