

SWEET HOME CITY COUNCIL  
SPECIAL MEETING WORK SESSION MINUTES

July 16, 2019

The City Council Work Session was opened at 5:30 p.m. in the Sweet Home Police Department.

Roll Call:	Councilor Coleman	P	Mayor Mahler	P
	Councilor Gerson	P	Councilor Nash	P
	Councilor Goble	P	Councilor Trask	P
	Councilor Gourley	P (5:45pm)		


Staff: City Manager Ray Towry, Public Works Director Greg Springman, Finance Director Brandon Neish, Community and Economic Development Director Blair Larsen and Recording Secretary Julie Fisher.

Media: Sean Morgan, The New Era.

The purpose of the meeting was to review Utility Rates. Staff presented a power point with water rate comparison to like communities. The rate comparison included base rate and commodity rate as well as the average cost per 600-cubic feet. The aging infrastructure was addressed. A quick history of leak repair was presented. The Capitol Improvement Plan was discussed. Council conversation included impacts to residential, bulk water and commercial accounts. Consensus of the Council was to move forward with the increase.

The meeting adjourned at 6:43 p.m.

The foregoing is a true copy of the proceedings of the City Council at the July 16, 2019 City Council Work Session Meeting.

  
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Mayor

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City Manager – Ex Officio City Recorder