



City of Longview

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Minutes

City Council

*Mayor Don Jensen
Council Member Ken Botero
Council Member Chet Makinster
Council Member Steve Moon
Council Member Scott Vydra
Mayor Pro Tem Michael Wallin
Council Member MaryAlice Wallis*

Thursday, July 25, 2019

6:00 PM

2nd Floor, City Hall

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with RCW Chapter 42.30, that the City Council of the City of Longview, Washington, will conduct a special meeting in the Longview City Hall Training Room, 1525 Broadway, Longview, on Thursday, July 25th at 6:00 p.m. The topics of discussion follow. Final disposition shall be taken on no other matter.

The City Hall is accessible for persons with disabilities. Special equipment to assist the hearing impaired is also available. Please contact the City Executive Offices at 360.442.5004 48 hours in advance if you require special accommodations to attend the meeting.

1. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Jensen called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Roll Call:

Present: Councilmember Ken Botero, Mayor Don Jensen, Councilmember Chet Makinster, Councilmember Steve Moon, Councilmember Scott Vydra, Councilmember Mike Wallin, Councilmember MaryAlice Wallis

Absent: None

Staff Present:

Human Resources Director/Interim Assistant City Manager Chris Smith, City Clerk Kaylee Cody, and Fleet/Facilities Maintenance Manager Keith Walling

2. WORKSHOP

19-000277 ELECTRIC VEHICLE CHARGING STATIONS

Fleet/Facilities Maintenance Manager Keith Walling presented for discussion.

Council consensus was to direct staff to form a committee of stakeholders and staff to explore entering into a partnership with an electric vehicle (EV) charging company for the installation of EV stations in Longview.

Constituents comments:

Brian Loos of Longview, an owner of an EV, addressed Council in support of the installation of EV stations.

Ron Knori of Longview addressed Council in support of the installation of EV stations and also shared his expertise as a former owner of a taxi company that used electric vehicles.

Susan Lee Schwartz of Longview addressed Council in support of the installation of EV stations.

Jennie Oskey of Longview addressed Council to express her opinion that EV stations should be installed by private businesses and the City need not be involved.

3. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 6:58 p.m.

Kaylee Cody
City Clerk

Approved: _____
Mayor