

Eldora City Council
Workshop Meeting
August 27, 2019 -- 6:00 pm

Eldora City Council met in Council Workshop with Mayor David Dunn presiding. Council members Blake Jones, Greg Priske, Robert John, and Melody Hoy were present. Aaron Budweg was absent. Also, present were City Administrator David Mitchell, City Attorney Martin Petersen, Chandra Kyte, Cindy Johns, Jerry Kramer, Julie Duhn, Jamie Witham, Jack Brekke, Gary Van Den Boom, Gary Kofoid, Julie Kofoid, Tim Hoy and Jerry Loewen.

The meeting started with the Pledge of Allegiance. Mayor Dunn introduced the Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) and the Council went over the document and made notes on some rewording or removing of sentences in the SOP. After the SOP is reworked with the changes the Council will review the document again.

They discussed the moving of the EMS from proprietary fund to general fund with the benefits of the EMS being able to use an essential services levy if one was passed and trust and agency fund if needed. They are recommending moving forward with this.

Next Jamie Witham presented to the council some updates and changes to Chapter 50, Nuisance Abatement Procedure & Chapter 51 Junk and Junk Vehicles. Chapter 50 changes defined more abating results for failure to abate. Chapter 51 changes were more defining on what is a junk vehicle and how to abate the issue. If the City did acquire a vehicle they would need to get a Bonded Title so the City could auction or sell the vehicle. The council is recommending moving forward with these changes.

Jamie also gave the council a list of the current fees for permits and services for the City. The fees changing will be an increase in demolition permit, fireworks permit, special use permit, dumpster permit and awning & canopy permit. The council is recommending moving forward with these changes.

With nothing else on the agenda, the Mayor Dunn adjourned the meeting at 7:25pm.

David W. Dunn, Mayor

ATTEST:

Chandra Kyte, City Clerk