

Special City Council Meeting
May 13, 2024

The City Council met at 3:45 PM at Oakes Community Center with the following members present: Council: Day, Hernandez-Waite, Bakke and Mayer, Acting Mayor: Harris. Employees present: Zasha Johnson, Jason Paradis and Matthew O'Brien.

Acting Mayor Harris explained the meeting was called to discuss a confidential staffing issue and that North Dakota Century Code gives the legal authority to discuss confidential records in executive session in section 44-04-19.2. Bakke moved, Mayer second to enter executive session at 3:48pm, roll call: Bakke, Mayer, Day & Hernandez-Waite-Aye, there were no nays. Members of the public were asked to leave the meeting. The executive session was recorded and attended by Matthew O'Brien, Jason Paradis, Nick Harris, John Bakke, Shannon Day, Janell Mayer and Robert Hernandez-Waite. The executive session adjourned at 3:59pm and the public was invited to return to the room.

Chief O'Brien informed the council that a former police officer from Lisbon, ND was willing to provide part-time assistance to the police department as needed, most importantly during the Irrigation Days weekend.

Mayer moved, Day second to adjourn the meeting at 4:01PM.

MAYOR _____ ATTEST _____
(minutes subject to correction and approval at the next regular meeting)