



City Council Meeting Minutes

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Anne McEnerny-Ogle, Mayor • Bart Hansen • Ty Stober • Erik Paulsen • Sarah J. Fox • Diana H. Perez • Kim D. Harless

July 8, 2024

WORKSHOPS: 3:00-6:00 p.m.

Vancouver City Hall - Council Chambers - 415 W 6th Street, Vancouver WA

Workshops were conducted in person in the Council Chambers of City Hall. Members of the public were invited to view the meeting in person, via the live broadcast on www.cvtv.org and CVTV cable channels 23 or HD 323, or on the City's Facebook page, or www.facebook.com/VancouverUS.

View the CVTV video recording, including presentations and discussion, for workshops at:

https://www.cvtv.org/vid_link/36593?startStreamAt=0&stopStreamAt=10801

Police Levy Recommendation

(Approximately 1 hour)

Jeff Mori, Police Chief, 360-487-7498; Natasha Ramras, Chief Financial Officer, 360-487-8484

Council moved the Police Levy Recommendation to be presented after the Transportation System Plan Update.

Summary

Staff led Council through a discussion of the Police Levy Recommendation.

Councilmember Harless attended the workshop remotely.

Transportation System Plan Update

(Approximately 1 hour, to immediately follow previous workshop)

Kate Drennan, Transportation Planning Program Manager, 360-487-7959

Council moved the Police Levy Recommendation to be presented after the Transportation System Plan Update.

Summary

Staff led Council through a discussion of the Transportation System Plan Update.

Councilmember Harless attended the workshop remotely.

Critical Areas Ordinance

(Approximately 1 hour, to immediately follow previous workshop)

Domenique Martinelli, Senior Planner, 360-487-7943

Summary

Staff led Council through a discussion of the Critical Areas Ordinance.

Councilmember Harless attended the workshop remotely.

Joyo Delegation City Hall Tour: 6:00-6:20 p.m. - 1st Floor Lobby, City Hall

REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING: 6:30 p.m.

This meeting was conducted as a hybrid meeting with in person and remote viewing and participation over video conference utilizing a GoToMeeting platform. Members of the public were invited to view the meeting in person, via the live broadcast on www.cvtv.org and CVTV cable channels 23 or HD 323, or on the City's Facebook page, www.facebook.com/VancouverUS. Public access and testimony on Consent Agenda items and under the Community Forum were also facilitated in person and via the GoToMeeting conference call.

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Pledge of Allegiance

Call to Order and Roll Call

The regular meeting of the Vancouver City Council was called to order at 6:30 p.m. by Mayor McEnerny-Ogle. This meeting was conducted as a hybrid meeting, including both in person and remotely over video conference.

Present: Councilmembers Perez, Fox, Paulsen, Stober, Hansen, and Mayor McEnerny-Ogle

Absent: Councilmember Harless

Motion by Councilmember Hansen, seconded by Councilmember Paulsen, and approved unanimously to excuse Councilmember Harless.

Proclamation: Sister City Recognition

Mayor McEnerny-Ogle read and presented a proclamation to Toshiharu Okuda, Mayor of Joyo City, Hiromitsu Morisawa, Chair of the Joyo International Exchange Association, and Masayoshi Okubo, representing the Joyo International Exchange Association, proclaiming recognition of the City of Vancouver and Joyo City Japan as Sister Cities.

City Council and Joyo Delegation Dinner Break / Gift Presentation: 7:00 p.m. - Aspen Room, City Hall

The City Council and the Joyo City delegation held a gift exchange and dinner in honor of the Sister City visit.

Adjournment

8:30 p.m.

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Anne McEnerny-Ogle
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Anne McEnerny-Ogle, Mayor

Attest:

DocuSigned by:

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Natasha Ramras, City Clerk

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Kimberlee Goheen Elbon Patriot Life resident of Clark County Wa USA.

I Speak to The People of Vancouver where I was born and to all People here in Clark County WA USA I will Speak to the Police Levy and put again on record that the American Vancouver resident depends on Our Peace Officers and it is not the law abiding People that are criminals - so remember that when it comes time for the next planned Demic – that You serve The People and not the government as Our Hard Earned Tax Dollars funnel through this tyrannical marxist government and then to You – it is WE THE PEOPLE that actually put food on Your tables and clothe Your Families - with OUR Hard Earned Tax Dollars. On October 24, 2022's City Council meeting is an example of a Vancouver Police Officer, directed by mayor McCenerny Ogle to take Me by force out of chambers. This behavior from a Public Servant is not acceptable nor will it be, even as the Local government will continue to rule over The People instead of WE THE PEOPLE ruling over them. I ask all Police to remember where Your food and survival comes from – Hard Earned Tax Dollars - Serve The People - not the government when it gets rough this year and Thank You for Your Service and Oath to The People.

INDEPENDENCE DAY is very important to WE THE PEOPLE that are aware of what is happening in todays world as Cities such as Vancouver, Portland, Olympia, Seattle and more than 400 Cities across Our once Sovereign Nation are members of the United Nations and DO NOT follow The Constitution or The Bill of Rights as they use Hard Earned Tax Dollars to follow the UN agenda 21-2030 to have a one world government and to depopulate. Independence and Truthful information can be read on the CCBoard of Health web site under SUBMITTED COMMENTS these past few years.

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I timely submitted A PROCLAMATION to this council; stating that JULY be Proclaimed as INDEPENDENCE MONTH and as did the CCCouncil – You plagiarized Our intended written Proclamation and also edited out – ‘The Lords Name’; the mention of a ‘Heritage of Parades, Guns, Bells, Bonfires and Illuminations’ – editing also ‘Our Local Heritage of the Greatest display of FireWorks this side of The Mississippi River at the Historical Fort Vancouver Barracks’. This council wants nothing to do with the American Patriot or any such Love of God, Family and Country. Also edited and deleted was the FACT that The Constitution guarantees OUR RIGHT to abolish any government or alter them if they become destruction, and institute new government. And like the CCCouncil, you also take the Glory meant to go to God – to Those that Love Him and the Free Nation that is under Him and took it for your own pride and gain. Pride, I Believe your pride, will go before destruction and a haughty heart before the fall – Proverbs 16:18.

Carmen DeLeon and I wrote the first ever Original Proclamation for July as Independence Month and this council along with the CCCouncil have taken what We wrote and used it for their own gain.

We find that illegal and appalling to say the least and I want The People of Vancouver to know that this council does not follow The Constitution and I Believe have illegally violated The First Amendment Right to Freedom of Speech as the City Attorney is now returning the three minutes once a month Public Comments on any subject matter; but as a marxist form of government would have it – The Public comments do not matter enough to have them put on record in the weekly agenda and your comments will not be recorded in any way. Oh, did I mention those Concerned Citizens wanting to Speak Their three minutes will have to

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wait until the entire meeting is over and adjourned – then You can Speak and it will not be recorded so other Concerned Citizens will not hear what is going on in Their Community or the concerns of other People.

The People of Vancouver have no clue that you took those three minutes away and it's My Duty to wake Them up to this tyrannical form of government as you follow the UN. So how is that transparency of Our First Amendment Rights ??? Wake up Residents of Vancouver and Assemble as Our ForeFathers WARNED US to do when a government becomes destructive as Our Constitution gave US the duty and the Right to do. STAND NOW Todays Independence Day Proclamation is important but I want Citizens to know that this council stole it from Me and Carmen.

I now Proclaim JULY 2024 as INDEPENDENCE MONTH as Originally written and submitted to this council. *Let's make America Godly again.*

*Submitted by Kimberlee Goheen Elbon
wellthe4people@aol.com for Reply*

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PROCLAMATION

Where as ~ In the year of Our Lord 1776 Congress declared its Freedom from Great Britain. That these Colonies are Free and Independent States and are absolved from the British crown and

Where as ~ In the year of Our Lord 1776 Independence Day will be the most memorable Epocha, (epic) in the History of America; Celebrating with Parades, Guns, Bells, Bonfires and Illuminations from one end of this Continent to the other from this Time forward forever more." John Adams wrote this and

Where as ~ Congress approved the actual DECLARATION of INDEPENDENCE document on July 4, 1776 and in September 17, 1787 drafted in secret by delegates to the Constitutional Convention during the summer 1787 establishing The Government of The United States and guarantying Our Right to abolish any government or alter them if they become destructive, and institute new government and

Now Therefore ~ Keeping with the rich Heritage, Patriotism and History of the largest Celebration this side of The Mississippi River at The Historical Fort Vancouver Barracks for Generations to come here in Clark County WA USA ~

WE THE PEOPLE HEREBY Proclaim with the Vancouver City Council ~ JULY as

~~~~~INDEPENDENCE MONTH~~~~~

In Clark County "We hold these Truths to be self-evident, that all men are created eual, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable rights, among these are Life, Liberty and the pursuit of Happiness Amen.

Signed this 29<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2022 and now this day of July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2024 ~ ~ ~

Kimberlee Goheen Elbon

Carmen De Leon (Melo)

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when we 'tap' the 'meetings, agendas  
and minutes!

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All 6 pages are submitted to Public Comments and on Record for July 1, 2024 Vancouver City Council meeting - WITH an added page that documents the Original Proclamation submission.

| Meetings     | Items                |                                                                                                                                                             |                                                                                     |                                                                                                                                 |               |
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| Meeting Date | Meeting Type         | Meeting Location                                                                                                                                            | Online Agenda                                                                       | Download Agenda                                                                                                                 | Legal Minutes |
| 07/01/24     | City Council Meeting | Vancouver City Hall - Council Chambers - 415 W 6th Street, Vancouver WA                                                                                     |  | <br>(DisplayAgendaPDF.ashx? MeetingID=481) |               |
| 06/29/24     | City Council Meeting | Vancouver City Hall - 415 W 6th Street, Vancouver WA                                                                                                        |  | <br>(DisplayAgendaPDF.ashx? MeetingID=492) |               |
| 06/24/24     | City Council Meeting | Executive Session - Vancouver City Hall - 415 W 6th Street, Vancouver, WA; Community Forum - Firstenberg Community Center - 700 NE 136th Ave, Vancouver, WA |  | <br>(DisplayAgendaPDF.ashx? MeetingID=491) |               |
| 06/17/24     | City Council Meeting | Vancouver City Hall - Council Chambers - 415 W 6th Street,                                                                                                  |  | ([<br><br>AgendaPDF.ashx?                  |               |

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## City of Vancouver Proclamation Request

From: City of Vancouver - Office of the City Manager (cmo@cityofvancouver.us)

To: pcolacenter522@aol.com

Date: Friday, May 31, 2024 at 08:14 AM PDT

Hello, thank you for your proclamation request. Unfortunately, a proclamation request for Independence Day has already been submitted. The proclamation will be read on July 1st if you would like to attend the reading. Thank you and take care.

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