**TUESDAY, July 16, 2024**

**(\*Please silence cell phones\*)**

**PRESENT:** Shannon Hoehna, Jennifer Lantz, Mike Dowd, Greg Phillips, and Mayor Duane Thul.

**1) CALL TO ORDER AT 6:00PM**

**1a) Pledge of Allegiance** was recited.

**1b) Welcome & Rules** Mayor Duane Thul welcomed everyone and asked to silence their cellphones.

**1c) Council Minutes** Greg Phillips motions to approve both the final budget minutes of June 12th and the regular council meeting also on June 12th. Jennifer Lantz seconds the motion to approve. All in favor, none opposed.

**2) CITIZEN SUGGESTIONS & COMMENTS- Each individual will be given 3 minutes.**

**3) Correspondence:**

**3a) Replacing Street Signs (WCDC):** Dave Laufer bring to the attention of the council of looking into estimates to replacing some of the wooden street signs that are rotted out or broken. The council thinks it is a good idea to start looking into getting an estimate for price and how many the city would need to replace.

**4) New Business:**

**4a) Taking applications for a ¾ time City Hall employee:** Breann informed the council that she has received seven applications so far.

**4b) Utility Rate Increase:**

**4c) Council/Mayor Vacancies 2025:**

**5) Old Business Items:**

**5a)**

**6) Action Items:**

**6a) Approving changing line item 001-01-4694 “Brick Fund” into**

**“WCDC Projects” for general use from their bank account through the city:**

**6b) Approval to update Handbook (Juneteenth):**

**6c) Approving Breann Baleztena as a signer on the US Bank account to finish transferring to Bank of Eastern Oregon:**

**7) Approval of Financials and Monthly Bills:**

**8) ADJOURNMENT**

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