

CITY COUNCIL WORK SESSION WITH SEARCH COMMITTEE
CITY HALL CONFERENCE ROOM
NOVEMBER 27, 2017
6:00 P.M.

Mayor Sargent presided over the meeting and called it to order at 6:00P.M.with the following Council members present: Struble, Thompson, Johnson and Gunderson. Council Member Tiffey was absent. Also present were: Brad Swenson, Vonda Ford, Patty Stueve, Anita Salter, Terry Hinkel, Robert Millin, Rachelle Pfouts, Pat Skelton, Georgia Johnson, Patty Long, Brent Hansen, Jay Smith.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Mayor Sargent asked Council for any comments/additions – there were none.

Moved by Council member Johnson to approve the amended agenda for November 27, 2017, seconded by Council member Struble. Motion carried on a 4-0 vote.

Mayor Sargent turned meeting over to Council. Council member Struble and Thompson addressed search committee. Suggestion was made to select a chairman for committee. Jay Smith will serve as that chairman. Applications will be turned over to committee and they will bring 3-5 applicants to the Council after deadline and interviewing has taken place. Search committee will conduct interviews.

Committee member asked if advertising being published again. Mayor Sargent answered the question. Committee member asked if applicants knew there was a change in direction with position. Also, how far down process will Committee go. Council discussed a review of applications, interviewing and 3-5 finalist then go to Council.

Committee member asked what kind of advertising will be done. Council member Thompson advised job posting would be done on such sights as Indeed and other low to no cost sights.

Committee member asked about start date. Consensus was soon as possible but to give candidate proper time for notices to current job.

Committee member asked about Iowa Open Meetings Law. A check will be done on this and reported back.

Mayor Sargent and Council thanked the search committee members for volunteering for this process.

Moved by Council member Struble to adjourn, seconded by Council member Johnson. Motion carried on a 4-0 vote. Meeting adjourned at 6:20PM.