

Murray City Municipal Council Chambers Murray City, Utah

Tuesday, May 3rd, 2022

The Murray City Municipal Council met on Tuesday, May 3rd, 2022, at 6:30 p.m. (or as soon as possible thereafter) for a meeting held in the Murray City Council Chambers, 5025 South State Street, Murray, Utah.

The public was able to view the meeting via the live stream at www.murraycitylive.com or <https://www.facebook.com/Murraycityutah/>. A recording of the City Council meeting can be viewed [HERE](#).

Council in Attendance:

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| Kat Martinez | District #1 |
| Pamela Cotter | District #2 |
| Rosalba Dominguez | District #3 |
| Diane Turner | District #4 – Conducting |
| Garry Hrechkosy | District #5 |
| Jennifer Kennedy | Council Director |
| Patti Johnson | Council Office Administrator III |

Administrative Staff in Attendance:

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| Brett Hales | Mayor |
| Doug Hill | Chief Administrative Officer |
| Tammy Kikuchi | Chief Communication Officer |
| GL Critchfield | City Attorney |
| Brooke Smith | City Recorder |
| Robyn Colton | HR Director |
| Craig Burnett | Police Chief |
| Joey Mittleman | Fire Chief |
| Danny Astill | Public Works Director |
| Kim Sorensen | Parks & Recreation Director |
| Danny Hansen | Senior IT Technician |
| Ben Gray | Senior IT Technician |

Others in Attendance:

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| Charles Turner | Deondra Brown |
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Opening Ceremonies

Call to Order – Council member Turner called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

Pledge of Allegiance – The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Tammi Kikuchi.

Approval of Minutes

Council Meeting – April 5, 2022

MOTION

Councilmember Dominguez moves to approve the meeting minutes. The motion was SECONDED by Councilmember Martinez.

Council roll call vote:

Ayes: Councilmember Hrechkosy, Councilmember Martinez, Councilmember Cotter, Councilmember Dominguez, Councilmember Turner

Nays: None

Abstentions: None

Motion passed 5-0

Special Recognition

None scheduled.

Citizen Comments

The meeting was open for public comment.

Deondra Brown

Introduced herself as a candidate running for Utah State Senate District 14 and she invited the council to contact her with any questions. She is a Murray City resident for 13 years and looks forward to potentially serving in the Senate and representing the area.

No additional citizen comments were given, and the open public comment period was closed.

Consent Agenda

None scheduled.

Public Hearings

Staff, sponsor presentations, and public comments will be given prior to Council action on the following matter. The Council Meeting Agenda Packet can be found [HERE](#).

None scheduled.

Business Item

1. **Consider an ordinance amending Section 2.62.120 of the Murray City Municipal Code relating to employee holiday vacations**

Presentation: Robyn Colton, Human Resources Director
Ordinance O22-20

Presentation

Robyn Colton shared the purpose of the request is to consider an ordinance amending Section 2.62.120 of the Murray City Municipal Code relating to employee holiday vacations in recognition of Juneteenth National Freedom Day as a city holiday.

Federal and State Governments have now adopted Juneteenth as an official holiday. In Utah the holiday would be observed on the third Monday in June. The City's current holiday schedule provides 11 and a half paid holidays and three preference days. This amendment would add Juneteenth as an additional holiday this year, and the following year it would replace one of the personal preference days.

MOTION: Councilmember Martinez moved to adopt the ordinance. The motion was **SECONDED** by Councilmember Hrechkosy.

Council roll call vote:

Ayes: Councilmember Hrechkosy, Councilmember Martinez, Councilmember Cotter, Councilmember Dominguez, Councilmember Turner

Nays: None

Abstentions: None

Motion passed 5-0

Councilmembers thanked Colton for presentation.

Mayor's Report and Questions

The Mayor thanked the council for and looking forward to discussing the budget with the council tomorrow.

Councilmember Hrechkosy acknowledged and wanted to pay respect for the passing of Senator Orrin Hatch and Psarah Johnson, who was an activist in the community.

Council members shared thanks to the presenters and staff.

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 6:37 p.m.

Brooke Smith, City Recorder

