



**MINUTES OF THE
COUNCIL MEETING OF THE
MAYOR & COUNCIL
APRIL 27TH, 2021**

Minutes of the regular council meeting of the Mayor and the City Council of Rupert, Idaho on the twenty-seventh day of April, 2021, in the Council Chambers located inside City Hall at 624 F Street, Rupert, Idaho at the hour of 7:00 PM.

Present: Mayor Michael D. Brown
Councilmembers Present: Jones, Faux, Heward
Councilmembers Absent: Swensen
City Administrator Kelly Anthon
City Clerk Bayley Maughan
City Attorney Lance Stevenson

Visitors: Vincent Sandstoe, Leslie Garner (Employees)
Tony Poovey, Todd Wheeler, Paul Henscheid (Visitors)

Mayor Brown welcomed everyone and called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM.

Everyone stood for the Pledge.

Deacon Paul Henscheid gave invocation.

Mayor Brown called for any addenda to the agenda and there were none.

CONSENT AGENDA

Items: A. & B. Approval of the Bills, Payroll, & Minutes

Councilwoman Jones made a motion to approve the bills, payroll and minutes of the April 13th, 2021 regular council meeting. Councilwoman Faux seconded and the motion carried.

ORDINANCES – RESOLUTIONS

Items: A. Resolution 21-105 – Bond Refinancing

Councilwoman Jones made a motion to table resolution 21-105 until the May 25th, 2021 regular council meeting. Councilwoman Faux seconded and the roll call was as follows:

Ayes: Councilman Heward, Councilwoman Faux, Councilwoman Jones

Nays: None

Councilman Swensen was absent and not voting. The motion carried.

Items: B. Resolution 21-106 – The Naming of Freedom Hall

RESOLUTION 21-106

A RESOLUTION FOR THE CITY OF RUPERT, IDAHO, OFFICIALLY NAMING THE RUPERT SHOOTING COMPLEX TRAINING FACILITY BUILDING.

City Attorney, Lance Stevenson, read Resolution 21-106 aloud in full.

Councilman Heward made a motion to adopt Resolution 21-106. Councilwoman Faux seconded and the roll call was as follows:

Ayes: Councilman Heward, Councilwoman Faux, Councilwoman Jones

Nays: None

Councilman Swensen was absent and not voting. The motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS

Item: A. Discussion & Possible Approval of the Minidoka Irrigation District Discharge Agreement

Stevenson reported that the City had not yet received any revisions or response from Minidoka Irrigation District.

Councilman Heward made a motion to table Discussion & Possible Approval of the Minidoka Irrigation District Discharge Agreement until the May 25th, 2021 regular council meeting. Councilwoman Jones seconded and the roll call was as follows:

Ayes: Councilman Heward, Councilwoman Faux, Councilwoman Jones

Nays: None

Councilman Swensen was absent and not voting. The motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS

Item: A. Discussion & Possible Action Regarding the Minidoka County Prosecutorial Contract

Stevenson presented the contract that was submitted for approval by Minidoka County. The City was under contract with the County for prosecutorial services and there hadn't been an increase to the contracted amount in several years. Stevenson highlighted some of the stats of what his office had handled for the City in the past.

Councilwoman Jones made a motion to approve the Minidoka County Prosecutorial Contract as presented. Councilman Heward seconded and the roll call was as follows:

Ayes: Councilman Heward, Councilwoman Faux, Councilwoman Jones

Nays: None

Councilman Swensen was absent and not voting. The motion carried.

With no further business before the Mayor and Council, Mayor Brown adjourned the meeting at 7:27 PM.