

**CANBY CITY COUNCIL
REGULAR MEETING MINUTES
October 5, 2016**

PRESIDING: Mayor Brian Hodson.

COUNCIL PRESENT: Greg Parker, Traci Hensley, Tim Dale, Tracie Heidt and Clint Coleman. Councilor Todd Rocha was absent.

STAFF PRESENT: Rick Robinson, City Administrator; Joseph Lindsay, City Attorney; Officer Steve Christman, Sergeant Scott Farmer; Sergeant Tim Warren; and Kim Scheafer, City Recorder.

OTHERS PRESENT: Bob Cornelius, Dan Murphy, Tiffany Hicks, Luisa Padilla, Monica Custer, Sean Bowen,

CALL TO ORDER: Mayor Hodson called the Regular Meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers followed by opening ceremonies.

Public Power Week Proclamation – Mayor Hodson read a proclamation proclaiming October 2-8, 2016, as Public Power Week in Canby and presented the proclamation to Dan Murphy, Canby Utility General Manager. Mr. Murphy said it was Public Power Week across the nation. Staff worked around the clock to keep the power on and the costs affordable.

Walk & Bike to School Day Proclamation – Mayor Hodson read a proclamation proclaiming October 5, 2016, as Walk and Bike to School Day and presented the proclamation to Councilor Parker who was the liaison to the Bike and Pedestrian Committee.

Domestic Violence Awareness Proclamation – Mayor Hodson read a proclamation proclaiming October 2016 as Domestic Violence Awareness Month and presented the proclamation to Luisa Padilla. Ms. Padilla said she worked with Hispanic domestic violence survivors. She hoped the proclamation would increase awareness of domestic violence. She gave statistics of domestic violence and how it was the leading cause of injury to women.

COMMUNICATIONS: None.

CITIZEN INPUT & COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS: None.

MAYOR'S BUSINESS: Mayor Hodson said this was the last City Council meeting in the old Council Chambers. The ribbon cutting for the new building would be on October 15 from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. He would be attending the C4 meeting tomorrow where housing would be discussed. He also attended the Canby Center dinner fundraiser, League of Oregon Cities Conference, and the Chamber luncheon. He announced Canby was named the healthiest housing market in Oregon. He asked for Council's input on opportunities and challenges related to tourism.

Councilor Parker thought they should explore what should be done until a hotel could be built in Canby and the ability to cross promote events and bring people downtown.

Councilor Coleman thought there was enough activity in the community and it was a missed opportunity

not to embrace it.

Councilor Hensley thought there should be further discussion on this topic at a Work Session and that Chamber and Main Street representatives should be included in the Work Session.

There was discussion regarding how businesses and the City could work together to make an impact.

Councilor Heidt thought there needed to be a way for people to see what events were happening in the City, like an electronic bulletin board, and a need for better communication with the public, such as through informal chats.

COUNCILOR COMMENTS & LIAISON REPORTS: Councilor Parker attended the Canby Education Foundation fundraiser. The Historic Review Board had a cemetery marker cleaning training yesterday. He announced the Halloween activities at the library and a scary maze at the Clackamas County Fairgrounds. The next First Friday was October 8.

Councilor Hensley attended the Chamber luncheon and would be attending the C4 Forum tomorrow. She discussed A Safe Place, where people could go for support services all under one roof. There would be a Pathways Gala and Auction fundraiser on October 22 which supported survivors of domestic violence.

Councilor Dale said 114,000 people attended the Clackamas County Fair which was down 20% from last year due to the heat.

Councilor Heidt said the Library Foundation was holding a Cinema Festival on October 19. She discussed the library ribbon cutting activities on October 15. She attended the League of Oregon Cities Conference, Chamber lunch, and cemetery marker cleaning. There would be a clean-up day on Saturday at Canby Community Park.

Councilor Coleman said the Planning Commission approved an annexation on N. Oak Street at their last meeting. Larry Boatright was appointed as the Vice Chair. An application had been received for the Planning Commission vacancy. The next meeting would be held on October 10. Councilor Coleman also attended the Traffic Safety Commission meeting where speeding on 13th Avenue was discussed and he attended the Chamber lunch. He discussed events that were bringing many people to Canby.

CONSENT AGENDA: **Councilor Dale moved to adopt the minutes of the September 21, 2016 City Council Regular Meeting. Motion was seconded by Councilor Hensley and passed 5-0.

RESOLUTIONS & ORDINANCES: None.

NEW BUSINESS: None.

ADMINISTRATOR'S BUSINESS & STAFF REPORTS: Mr. Robinson said the dedication and grand opening of the library would be on October 15. City Hall, Finance, Planning, and Library were now moved into the new building. He complimented Amanda Zeiber for her hard work on the new building. He would be participating on the C4 housing sub-committee also.

Joe Lindsay, City Attorney, clarified there had been no citations, arrests, or credible threats regarding scary clowns in Canby. It had been a media and social media scare.

CITIZEN INPUT: None.

ACTION REVIEW:


1. Approved the Consent Agenda.

There was no Executive Session.

Mayor Hodson adjourned the meeting at 8:35 p.m.



Kimberly Scheafer, MMC
City Recorder



Brian Hodson
Mayor

Assisted with Preparation of Minutes - Susan Wood