

JOHNSTON CITY COUNCIL

Worksession No. 10-10

Johnston City Hall, 6221 Merle Hay Road, Johnston, Iowa 50131

June 7, 2010

6:00 p.m.

1. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Dierenfeld called the meeting to order at 6:07 p.m.

2. ROLL CALL

PRESENT: Clabaugh, Hibbs, Lindeman, Kallen

ABSENT: Culbert

Kallen arrived at 6:49 p.m.

3. PUBLIC SAFETY FACILITY DISCUSSION (TOUR OF POLICE DEPARTMENT)

Chief of Police Bill Vaughn led the Mayor, Council Members and other interested parties on a tour of the current police facility. During the tour Chief Vaughn pointed out health and safety concerns with the facility.

4. ONLINE BILL PAYING DISCUSSION

Finance Director Teresa Rotschafer reviewed the options available through Tyler Technologies utilizing the existing Incode software. Council members indicated their willingness to proceed with a Tyler Technologies solution. Rotschafer noted she would bring an item back for action at a future meeting.

5. DISCUSS LIGHTING ON NW 86<sup>TH</sup> STREET

Public Works Director Dave Cubit reviewed the proposed lighting solution along NW 86<sup>th</sup> Street and Crescent Chase, noting that the lights along Crescent Chase appeared to be owned by the apartment complex, but the lights were not being maintained. The proposed solution would give control of the Crescent Chase lights to Mid-American Energy, with the city paying for the operation of the lights. The lights along NW 86<sup>th</sup> Street would be steel poles on the east side and fixtures attached to wood poles along the west side. This is consistent with the remainder of NW 86<sup>th</sup> Street.

Council Members instructed staff to discuss the financial impact of the Crescent Chase light issue with the apartment complex property owner, but to move forward with the proposal for the NW 86<sup>th</sup> Street lighting project.

6. RECOGNITION POLICY REVIEW AND DISCUSSION

Sanders noted that this item was merely providing definitive guidelines on the recognition process and that no council action was needed.

The meeting adjourned at 7:06 p.m.

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Paula S. Dierenfeld, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Cyndee D. Rhames, City Clerk