

SPECIAL MEETING DES MOINES CITY COUNCIL

MINUTES

October 31, 2002

The special meeting of the Des Moines City Council was called to order by Mayor Wasson at 6:30 p.m. in the City Hall Conference Room, 21630 11th Avenue South.

ROLL CALL - Present: Mayor Don Wasson, Mayor Pro Tem Richard Benjamin, Councilmembers Gary Petersen, Bob Sheckler, Maggie Steenrod, Scott Thomasson and Susan White. Also present were City Manager Tony Piasecki, Mike Kenyon (left meeting at 6:45 p.m.) and Assistant City Engineer Loren Reinhold (arrived at 7:15 p.m.).

POTENTIAL LITIGATION

Mayor Wasson announced that the Council will continue in Executive Session for approximately 15 minutes to discuss with legal counsel representing the City, litigation or potential litigation to which the City is, or is likely to become a party and about which public knowledge regarding the discussion is likely to result in an adverse legal or financial consequence to the City.

6:45 p.m. Mr. Kenyon left the meeting.

LABOR RELATIONS

Mayor Wasson announced that the Council will hold an Executive Session for approximately 15 minutes for the purpose of planning or adopting strategies or positions as part of an ongoing collective bargaining process as provided by RCW 42.30.240(4)(b).

No formal action was taken.

7:15 p.m. Assistant City Engineer Reinhold arrived.

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No formal action was taken.

ADJOURNMENT

The special meeting adjourned at 7:56 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Linda A. Marousek, City Attorney