

**CARLIN CITY COUNCIL
CITY OF CARLIN, STATE OF NEVADA
REGULAR MEETING
CARLIN MUNICIPAL COURT ROOM
101 SOUTH EIGHTH STREET
CARLIN, NEVADA**

**October 24, 2018
7:00 P.M.**

Call to Order and Roll Call

Mayor Dana Holbrook called the meeting of the Carlin City Council to order at 7:00 p.m.

Council Members Present:

Mayor Dana Holbrook
Vice Mayor Lincoln Litchfield
Councilperson Pam Griswold
Councilperson Margaret Johnston
Councilperson Cameron Kinney

Council Members Absent:

None

Staff:

LaDawn Lawson, City Clerk
Linda Frye, City Manager

Public:

Cliff Eklund
Gayle Zomar
Michael Klotzsche
Annette Kerr
Jared R. Martin
Christopher L. Brown
David Stevens
Pam Stevens
Denise Taylor
Tabitha Rowe
Michael Eklund

Pledge of Allegiance

1. **Comment by the General Public: Pursuant to NRS 241.020(2)(D)(3)(I & II) this time is devoted to comments by the general public and possible discussion of those comments. No action may be taken upon a matter raised under this item**

until the matter has been included on a successive agenda pursuant to the required procedures at the discretion of the City in accordance with applicable law and identified as an action item. (Non - Action Item).

- a. County Commissioner Cliff Eklund stated he wanted to remind the Council of the meeting at 9:00 on October 29th in the Commissioner room with the cancer services out of Salt Lake City and their new cancer center. Commissioner Eklund stated they are looking for input from the local communities about their needs.
- b. Annette Kerr stated she is the County Emergency Manager and they are going to be having a free flu vaccine on November 10th at the Convention Center from 10 to 2.
- c. Denise Taylor asked for an update about an infrastructure grant that was being written.
- d. Dana Holbrook stated that they are looking at working on the water lines so they can decide what to start on next.
- e. Denise Taylor stated there was a lot of stuff going on Facebook and she told them that they are waiting for the PER so they can do it. Denise Taylor asked if they could somehow get that information out there.
- f. Police Chief Dennis Fobes introduced his newest police officer Michael Klotzsche.

2. City Council Members Reports: (Non-Action Item).

- a. Mayor Dana Holbrook stated the opening of the new store was very nice and he has seen a lot of happy people in there. Mayor Holbrook stated it is like a social gathering place now. Mayor Holbrook stated they are changing their hours to opening at 7 on Sunday.
- b. Vice Mayor Litchfield complimented Dana Holbrook on his grand opening speech.

3. Public Comment may be taken prior to any Action Being Taken by the Council: Review, discussion, and possible approval to renew the Elko Sanitation Contract for five (5) years (11-1-2018 to 11-1-2023) with a 3% price increase to provide commercial, residential and roll-off waste removal services for the City of Carlin and all related matters. (For Possible Action).

- a. Jared Martin of Elko Sanitation stated they have been working on it for quite some time and with David leaving it caused some problems and it expires on the 1st of November. Jared Martin stated there are some pricing sheets in the packet and it gives the breakdown of the cost increase of 30 cents a month for a private cart. Jared Martin stated they are not increasing their rates as much as other communities. Jared Martin stated they are trying to stay competitive and keep their employees from going to the mines. Jared Martin stated they have really increased the time they give to the City Clean-up and that is all free.
- b. Vice Mayor Lincoln Litchfield asked if the next price increase will be in two years.
- c. Jared Martin stated yes it will.
- d. Gayle Zomar asked about a discount for seniors.

- e. Jared Martin stated there is a discount but he wasn't sure of the details. Jared Martin further stated that they will go to the door to pick up trash for people who cannot take it to a cart outside.
- f. Tabitha Rowe stated she thinks it costs a lot especially because they would not pick up her second can for a long time so she had to pay for another tipper.
- g. Councilperson Pam Griswold asked if they can send information about the senior discount so she can provide it to the senior center.
- h. LaDawn Lawson stated just for clarification the City of Elko charges the City of Carlin for a landfill fee so it is completely separate from the garbage retrieval.
- i. Mayor Dana Holbrook stated due to various issues he was not able to review the contract and he would like to have it tabled until the next meeting so they can go over it again. Mayor Holbrook stated that they could make it retroactive to the 1st.
- j. Jared Martin stated he would not be able to make the next meeting but he would send someone else.

Councilperson Margaret Johnston made a motion to table the review, discussion, and possible approval to renew the Elko Sanitation Contract for five (5) years (11-1-2018 to 11-1-2023) with a 3% price increase to provide commercial, residential and roll-off waste removal services for the City of Carlin and all related matters, to the next meeting on November 14th. Vice Mayor Lincoln Litchfield seconded the motion. The motion passed.

4. Public Comment may be taken prior to any Action Being Taken by the Council: Review, discussion, and possible approval to create a Dog Park within the City limit of the City of Carlin and all related matters. (For Possible Action).

- a. Vice Mayor Lincoln Litchfield stated he had quite a few people to bring this back up. Vice Mayor Litchfield stated the closest dog park burned in Lamoille and after talking to Carlos the work to be done would be minimal. Vice Mayor Litchfield stated he has looked at such areas as the old Barrick Parking Lot and the area near the Chinese Gardens. Vice Mayor Litchfield stated it gives owners a chance to let their dogs run in a controlled environment. Vice Mayor Litchfield stated the dog park would be maintained by the people who use it. Vice Mayor Litchfield stated he plans his vacations around where the next dog park is. Vice Mayor Litchfield stated he thinks it would be beneficial for Carlin and a great addition.
- b. Mayor Dana Holbrook stated he would like to consider a different location and he is in favor of the dog park. Mayor Holbrook stated he has seen a dog park in Goldfield that is just gravel.
- c. Pam Stevens stated having it by the Chinese Gardens would disturb the local wildlife.
- d. Gayle Zomar he has been to a lot of dog parks and dogs do have to be

- under the control of their owners and the location of the dog park is very important.
- e. Denise Taylor stated she is concerned they have a hard time to handling the animal issues they have and she feels it would put a lot of strain on the animal control officer.
 - f. Councilperson Pam Griswold stated it will be a problem to enforce the rules.
 - g. Vice Mayor Litchfield stated if you ever have been to a dog park the owners are not that way. Vice Mayor Litchfield stated the owners police their dogs.
 - h. Tabitha Rowe stated you might have that one person who is a conflict then they will generally be pushed away by the others.
 - i. Further discussion was held about various design options of a potential dog park and potential locations.
 - j. Vice Mayor Litchfield stated that if they give him some suggestions about possible locations then he can draw up some designs.
 - k. Mayor Holbrook stated they could approve the park but discuss the location later.
 - l. Councilperson Pam Griswold stated she would like to see more plans in place before they approve the creation of the park.

Councilperson Pam Griswold made a motion to table the discussion and possible approval to create a Dog Park within the City limit of the City of Carlin and all related matters. Councilperson Cameron Kinney seconded the motion. The motion passed.

5. **Public Comment will be taken prior to any Action Being Taken by the Council: Review, discussion, and possible approval to cancel the Regular City Council Meetings on November 28, 2018, and December 26, 2018, and all related matters. (For Possible Action).**
 - a. Mayor Dana Holbrook stated that the first meeting in November is going to be rather full.
 - b. Councilperson Griswold stated she does not feel like there is any reason to cancel the November 28th meeting.

Councilperson Pam Griswold made a motion to keep the regularly scheduled City Council meeting on November 28, 2018 and cancel the meeting scheduled for December 26, 2018. Councilperson Margaret Johnston seconded the motion. The motion passed.

6. **Public Comment may be taken prior to any Action Being Taken by the Council: Review, discussion, and possible approval of City expenditures for the period 10/05/2018 to 10/19/2018, and all related matters. (For Possible Action).**

Vice Mayor Lincoln Litchfield made a motion to approve the City

expenditures for the period of 10/05/2018 to 10/19/2018, and all related matters. Councilperson Cameron Kinney seconded the motion. The motion passed.

7. **Public Comment maybe taken prior to any Discussion Being Taken by the Council: Comment by the General Public: Pursuant to NRS 241.020(2)(D)(3)(I & II) this time is devoted to comments by the general public and possible discussion of those comments. No action may be taken upon a matter raised under this item until the matter has been included on a successive agenda pursuant to the required procedures at the discretion of the City in accordance with applicable law and identified as an action item. (Non - Action Item).**

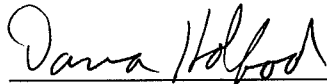
There were no comments by the general public.

8. **Adjournment.
(Possible Action Item)**


Vice Mayor Lincoln Litchfield made a motion to adjourn. Councilperson Cameron Kinney seconded the motion. Mayor Dana Holbrook adjourned the meeting at 7:43 p.m.

Approved:

Attest:



Mayor Dana Holbrook



City Clerk LaDawn Lawson