



**MINUTES**  
**JOINT LONG LAKE/WAYZATA CITY COUNCIL WORK SESSION**  
**November 20, 2012**

**CALL TO ORDER**

The work session meeting was called to order by Mayor Hultmann at 5:32 p.m.

**Present:** Long Lake Mayor: Tim Hultmann; Council: Brian Carpenter, Donny Chillstrom, Liz Olson and Tom Skjaret

Wayzata Mayor: Ken Willcox; Council: Jack Amdal, Mary Bader, Andrew Mullin, and Tom Tanner

**Staff Present:** Long Lake City Administrator: Terrance Post; Wayzata City Manager: Heidi Nelson; numerous other staff members from both cities

**APPROVE AGENDA**

*A motion was made by Chillstrom, seconded by Bader, to approve the Agenda. Ayes: all.*

**Introductions**

After introductions, Mayors Hultmann and Willcox made opening remarks. Post thanked Wayzata elected officials for accepting the invitation by Long Lake for this meeting and suggested that such dialogue is an important step from a policy perspective in collaboratively working toward potential future outcomes.

**BUSINESS ITEMS**

**Discuss Past and Current Relationships**

Post commented on past examples such as equipment-sharing and sharing a compost site as well as the current police protection services contract initiated in 2011 that appears to be a “win-win” for both communities. Willcox commented on a Wayzata change to being more open to opportunities after resolving some 2010 budget issues.

**Discuss Future Service Delivery/Facility Options**

General discussion began by reviewing Long Lake’s long history of subcontracting for various city services, Long Lake’s facilities excess capacity, and other drivers such as succession planning and organizational structure that both cities may be facing. Various points were made by elected officials around the table with the topic of Public Works departments and activities dominating the discussion. Mayors Hultmann and Willcox canvassed their council members regarding a willingness to be open to pursuing future discussion. Councilors responded in the affirmative. A recommendation was made to create a joint city study group in 2013 consisting of two council members from each city along with the City Administrator and City Manager to discuss collaboration opportunities further.

**OTHER BUSINESS**

None.

**ADJOURN**

Hearing no objection, Mayor Hultmann adjourned the work session meeting by general consent at 6:21 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Terrance Post, City Administrator