

City of Van Meter, Iowa

City Council Minutes – 04-24-2023

- 1) The Van Meter City Council met for a council work session on Monday, April 24, 2023, at Van Meter City Hall located 310 Mill Street. Mayor Allan Adams called the meeting to order at 6:00pm. The following council members were present upon roll call: Joel Akers, Travis Brott, Joe Herman, and Lyn Lyon.
Absent: Blake Grolmus
Staff present: City Attorney John Fatino, City Attorney Luke Craven, City Engineer Bob Veenstra, Deputy City Clerk Grace Grob, City Clerk Jessica Drake, City Administrator Liz Faust, Public Works Director Drew McCombs, Chief of Police Mike Brown, and Fire Chief Mark Schmitt.
- 2) Mayor Adams requested to move Agenda Item #6 – Closed Session Pursuant to Iowa Code Chapter 21.5(c)(j) to Item #3 and shift the rest of the agenda items accordingly. Lyon moved; supported by Akers, to approve the revised agenda. Motion carried unanimously.
- 3) At 6:05 Lyon moved, supported by Akers, to enter Closed Session with Counsel to discuss matters pursuant to Section 21.5(c)(j). Motion carried unanimously.
- 4) Herman moved; supported by Akers; to move out of Closed Session at 6:31pm. Motion carried unanimously.
- 5) City Administrator Faust discussed a request regarding the Van Meter Cemetery.
- 6) City Staff held a discussion regarding the FY24 Budget.
- 7) Mayor Adams led a discussion regarding goal setting. Staff is to provide worksheets for additional input and further discussion.
- 8) Lyon moved; supported by Akers, to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried unanimously. Mayor Allan Adams adjourned the meeting at 7:36 pm.

Allan B. Adams Allan B. Adams, Mayor

Attest:

Jessica Drake
City Clerk