

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ST. JOSEPH, MISSOURI

March 8, 2010 - 5:00 p.m.  
Office of the City Clerk

CALL TO ORDER:

The Council of the City of St. Joseph, Missouri, met in a called special meeting in the 4th Floor Conference Room at City Hall, on Monday, March 8, 2010, at 5:00 p.m. The meeting was called to order at 5:00 p.m. by Mayor Shearin. Notice of said meeting (together with an agenda) was posted at least 24 hours in advance of the meeting in the City Clerk's office.

ROLL CALL:

Present were Councilmembers Boyer, Bozarth, Falkner, LaBass, Penland, Roach, Shearin, Starr--8. Absent, Baker--1. Total membership--9. Five members constitute a quorum.

Also present were City Manager Vincent J. Capell, City Attorney Lisa M. Robertson, Asst. City Attorney Ted Elo, Public Works & Transportation Director J. Bruce Woody, Financial Services Director Carolyn Harrison, Police Chief Chris Connally, Fire Chief Michael Dalsing, Human Resources Director Diana Slater, Outside Legal Counsel Ivan Schraeder and Deputy City Clerk Rita Domini.

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CALL FOR SPECIAL MEETING:

36432 Filed 2/23/10 - A written request has been received from nine members of the Council this date requesting a special meeting of the Council to be held in the 4th Floor Conference Room at City Hall, on Monday, March 8, 2010, at 5:00 p.m., to discuss matters pertaining to preparation, including any discussions or work product, on behalf of a public governmental body or its representatives for negotiations with employee groups; matters pertaining to legal actions, causes of action or litigation involving a public governmental body and any confidential or privileged communications between a public governmental body or its representatives and its attorneys, including attorney work product; and matters pertaining to sealed bids and related documents and sealed proposals and related documents or any documents related to a negotiated contract.

Discussions shall be limited solely to the matters stated above.

BEFORE ENTERING INTO SUCH DISCUSSIONS, THE COUNCIL SHALL VOTE ON THE QUESTION OF MAKING THE MEETING CLOSED.

If such question receives an affirmative vote of the majority of the quorum of the Councilmembers, the meeting thereafter shall be closed.

Authority for closing the meeting is authorized by Section 610.021(1), (9) and (12) RSMo., as amended, which authorizes a closed meeting.

NOW, THEREFORE, as City Clerk of the City of St. Joseph, under the provisions of Section 3.9(a) of the Charter of the City of St. Joseph, I hereby issue a call for a special meeting of the Council for the time and place and for the purpose as set forth above in accordance with the written request of the Council.

(SEAL)

/s/ Paula Heyde  
Paula Heyde, City Clerk

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Number     MOTION TO GO INTO EXECUTIVE (CLOSED) SESSION:

36433     It was moved by Councilmember Falkner and seconded by Councilmember LaBass that the Council adjourn into executive (closed) session with a closed meeting, vote and record in order to discuss matters pertaining to preparation, including any discussions or work product, on behalf of a public governmental body or its representatives for negotiations with employee groups; matters pertaining to legal actions, causes of action or litigation involving a public governmental body and any confidential or privileged communications between a public governmental body or its representatives and its attorneys, including attorney work product; and matters pertaining to sealed bids and related documents and sealed proposals and related documents or any documents related to a negotiated contract. Motion carried. Ayes, Boyer, Falkner, LaBass, Shearin, Starr--5. Absent, Baker, Bozarth, Penland, Roach--4.

The Council adjourned into executive (closed) session.

The Council adjourned the closed portion of the special meeting and reconvened in open session.

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Number     ADJOURNMENT:

36434     By general consent, the Council adjourned.

The meeting adjourned at 6:48 p.m.

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Paula Heyde, CMC, City Clerk