The meeting was called to order by Mayor Blease at 7:00 PM. Council Member Cate gave the invocation. Mayor Blease led those present in the pledge of allegiance.


Absent: None

Also present: City Manager Bessinger, and 16 citizens.

22-157 Moved by Council Member O’Donnell, seconded by Council Member Carlson, to approve the September 19, 2022, City Council minutes as printed. The motion passed unanimously.

22-158 Moved by Council Member Cate, seconded by Council Member Carlson to approve Mayor Pro-Tem O’Donnell as the City’s voting delegate at the Municipal League Annual Meeting. The motion passed, 5 yeas, 2 nays (Montgomery, Murdoch).

22-159 Moved by Council Member Murdoch, seconded by Council Member O’Donnell to schedule a Public Hearing on November 7, 2022, to consider improvements to Lake Road and to Establish a Special Assessment District to Fund the Project Costs. The motion passed unanimously.

22-160 Moved by Council Member O’Donnell, seconded by Council Member Carlson, to not approve a proposal from Progressive AE to conduct a traffic study on North Shore Drive, North Shore Estates Road, and North Shore Road. The motion passed unanimously.

22-161 Moved by Council Member O’Donnell, seconded by Council Member Carlson, to confirm the City Manager’s appointment of Amber Schaner as City Clerk/Treasurer, effective October 18, 2022. The motion passed unanimously.

22-162 Moved by Council Member Montgomery, seconded by Council Member Cate, to waive the residency requirement for City Clerk/Treasurer Amber Schaner. The motion passed unanimously.

22-163 Moved by Council Member Cate, seconded by Council Member Sias, to appoint City Clerk Amber Schaner to the Election Commission. The motion passed unanimously.

22-164 Moved by Council Member Carlson, seconded by Council Member Murdoch, to approve updated bank signatories, adding Amber Schaner and removing Rita Fowler-Bierman. The motion passed unanimously.
22-165 Moved by Council Member Montgomery, seconded by Council Member O’Donnell moved to adjourn to a closed session at 8:31 p.m. to conduct the evaluation of the City Manager’s performance for 2021-2022. Roll call vote: 7 yeas, 0 nays, motion passed.

22-166 Moved by Council Member Montgomery, seconded by Council Member Murdoch, to reconvene in open session at 8:50 p.m. The motion passed unanimously.

22-167 Moved by Council Member Montgomery, seconded by Council Member Murdoch, to increase the City Manager’s salary by 4%. The motion passed unanimously.

The City Manager, the City Council Members and the Mayor, reported on several current items.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:16 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Scott Blease
Mayor

Craig Bessinger
Acting City Clerk