

EL DORADO CITY SPECIAL COMMISSION MEETING

November 1, 2017

The El Dorado City Commission met in special session on November 1, 2017 at 4:00 pm at City Hall with the following present: Mayor Vince Haines, Commissioner Chase Locke (arrived at 5:50 p.m.), Commissioner Gregg Lewis, Commissioner Nick Badwey, Commissioner Kendra Wilkinson, City Manager David Dillner, Finance Director Tammy Schaffer, City Engineer Scott Rickard and City Clerk Tabitha Sharp.

VISITORS

Brad Meyer	220 E 1 st	El Dorado, KS
Darcia Beavers	220 E 1 st	El Dorado, KS
Matt Guthrie		El Dorado, KS
Curt Zieman	220 E 1 st	El Dorado, KS
Sue Meyer	220 E 1 st	El Dorado, KS
Susie Carson	El Dorado Chamber	El Dorado, KS

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Vince Haines called the November 1, 2017 Special City Commission meeting to order at 4:00 p.m.

CURBSIDE RECYCLING

Brad Meyer, Public Works Director, was present to discuss the curbside recycling program. He stated that staff were recently informed of a drastic increase in recycling costs and are seeking direction from the City Commission.

The City Commission requested that staff provide a presentation at the Monday meeting followed by a survey to the citizens.

NEIGHBORHOOD REVITALIZATION PROGRAM

Scott Rickard, City Engineer, stated that the new home portion of the neighborhood revitalization program is set to expire at the end of December. He reviewed the program and stated that staff would bring it to the next Commission meeting for approval.

LAND SALES AND ACQUISITIONS

Staff proposed that all residential lots be listed on the City's website for sale, first come, first served. They stated that all larger land purchases and sales would be brought to the Commission for discussion. The City Commission agreed.

ADVISORY BOARDS

City Clerk Tabitha Sharp reviewed two applications for the CTC Board. She stated that they would be presented at the next meeting for official appointment.

City Manager David Dillner stated that the remainder of the conversation regarding the new terms for advisory boards and recommendations from staff would be presented at the next work session.

BAD DEBT

City Clerk Tabitha Sharp presented information on bad debt in the City of El Dorado and how it is collected. She stated that staff are requesting that an additional fee be added to the debt before it is sent to collections so that the City can recoup more of the money owed. The City Commission agreed to hear it at the next regular meeting.

EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES AUTHORITY OF BUTLER COUNTY

This item was tabled until the next meeting.

REPORTS

City Manager David Dillner stated that the marketing plan for the city is ready, but a new group has taken shape in the downtown area. He stated that staff are going to wait to move forward with our plan until we see what comes of that new group.

ADJOURNMENT

Commissioner Chase Locke moved to adjourn the meeting at 6:15 p.m.

Commissioner Kendra Wilkinson seconded the motion.

Motion carried 5 – 0.

City Clerk Tabitha D. Sharp

Mayor Vince Haines