

City of Little Falls

**SPECIAL WORK SESSION CITY COUNCIL MEETING ~ JANUARY 17, 2017**

1. **CALL TO ORDER**

The special work session City Council meeting of the City of Little Falls was called to order by Council President Hanfler on January 17, 2017, at 6:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers at City Hall. Councilmembers Hircock, Gosiak, Lundberg, Liljegren, Knafla, Council President Hanfler, and Mayor Zylka were present. Councilmember Hanson absent sent. It was determined there was a quorum.

2. **PUBLIC FORUM**

None.

3. **BILLS DISCUSSION**

No questions.

4. **CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS DISCUSSION**

No questions.

5. **COUNCIL INFORMATIONAL ONLY ITEMS**

a. **Live Better Live Longer Group, Bump Outs** – Pat McGuire and Kate Bjorge of the Live Better Live Longer Group, reviewed a second request to establish temporary curb extensions “bump outs” at the corner of First Street and First Avenue Northeast. Following discussions, it was the consensus of the City Council to allow temporary curb extensions at this intersection early spring 2017.

b. **Disc Golf** – Councilmember Gosiak reviewed his request for the installation of a disc golf course within the Little Falls Area Recreational Complex. Public Works Director Kimman reviewed the estimated costs and the area of the complex the project. Following discussion, the City Council directed staff to research the possible use of Mill Park not the Little Falls Area Recreation Complex and report back.

c. **Garbage Cart/Bags Survey Results** – City Administrator Radermacher reviewed the results of the survey sent to resident requesting whether or not they were interested in garbage carts [cans] vs. remaining with the bags system. Costs of the cart drive by fee would increase to \$14 per month, with the bag drive by at \$7.60 and cost of bags at \$1.60. Results of those returned surveys was 608 cans and 579 bags. Following discussions, it was the consensus of the City Council to move forward with a dual system offering both cart or bags and for staff to work on implementing the program, including needed ordinance changes, purchasing carts, etc., and report back.

d. **City Council Meeting Times** – City Administrator Radermacher reviewed the options of changing the start time for City Council work sessions and regular meetings. No action taken.

e. **Other**

1. Councilmember Lundberg discussed the possible re-branding of the City logo. Discussions to continue at future meetings.

4. **CONSTITUENT COMPLAINTS**

None.

5. **ADJOURNMENT**

Council President Hanfler adjourned the meeting at 7:32 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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Lori Kasella