
CITY OF SEDRO-WOOLLEY

Special Meeting of the City Council
December 20, 2017– 4:00 P.M. – City Hall Lobby

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Keith Wagoner at 4:00 P.M.

Pledge of Allegiance

ROLL CALL: Present: Mayor Keith Wagoner; Councilmembers: Judith Dunn Lee, Germaine Kornegay Brenda Kinzer, Julia Johnson, Chuck Owen, Rick Lemley and Brett Sandström (Late). Staff: Recorder Brue, Finance Director Nelson, City Supervisor/Attorney Berg Public Works Director Freiberger, Planning Director Coleman, Fire Chief Klinger and Police Chief Tucker. Additional staff was also present in the audience.

Councilmember Johnson moved to excuse the absence of Councilmember Sandström. Seconded by Councilmember Kinzer. Motion carried (6-0).

Approval of Agenda

Consent Calendar

Introduction of Special Guests and Presentations

Mayor Wagoner called on Councilmember Rick Lemley and presented him with a plaque for his 18 years of service as a Councilmember. Wagoner noted Lemley's exemplary service to the city as well as having been a mentor and advisor to others.

Councilmember Sandström arrived at 4:03 P.M.

Councilmember Lemley gave some parting words and noted it has been his pleasure to serve the community and was honored to have great people to work with. He spoke of the great Council and believes they will continue with great tradition and honor to serve the citizens of Sedro-Woolley. A round of applause was given for outgoing Councilmember Lemley.

Mayor Wagoner presented a plaque to outgoing Councilmember Sandström and noted that he was one of the first people he met when he came to town. He spoke of his 10 ½ years on the Planning Commission and his work for the permanent closure of the gate at Central School,

Councilmember Sandström thanked the city, Mayor and staff and stated it has been a wonderful experience. He also received a round of applause.

Director of Public Works Freiburger expressed his appreciation for Councilmember Lemley; s constant words of appreciation and encouragement noting that it has meant a lot to the men and women in public works. He commented he will be greatly missed on the Council.

Mayor Wagoner introduced Superior Court Judge Laura Riquelme for the administration of the Oath of Offices. He thanked incoming Councilmember de Jong for setting it up.

Judge Riquelme administered the Oath of Office to Jared Couch (Councilmember At Large), Karl de Jong (Ward 6), Brenda Kinzer (Ward 3) and Germaine Kornegay (Ward 2).

There were opportunities for photographs and Councilmember Lemley formally turned over his laptop to Councilmember Karl de Jong.

Staff Reports

Councilmember and Mayor's Reports

Proclamations

Public Comments

Public Hearings

Unfinished Business

New Business

Information Only Item

Good of the Order

Councilmember Lemley wished a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to all.

Executive Session

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 4:13 P.M.