



MINUTES
CITY COUNCIL WORK SESSION
March 2, 2010

CALL TO ORDER

The work session meeting was called to order by Mayor Gilbert at 5:49 pm.

Present: Council: Mayor Randy Gilbert; Councilmembers Brian Carpenter, and Liz Olson

Staff Present: City Administrator Terrance Post

Guests: Resident Paul Mahoney, Business Owner Robert Erickson

Excused Absence: Councilmembers Sharon Henderson and Sam Rettinger

APPROVE AGENDA

A motion was made by Carpenter, seconded by Olson, to approve the Agenda as presented. Ayes: all.

BUSINESS ITEMS

Conduct Lake Minnetonka Communications Commission (LMCC) Interview

Administrator Post distributed a bench handout which detailed a February 27, 2010 email communication from applicant Eric Jones indicating his desire to withdraw his name from consideration for the appointed position of LMCC Resident Commissioner.

The Council then interviewed remaining applicant Paul Mahoney. They expressed favorable reaction to Mr. Mahoney's willingness to serve, related professional background, and demeanor in being a quality City of Long Lake representative to the LMCC Board.

Discuss Chamber of Commerce Additional Signage Request

Mr. Erickson presented his February 26, 2010 proposal for additional signs on County roads. The Council commented positively on the reduced number of new signs (four) not previously approved by Hennepin County and noted that, since three of them were within City of Orono boundaries, that the request should also be shown to elected officials of that community for their support before being submitted to County Engineer Jim Grube.

OTHER BUSINESS

Administrator Post briefly discussed the recent letter response from the City of Orono concerning the Police Agreement, the intent to have the Elite Auto Zoning Ordinance deficiencies on the March 9, 2010 Planning Commission agenda, and a scheduled March 16, 2010 EDA work session meeting.

ADJOURN

Hearing no objection, Mayor Gilbert adjourned the work session meeting by general consent at 6:32 pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Terrance Post, City Administrator