

Minutes
Special Meeting of Aurora Council
Video Council Meeting
Thursday, July 30, 2020
4:00 p.m.

PRESENT: Mayor Gregor, Councilors Worshek and Honkola

ABSENT: Councilors Jofs and Lakso

ALSO PRESENT: Becky Lammi, Aurora City Administrator; Jon Skelton, Town of White Chair; Craig Anttila, and Ed Kippley, Town of White Supervisors; Jodi Knaus, Town of White Manager; Amanda Gross, Town of White Treasurer; Clark Niemi, Town of White Foreman

A special meeting was called to order by Mayor Gregor at 4:00 p.m.

Mayor Gregor reviewed the East Range Joint Water Project. He stated NTS has completed the geotechnical work and will be submitting a report soon. The bonding bill is has not passed at this time, and there is a blackout period so it will not be considered again for several months. Chair Skelton indicated the Owner's Representative contract has expired. Manager Knaus stated it went through 12/31/2019. It was discussed, and Manager Knaus and City Administrator Lammi will get an official request to continue/renew. Chair Skelton also discussed the need for a meeting regarding the legal partnership; possibly having SEH attend the first portion for updates.

City Administrator Lammi reviewed the City Hall improvements listed in the packet materials. Manager Knaus had a concern about the Township and City paying for the East Range Joint Powers Board; questions regarding their rental situation. Mayor Gregor and Supervisor Kippley will discuss it at the next ERJPB meeting. Chair Skelton indicated the technology updates made sense for the safety of employees. The Township made and passed a motion to pay 20% of the roofing costs as outlined in the City Hall agreement from 1909.

Moved by Honkola and supported by Worshek to adjourn the meeting.

Ayes: Honkola, Gregor, Worshek

Nays: None

Absent: Jofs and Lakso

Motion carried unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 4:40 p.m.

ATTEST:

Doug Gregor, Mayor

Becky Lammi, City Administrator