



City of

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**Gold Hill City Council Meeting
Council Meeting Minutes**

April 22, 2019

Mayor Newport led the call to order/pledge of Allegiance at 6:03 P.M.

CM Lowe took roll:

Councilor West was absent at the time of roll call.

There were no agenda adjustments.

Public input: There was no public input.

1. Appearance:

1.1 There were no scheduled appearances.

2. Consent Agenda:

2.1: Approve Council Minutes, April 15, 2019: Motioned by Councilor Dell to approve Minutes and second by Councilor Hinkley, yes votes as follows by Councilor Wilson, Councilor Palmer, and Councilor Studebaker with changes.

3. Old Business:

3.1: Council Attendance: GH Charter section 32:

The council motioned to rescind the prior motion to remove Councilor Dell from his seat. Motioned by Councilor Wilson, second by Councilor Studebaker, yes votes as follows by Councilor Hinkley, Councilor Palmer. Abstained by Councilor Dell.

3.2

Review of Council Rules and Organization chart: A discussion about our security system needing updated, possibly a security Guard. Be pro-active!

Greg

There are 7 candidates for a potential future CM. A discussion by Mayor Newport about chain of command, to explain the employee's roles at City Hall. A recommendation by Mayor Newport to change the rooms around to better accommodate the city manager so focus is being put where it's needed. CM Rob Lowe mentioned the city recorder turned in 2 week's notice. Mayor Newport explains we have gone through 4-5 recorder's in the last 2 years and we need change in the building structure itself and where offices are located within the building.

4. New Business:

4.1 Resolution 19-R-03: A resolution authorizing the Mayor to sign a public statement declaring the City of Gold Hill to be a safe and welcoming community. The Council reviewed the resolution and elected instead to create a committee, to create a resolution unique to Gold Hill.

4.2 proposal to limit parking on Gustaf ST. : CM Rob Lowe proposes to post *no parking* signs on the extreme north end of Gustaf. The residents and city staff have come to CM Rob Lowe with these issues. A number of people have pulled up and parked, leaving the vehicle there, blocking residents drive ways. Also keeping City staff from getting to the reservoir. A dead end sign is the only thing posted, a no parking sign would be more efficient, and vehicles can be ticketed and put through City ordinance. The Council agreed with CM Rob Lowe.

5. City Manager's Report:

5.1 Water plant status & needs: CM Rob Lowe would like to keep the City informed. Rob proposes an expenditure of \$ 2,000-\$ 3,000 to replace all of the filters, otherwise we can't backwash, so it's necessary. The filter is 90% plugged.

5.2 City wide cleanup day May 4th: Councilor Studebaker is rounding up people to help volunteer. Everything is ready to go. Councilor Hinkley asked for flyers to post on website.

Mayor Newport adjourned the meeting at 7:18 p.m.

Minutes Approved by: 
Pete Newport, Mayor of Gold Hill

Minutes Submitted by: 
Cary Randall, office administrative clerk