

WALLA WALLA CITY COUNCIL
Retreat Minutes
January 20, 2018

1. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Clark called the meeting to order at 8:30 a.m. in the Fulton Community Room, 54 E. Moore Street, Walla Walla.

Present: Councilmembers Yazmin Bahena, Riley Clubb, Jerry Cummins, Myron Huie, Steve Moss, Tom Scribner, and Mayor Barbara Clark.

Absent: None

City staff in attendance: City Manager Nabel Shawa, City Attorney Tim Donaldson, Fire Chief Bob Yancey, and City Clerk Kammy Hill.

2. AGENDA

A. Self-introductions and background information.

B. High level overview of the City organization including: structure, finances, and good governance.

The meeting was recessed for a break at 10:00 a.m. and reconvened at 10:10 a.m.

C. Current Issues

City Manager Shawa and Fire Chief Yancey reviewed and there was discussion on the ambulance cost of service financial report and funding costs of ambulance services provided outside of the City limits. After discussion, it was the consensus of a majority of Councilmembers to ask surrounding jurisdictions to enter into contracts by February 1, 2019 with the City for ambulance services to cover the actual demand costs for providing those services; and to communicate the City's willingness to consider regionalization of fire and ambulance services.

The meeting was recessed for a break at 12:12 p.m. and reconvened at 12:17 p.m.

D. Council meeting protocols and committee appointments.

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There was discussion on the Council appointments; and protocol for public speakers at Council meetings and Work Sessions.

4. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 1:03 p.m.