

## **MINUTES OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE CITY COUNCIL**

**October 21, 1996**

The minutes of the proceedings of the special meeting of the City Council of the City of Coos Bay, Coos County, Oregon, in the Council Chambers at 7:00 p.m.

### **Those Present**

Those present were Mayor Joanne Verger, Councilors Joe Benetti, Cindi Miller, Don Spangler, Judy Weeks, and Dave Williams. City staff present were City Manager Bill Grile, Deputy Recorder Joyce Jansen, City Attorney Randall Tosh, Fire Chief Cliff Vaniman, Deputy Fire Chief Mark Anderson, and Police Chief Marc Adams. Members of the media were also present.

### **COUNCIL MEETING**

#### **Flag Salute**

Mayor Verger opened the meeting and led the assembly in the salute to the flag.

#### **Discussion - Contracting of Fire Services for Charleston Fire District**

Mayor Verger opened the meeting and introduced Mr. Conrad Kristensen, Interim Fire Chief for Charleston. Mr. Kristensen reported the Board had been actively seeking a fire chief and were meeting at this time to hire a chief. He apologized for not being able to notify the City of the Board meeting so the City could cancel their meeting. Mr. Kristensen reported he was not longer in the employ of the Charleston Fire District. He further commented that the advantages of a contract with the City is still viable and perhaps in the future it could be considered. Mayor Verger said the Charleston Fire District had two choices; they could contract out or hire a permanent fire chief. She noted the reason the City's meeting was to receive input from citizens on the subject of contracting fire service and now it is a moot point. Consensus of the Council was to close the meeting.

#### **Adjournment**

There being no further business to come before the Council, Mayor Verger adjourned the meeting to November 5, 1996 at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers of City Hall.

ATTEST:

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Joyce Jansen  
Deputy Recorder of the City of Coos Bay  
Coos County, Oregon

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Joanne Verger  
Mayor of the City of Coos Bay  
Coos County, Oregon

