



CITY OF OREGON CITY

CITY COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING

MINUTES

Commission Chambers, Libke Public Safety Facility, 1234 Linn Ave, Oregon City
Wednesday, May 03, 2023 at 7:00 PM

1. CONVENE MEETING AND ROLL CALL

Mayor McGriff convened the meeting at 7:20 PM.

PRESENT: 5 - Commissioner Adam Marl, Commissioner Frank O'Donnell, Commissioner Mike Mitchell, Commissioner Rocky Smith, Mayor Denyse McGriff

STAFFERS: 11 - City Manager Tony Konkol, City Recorder Jakob Wiley, Communications Manager Jarrod Lyman, Community Development Director Aquilla Hurd-Ravich, Human Resources Director Patrick Foiles, Economic Development Manager James Graham, Police Chief Jim Band, Finance Director Matt Zook, Development Project Manager Josh Wheeler, Library Director Greg Williams, Parks and Recreation Director Kendall Reid

2. FLAG SALUTE

3. CEREMONIES AND PROCLAMATIONS

3a. 2023 May the 4th Proclamation

Mayor McGriff declared May 4, 2023, as Star Wars Day.

Greg Williams, Library Director, invited everyone to the May 4 activities at the library.

3b. Asian American and Pacific Islander Heritage Month Proclamation

Mayor McGriff declared May 2023 as Asian American and Pacific Islander Heritage Month.

3c. National Historic Preservation Month Proclamation

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3d. Building Safety Month Proclamation

Mayor McGriff declared May 2023 as Building Safety Month.

3e. Mental Health Awareness Month Proclamation

Mayor McGriff declared May 2023 as Mental Health Awareness Month.

4. CITIZEN COMMENTS

None

5. PRESENTATIONS

5a. National Alliance on Mental Illness - Clackamas Presentation

Ally Linfoot, Board Member of NAMI Clackamas, gave statistics on mental health and explained the services provided by NAMI.

5b. Update from LoveOne on Temporary Shower Trailer at Milner Veterinary Hospital and Brax Laundry

Brandi Johnson, Executive Director of LoveOne, and Brad Sabo, co-owner of Brax Laundry in Oregon City, gave an update on their shower and laundry events, service connections, trash programs, and food pantry.

Jim Band, Police Chief, explained how the Police Department worked with LoveOne.

There was consensus for LoveOne to come back in one year.

5c. Clackamas Community College - Bond Update Presentation

Chris Groener, member of the Clackamas Community College Board of Directors, and Tim Cook, president of Clackamas Community College, gave an update on the college's bond projects including Harmony West, Holden Industrial Technology Center, DeJardin Hall, automotive expansion and remodel, Wacheno Welcome Center, Roger Rook Hall, facilities and campus upgrades, and workforce goals. There would be a bond party on August 5, 2023.

6. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

The agenda was adopted as presented.

7. CONSENT AGENDA

Motion made by Commissioner Mitchell, Seconded by Commissioner Smith, to adopt the consent agenda. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: Commissioner Marl, Commissioner O'Donnell, Commissioner Mitchell, Commissioner Smith, Mayor McGriff

7a. Public Improvement Contract with Interlaken, Inc. for the 2023 Oregon City Roadway Pavement Project (CI 22-008)

7b. Resolution No. 23-08, Amending the Planning Division Fee Schedule

7c. Minutes of the January 4, 2023 City Commission Meeting

8. PUBLIC HEARINGS**9. GENERAL BUSINESS**

9a. Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Framework by MGT Consulting

Patrick Foiles, Human Resources Director, introduced Lamont Browne with MGT Consulting.

Mr. Browne discussed the City's DEI goals and strategies, calendar of events, City policy analysis, staff survey, focus groups, DEI Taskforce, community survey, community listening sessions,

recommendations, and next steps. He then reviewed the DEI Framework and the priorities that had been developed.

There was discussion regarding the value of the work and budget implications, how this was an ongoing process, the Commission's role, and measuring results.

Motion made by Commissioner Marl, Seconded by Commissioner Smith, to approve Resolution 23-10 DEI Commitment and Framework 2023. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: Commissioner Marl, Commissioner O'Donnell, Commissioner Mitchell, Commissioner Smith, Mayor McGriff

- 9b. First Reading of Ordinance 23-1002, Establishing Misuse of a Public Restroom as an Offense Against Public Peace and Decency

Josh Wheeler, Assistant City Engineer, discussed the purpose of the ordinance and how he had consulted with the City Attorney and Police Department.

There was discussion regarding the penalty for these actions.

The Commission wanted to declare an emergency so the ordinance would go into effect immediately.

Motion made by Commissioner O'Donnell, Seconded by Commissioner Mitchell, to approve the first reading of Ordinance 23-1002, establishing misuse of a public restroom as an offense against public peace and decency and declaring an emergency.

Carrie Richter, City Attorney, read the ordinance in full.

Commissioner Smith asked if some of the provisions related to gender were consistent with state law.

Chief Band said this was the language recommended by the City Attorney and used in Portland.

Commissioner Smith did not think the wording was specific enough and did not support it.

There was discussion regarding clarifying the language.

The motion passed by the following vote:

Yea: Commissioner Marl, Commissioner O'Donnell, Commissioner Mitchell, Mayor McGriff

Abstain: Commissioner Smith

Ms. Richter said the ordinance would not be an emergency ordinance since it did not pass unanimously. She asked that the original ordinance be passed.

Motion made by Commissioner O'Donnell, Seconded by Mayor McGriff, to approve the first reading of Ordinance 23-1002, establishing misuse of a public restroom as an offense against public peace and decency.

The motion passed by the following vote:

Yea: Commissioner Marl, Commissioner O'Donnell, Commissioner Mitchell, Mayor McGriff

Nay: Commissioner Smith

- 9c. Second Reading of Ordinance 23-1004, Adopting 2022-23 Street Tree Minor Code Amendments

Motion made by Commissioner Mitchell, Seconded by Mayor McGriff, to approve the second reading and final adoption of Ordinance 23-1004, adopting 2022-23 Street Tree Minor Code Amendments. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: Commissioner Marl, Commissioner O'Donnell, Commissioner Mitchell, Commissioner Smith, Mayor McGriff

10. COMMUNICATIONS

11. City Manager

None

12. Commissioners

Commissioner Smith would be doing a talk at the Ermatinger House on Saturday.

13. Mayor

Mayor McGriff would be doing a talk on May 20, 2023. She announced there had been a pause on the tolling program.

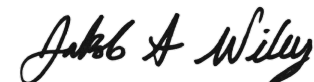
13a. Mayoral Appointment of Lisa Oreskovich to Library Board

Mayor McGriff appointed Lisa Oreskovich to the Library Board.

14. ADJOURNMENT

Mayor McGriff adjourned the meeting at 9:11 PM.

Respectfully submitted,



Jakob S. Wiley, City Recorder