



City of Longview

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Minutes

Public Works SubCommittee

Wednesday, February 21,
2024

5:00 PM

Public Works Conference Room,
1st Floor, City Hall

1. **HYBRID MEETING DETAILS**

24-00144 To join the webinar: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85191031903>
Webinar ID: 851 9103 1903
Or Telephone: (253) 215 8782 or (253) 205 0468

2. **CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting was called to order at 3:35 pm.

Ken Hash opened the meeting with a brief overview.

In attendance: Councilmember Ruth Kendall, Councilmember Erik Halverson; Councilmember Keith Young

Staff: Ken Hash, Chris Collins, Sam Barham, Brian Steveson, Nancy Vandehey

3. **APPROVAL OF MEETING NOTES**

4. **OLD BUSINESS**

5. **NEW BUSINESS**

24-00145 **Utilities Operations Overview - Water, Sewer, & Filter**

Brian Steveson spoke on the Utility Operations Overview. Our average waterline breaks per year is around 25-40 a year. Most large meters were pulled out of the ground and put in hot boxes due to safety. There are 11 million gallons of water in our 10 reservoirs. Our 6 pump stations are showing their age. Brian explained the need for backflow devices. There was a discussion on lining sewer pipes and rebuilding manholes.

24-00146 **Utility Projects - WSF current & upcoming**

Sam Barham spoke on the current and upcoming projects.

24-00147 **Dedicated Fill Line**

Chris Collins spoke on the Dedicated Fill Line project and shared the estimates that we have to date. Due to time there was a limited discussion. This will be brought back to the next meeting.

24-00148 **Jackson, Mississippi Video discussion**

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xOdF7A1ry7E>

Tabled due to time limitation.

24-00149 What's next?

- **Field Trips?**
- **Next Department?**
- **Projects to review?**

Bring back Fill Line and Jackson Mississippi Video discussion.

Other items to pursue:

Walla Walla Public Works Director to join us by zoom or get his APWA presentation to share

Patriot Rail truck tour

There was a short discussion on potholes and sidewalk reporting and repair schedule.

6. PUBLIC COMMENT

7. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting is adjourned at 5:10 pm.