

Corey Middleton, Mayor
Paul McCoy, Mayor Pro tempore
Colleen Baker, Councilmember
Drake Davis, Councilmember
Duane Kegg, Councilmember



Jason Ledbetter, City Manager
Rhetta Hogan, Asst. City Manager and Clerk
Emily Aldrich, Finance Director
Matthew Bray, Public Works Director
John Elsnab, Human Resources Director
Mark Gilman, Police Chief
Andrew Jared, City Attorney
Jerry Lemos, Fire Chief
Juliana Lucchesi, Community Dev. Director

YREKA CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES
Wednesday, July 12, 2023
Closed Session 5:30PM
Open Meeting – Special Presentation 7:30PM
Yreka City Council Chamber, 701 Fourth Street, Yreka, CA 96097
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1. 5:30PM CALL TO ORDER CLOSED SESSION:

The June 14, 2023, City Council Meeting was called to order by Mayor Middleton at 5:30PM. Councilmembers Baker, Davis, Kegg, McCoy and Middleton were present for roll call.

2. PUBLIC COMMENT ON CLOSED SESSION:

There was none.

3. CLOSED SESSION:

The City Council will recess to Closed Session to discuss the following item(s). At the conclusion of the Closed Session, Open Session will reconvene and reportable action, if any, will be announced:

a. **Conference with real property negotiator (Govt C §54956.8)**

<i>Property:</i>	19817 Iron Gate Lake Road, Hornbook, CA (APN 004-370-030-000)
<i>City Negotiator:</i>	City Manager, Jason Ledbetter
<i>Negotiating Parties:</i>	PacifiCorp
<i>Under Negotiation:</i>	Possible purchase including price.

4. RECESS:

5. RETURN TO OPEN SESSION AT 7:30 PM:

Announcement of any action taken by the City Council in Closed Session required by the Ralph M. Brown Act. (Government Code § 54950 et. seq.)

There was no reportable action from closed session.

6. CALL TO ORDER AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

Mayor Middleton modified the agenda order where Item 8, Special Presentation will occur before Item 7. Public Comment to allow for public comment after the Special Presentation.

7. PUBLIC COMMENT:

Public participation is limited to those items listed on the agenda.

If your comments do not concern an item listed on this Agenda, please address the City Council at the next regular meeting.

The City requests that persons addressing the City Council refrain from making personal, slanderous, profane, or disruptive remarks.

Councilmembers, when recognized by the Mayor, may ask questions of presenter but no action may be taken by the City Council during the public comment section of the meeting. Under the Brown Act, the City Council is prohibited from discussing or taking action on any item not listed on the posted agenda.

- Please speak into the microphone from the podium. The podium electronically adjusts up and down to accommodate speaker.
- Please state your name for the record prior to providing your comments.
- Please address the Council as a whole.
- If you have documents to present, please provide a minimum of seven (7) copies. These become a public record.
- Please limit your remarks to five (5) minutes.
- Since Council is unable to take action on issues not on the agenda, your matter may be referred to staff for follow up or be placed on a future agenda.

Public comment period is **not** intended to be a "Question and Answer" period or conversations with the Council or City staff.

Public comment was heard after the special presentation from Ms. Zenido - Big Springs, Louise Gliatto - Yreka, Steve Radford - Yreka, Jack Phillips - Mt. Shasta (handouts), Erin Ryan, District Representative of Doug LaMalfa - Palo Cedro/Redding, Diane Collier - Yreka, Debbie Bacigalupe - Siskiyou County, David - Mt. Shasta, Dawnmarie Autrey - Yreka, and Chuck - Big Springs.

8. SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS AND/OR ANNOUNCEMENTS:

This time slot is for informational presentations, appointments, or awards to be presented by the City Council or to the City Council.

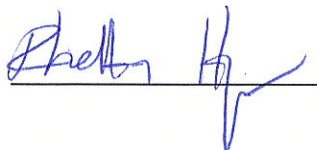
Special Presentation on Cannabis Cultivation and Use by Cameron Mooney - (30 minutes)

9. ADJOURNMENT:

The meeting was adjourned at 9:01 PM.



Corey Middleton, Mayor
Minutes approved by City Council,
Motion on July 18, 2023



Rhetta Hogan, City Clerk