

APPROVED CITY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

A special meeting of the City Council of the City of Carrington was held Wednesday, February 1, 2023 at 6:00 PM. Mayor Thomas Erdmann presiding.

The following members of council and city departments were present: Troy Roundy, Neil Fandrich, Chase Pederson, Al Trader, Doug Smith, Jason Wolsky, Christopher Ormiston, and Jennifer Gast.

Absent: Councilmen Trygg Olson and City Attorney Leo Ryan.

Also Present: Aaron Fauss, Linda Schuster, Jill Edinger, Joe Vogelwede, Curtiss Klein, Roger Gussiaas, Kelly Hagel, Justin Johnson, Brittany Fiebiger, David Fiebiger, Becky Hagel, Scott Fetch, Celine Fetch, Hope Carr, Tyler Hoggarth, Cole Broadwell, Travis Wong, Laurie Dietz, Dennis Swanson, Kim Watson, and Nathan Price.

Mayor Erdmann clarified this meeting is about Rainbow Gardens project requested by a Council member, not Ordinance 277 a proposed food and beverage tax will not be discussed as it is not on the agenda. The other item on the agenda is an invoice from Foster County on a chip seal coat.

A member of the audience asked if there will be a meeting to address the Ordinance 277 on the food and beverage tax. The consensus of the Council was to hold a special meeting specifically on the proposed Ordinance 277.

A member of the audience asked what the meeting notification requirements are for said special meeting. Auditor Gast stated meeting notices do not have to be published; notice is posted in our entryway (bulletin board) and notification to the newspaper. Auditor Gast stated, however, if there is a specific topic of which a resident wishes to be notified about, they may contact the Auditor's office and make that request.

Dennis Swanson of the Rainbow Garden Board presented a power point on the project. Questions were heard and addressed from the audience to Rainbow Garden Board members Dennis Swanson and Laurie Dietz.

The following individuals listed on the agenda asked questions of the Rainbow Garden Board members and some addressed Council: Cole Broadwell, Hope Carr, Kim Watson, Aaron Fauss, Linda Schuster, Scott Fetch, and Curtiss Klein.

Mayor Erdmann recessed the meeting at 7:27 pm for a break.

Mayor Erdmann reconvened the meeting at 7:29 pm.

Discussion was held on the invoice received from Foster County on chip seal coat for approximately one mile on 66th Ave. The consensus of Council was to gather more information.

There being no further business on the special meeting agenda, a motion was made by Roundy, seconded by Smith, to adjourn. All voted aye. Motion carried.

Adjourned at 8:07 PM

Jennifer Gast, City Auditor

Thomas Erdmann, Mayor