

MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE CITY COUNCIL

March 1, 2007

The minutes of the proceedings of a work session of the City Council of the City of Coos Bay, Coos County, Oregon, held at 7 p.m. in the Manager's Conference Room at City Hall, 500 Central Avenue, Coos Bay, Oregon.

Those Attending

Those present were Mayor Jeff McKeown and Councilors Michele Burnette, Mark Daily, Jon Eck, Stephanie Kramer, and John Muenchrath. Councilor Roger Gould was absent. City staff present were Interim City Manager Joyce Jansen, Acting Deputy Recorder Jackie Mickelson, Public Works and Development Director Jim Hossley, Finance Director Janell Howard, Fire Chief Stan Gibson, Library Director Carol Ventgen, and Police Chief Eura Washburn.

Fiscal Year 2007/2008 Budget Work Session

Finance Director Janell Howard gave a brief overview of the budget process and current revenues and expenses. Interim City Manager Joyce Jansen reviewed possible revenue sources for Council's consideration, and reported on upcoming major expenditures. The Council discussed possible ways of generating revenue, expanding the urban growth boundary, advertising the meetings, and encouraging public involvement.

Mayor McKeown reported he had spoken with Jim Antonen from Bob Murray and Associates and Mr. Antonen reported 50 applications had been received for the City Manager's position. Mayor McKeown also reported a town hall meeting would be held on March 10th with Senator Wyden in the council chambers at city hall and encouraged everyone to attend.

Adjourn

There being no further business to come before the City Council, Mayor McKeown adjourned the meeting to March 6, 2007 in the Council Chambers at City Hall.

Jeff McKeown, Mayor

Attest:

Jackie Mickelson, Acting Deputy Recorder