

WALLA WALLA CITY COUNCIL
Work Session Minutes
September 7, 2021

1. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Scribner called the meeting to order at 4:00 p.m.

Present: Councilmembers Yazmin Bahena, Riley Clubb, Ted Koehler, Steve Moss, Susan Nakonieczny, and Mayor Tom Scribner.

Absent: Councilmember Myron Huie.

City staff in attendance: Deputy City Manager Elizabeth Chamberlain, Public Works Director Ki Bealey, and City Clerk Kammy Hill.

Also present: Salary Commissioners Rogers Miles, Sherrie Kamara, Beth Kreger, Dick Swenson, and Lynn Knapp.

2. ACTIVE AGENDA

A. Joint meeting with Salary Commission.

The Salary Commissioners were thanked for agreeing to serve and determine the amount of compensation to be paid to members of the City Council and Mayor.

There was discussion on the number of hours per week spent on council-related duties and meetings and measures for determining the appropriate level of compensation.

B. 2021 Street Survey Results.

William SaintAmour, Cobalt Community Research, reviewed the results of the special street survey regarding funding sources for streets and prioritizing City streets needing repaired.

C. Update to City of Walla Walla's Mission, Vision, and Values.

Staff reviewed the importance of having a mission, vision, and values statement in the strategic planning process; and outlined efforts to update the current Mission statement and core values. A resolution will be brought before the City Council on September 22 to change the Mission Statement to "Dedicated to enhancing the quality of life in Walla

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Walla"; and changing the core Values to: Integrity, Service, Collaboration, Equity, Leadership, and Community. The Vision Statement will remain "Walla Walla, best of the best of the Northwest."

3. OTHER BUSINESS

No other business was discussed.

4. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 5:58 p.m.