

The El Dorado City Commission met in special session on May 28, 2015 at 4:00 pm in the Commission Room with the following present: Mayor Vince Haines, Commissioner Chase Locke, Commissioner Gregg Lewis, Commissioner Nick Badwey, Commissioner Kendra Wilkinson, Finance Director Tammy Schaffer, Assistant City Engineer Scott Rickard and City Clerk Tabitha Sharp. Absent: City Manager Herb Llewellyn

VISITORS

Steve Moody	220 E 1 st	El Dorado, KS
Brad Meyer	220 E 1 st	El Dorado, KS
Susie Carson	Chamber of Commerce	El Dorado, KS
Chad Young	220 E 1 st	El Dorado, KS
Brett Perry	220 E 1 st	El Dorado, KS
Brian Gartland	220 E 1 st	El Dorado, KS
Kevin Wishart	220 E 1 st	El Dorado, KS
Jason Reiswig	220 E 1 st	El Dorado, KS
Betty Kirkpatrick	El Dorado Senior Center	El Dorado, KS
Gerald Bottorff	El Dorado Senior Center	El Dorado, KS
Jennifer Zimmerman	El Dorado Senior Center	El Dorado, KS

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Vince Haines called the May 28, 2015 Special City Commission meeting to order at 4:00 p.m.

SENIOR CENTER REQUEST

Betty Kirkpatrick, Gerald Bottorff, and Jennifer Zimmerman were present from the Senior Center to request additional funding from the 2016 budget.

ADVISORY BOARD APPOINTMENTS

Brian Gartland, Assistant to the City Manager, presented new applications for advisory boards. He also stated that the Commission needed to decide which library board appointee would have a term expiration in 2016 since one of them was filling a vacated position.

BUDGET DISCUSSION

Staff were present to answer questions regarding the proposed 2016 budget.

The City Commission agreed that they would look over the budget to recommend cuts and asked staff to do the same.

PERSONNEL POLICY CHANGE

Members of the mid-managers committee were present to discuss the proposed personnel policy change which included: allowing employees to use sick leave to care for immediate family members who were home ill, supplementing personal leave with sick leave at the payout for employees with over 500 hours, and increasing the payout for employees who have been with the city longer than 20 years.

There was consensus to put the proposal on the next agenda for official vote.

ADJOURNMENT

Commissioner Nick Badwey moved to adjourn the meeting at 7:15 p.m.

Commissioner Chase Locke seconded the motion.

Motion carried 5 – 0.

City Clerk Tabitha D. Sharp

Mayor Vince Haines