

Kearney, Nebraska
February 16, 2022
9:06 a.m.

A special meeting of the City Council of Kearney, Nebraska, was convened in open and public session at 9:06 a.m. on February 16, 2022 in the Conference Room at Tye & Rowling, P.C., L.L.O. located at 1419 Central Avenue. Present were: Stanley A. Clouse, President of the Council; Lauren Brandt, City Clerk; Council Members Randy Buschkoetter, Bruce Lear, Tami James Moore and Jonathan Nikkila. Absent: None. Shawna Erbsen, Administrative Services Director was also present.

Notice of the meeting was given in advance thereof by publication in the Kearney Hub, the designated method for giving notice, a copy of the proof of publication being attached to these minutes. Advance notice of the meeting was also given to the City Council and a copy of their acknowledgment or receipt of such notice is attached to these minutes. Availability of the Agenda was communicated in the advance notice and in the notice to the Mayor and City Council. All proceedings hereafter shown were taken while the meeting was open to the attendance of the public.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Mayor Clouse announced that in accordance with Section 84-1412 of the Nebraska Revised Statutes, a current copy of the Open Meetings Act is available for review and is posted on the wall of the Council Chambers.

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Moved by Nikkila seconded by Lear that Council adjourn into closed session at 9:07 a.m. for the protection of the public interest and specifically to conduct the City Manager interviews: Aye: Clouse, Lear, Nikkila, Moore, Buschkoetter. Nay: None. Motion carried.

Mayor Clouse restated the purpose for the closed session is for the protection of the public interest and specifically to conduct the City Manager interviews. According to law, the Council has the option to reconvene back into open session and may take any formal action it deems appropriate.

Moved by Lear seconded by Nikkila that Council reconvene in regular session at 12:06 p.m. Roll call resulted as follows: Aye: Clouse, Nikkila, Moore, Buschkoetter, Lear. Nay: None. Motion carried.

VIII. ADJOURN

Moved by Buschkoetter seconded by Lear that Council adjourn at 12:06 p.m. Roll call resulted as follows: Aye: Clouse, Lear, Moore, Buschkoetter, Nikkila. Nay: None. Motion carried.

ATTEST:

**STANLEY A. CLOUSE
PRESIDENT OF THE COUNCIL
AND EX-OFFICIO MAYOR**

**LAUREN BRANDT
CITY CLERK**