

MINUTES

Eugene City Council
Harris Hall, 125 East 8th Avenue
Eugene, Oregon 97401

February 22, 2017
12:00 p.m.

Councilors Present: Emily Semple, Betty Taylor, Alan Zelenka, George Poling, Mike Clark, Greg Evans, Claire Syrett, Chris Pryor

Mayor Vinis opened the February 22, 2017, meeting of the Eugene City Council.

1. ACTION: Resolution Supporting Allocation of Lottery Backed Bond Funds to the Eugene Civic Alliance

Motion on the table from February 21, 2017: **MOTION:** Councilor Zelenka, seconded by Councilor Syrett, moved to adopt Resolution 5184 supporting allocation of \$6,000,000 in lottery backed bond funds to the Eugene Civic Alliance for development of a community sports and recreation facility on the former Civic Stadium property.

MOTION TO AMEND AND VOTE: Councilor Poling, seconded by Councilor Pryor, moved to (a) amend the title of the Resolution so that it reads as follows: A resolution supporting Eugene Civic Alliance's proposal and efforts to seek State funding and private funding to support revitalization of the former Civic Stadium site and (b) amend Section 1 of the Resolution, add Sections 2 and 3, and renumber Section 2 to Section 4, so that those sections read as presented. **FAILED 3:4**, Councilors Poling, Clark, and Pryor voted in support. (Councilor Evans was absent for the vote.)

Council discussion:

- Outstanding proposal, but concerned about using lottery-backed funds.
- Amount requested is unprecedented; potential unknown conflicts may arise.
- Proposal is in line with support from Board of Commissioners and Mayor Lundberg.
- Support proposal of it has no impacts on to local efforts for funding.
- Proposal may have a significant economic development benefit.
- City Manager and IGR Committee will have direct contact with lobbyist to help and track.
- Not concerned about competing with other local economic development dollars.

MOTION TO AMEND AND VOTE *with friendly*: Councilor Semple, seconded by Councilor Zelenka, moved that at the end of Section 1 before the period after the word resolution, the following words are added: provided that the current video lottery proceeds for local economic development are maintained. Add a new Section 2, which would read, the City Council directs the City Manager to send a copy of this Resolution to Governor Kate Brown and the local State legislative delegation, and what had been Section 2 is renumbered to Section 3. **PASSED 6:1**, Councilor Taylor opposed. (Councilor Evans was absent for the vote.)

VOTE ON MAIN MOTION AS AMENDED: PASSED 6:1, Councilor Poling opposed.
(Councilor Evans was absent for the vote.)

2. WORK SESSION: Report from Ad Hoc Committee Outcomes

City Manager's Office Division Manager Mia Cariaga, Policy Systems Analyst Jason Dedrick, and City Attorney Glenn Klein, gave an overview of the Ad Hoc Committee work, primary outcomes that could be accomplished by an ordinance, and an overview of the legal framework.

Council discussion:

- In favor of a robust justice system, but want to protect non-criminal immigrants.
- Government should concern itself with actions not beliefs; collection of data on beliefs is wrong.
- Current immigration system is biased and myths about immigrants are false.
- Immigrants deserve to be treated with respect; movement against immigrants based in racism.
- An ordinance would still remain in place if the state law was repealed.
- Appreciate the committee and the hard work done to craft language for an ordinance.
- Ordinance is a due process that provides protections and defends all people.
- More information on unintended outcomes would be helpful.
- Proposal reaffirms our long standing local and state laws and codifies it to protect people.
- Support strategy to not reference "Sanctuary City" in the ordinance.
- Concerns about operational aspects of providing additional protections are relevant.
- Cities should not do the job of the federal government.
- Focus on what the legislation does, not what it is called; provide protections effectively.
- Information on which of the direct program funds are mandated requested.

MOTION AND VOTE: Councilor Zelenka, seconded by Councilor Clark, moved to direct the city manager to bring back to Council a proposed ordinance that (a) adopts the provisions of ORS 181A.820 and 181A.250 related to law enforcement personnel, (b) expands the applicability of ORS 181A.820 to cover all other city employees, and (c) prohibits all other city employees from collecting or maintaining information about the political, religious or social views of individuals. **PASSED 8:0**

The meeting adjourned at 1:17 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Chuck Crockett
Deputy City Recorder