

Pipestone, Minnesota
February 7, 2022

Pursuant to due call and notice thereof, a Special Meeting of the Pipestone City Council was duly held in the Municipal Building at 5:10 p.m. on the 7th day of February 2022. Mayor Myron Koets called the meeting to order. Roll call was taken and a quorum was declared. Members present: Myron Koets, Jim Stout, Rodger Smidt, and Dan Delaney. Excused: Justin Schroyer. Others present: Kyle Kuphal, City Engineer Travis Winter, Cable Access Coordinator Steve Moffitt and City Administrator/City Attorney Jeff Jones.

Mayor Koets stated that the purpose of the meeting was to hold a Planning Session.

REVIEW OF 2021 PLAN AND PROPOSED 2022 PLAN

City Administrator/City Attorney Jones then reviewed an updated One and Five Year Plan. The One Year Plan includes possible projects for 2022. Benches on the Indian Lake Trail were discussed.

The council then discussed possible improvements at the new soccer field. Councilmember Delaney stated he would like to see the soccer used as an ice-skating rink and that a warming room should be added to the property as well as a concession stand and bathrooms.

Jones stated that there are still funds remaining from the JBS donation that could be used for these items.

The council then discussed the future of the Aquatic Center. Possible improvements could include a Splash Pad.

Councilmember Delaney then stated he would like to see an ordinance regulating dumpsters in residential areas. Jones will prepare a sample ordinance for council review.

The council then discussed the future of the community library. It was the consensus that the library is an asset for the community and that options need to be considered if a new school/library/city agreement cannot be agreed upon.

Possible development of the North Hiawatha property was then discussed. Jones was directed to provide the council with an RFP to developers.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion was made by Smidt, seconded by Stout and unanimously carried to adjourn the meeting.

Myron D. Koets
Mayor

ATTEST:

Jeffrey R. Jones
City Administrator