

City of Auburn
City Council Regular Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, January 21, 2025

City Attorney Todd Luckman

None.

Superintendent Clinkenbeard

None.

Executive Session

Council Member Bryan motioned to go into executive session, from 7:45 pm to 8:00 pm, to include the Mayor and City Council. Council Member Randles seconded the motion. Motion approved Unanimous.

Council Member Randles motioned to go back into executive session, from 8:00 pm to 8:15 pm. Council Member Harper seconded the motion. Motion approved Unanimous.

Council Member Bryan motion to go back into executive session, from 8:15 pm to 8:30 pm. Council Member Beneka seconded the motion. Motion approved Unanimous.

City Clerk

None.

New Business

Council Member Benaka motioned to propose a 4% raise except for City Clerk because of the wage proposed when hired. Council Member Trower seconded the motion. Motion approved Unanimous.

Appointment of President of the City Council. Council Member Benaka made a motion that the Council President be the person with the highest seniority on the Council that hasn't served previously, which would be Council Member Randles. Council Member Randles declined the motion.

Council Member Harper motioned to appoint Council Member Bryan as City Council President. Council Member Randles seconded the motion. Motion approved Council Member Randles, Trower, Harper, and Bryan voted yes. Council Member Beneka voted no.

Council Member Benaka spoke about warming centers, and designated storm shelters. The Community Center wouldn't qualify for a warming center due to no back up power supply. Inquired about the Civic Center, there is no generator there, but it is wired to plug one in. The Community Center is moving forward to being a designated storm shelter along with the Auburn Christian Church.

Council Member Benaka inquired about Levi Lee's former property between Elvira St and School St to make sure that the steps for inquiring the property had been taken.

Adjourn

Council Member Bryan motioned to adjourn. Council Member Trower seconded the motion. Motion approved Unanimous.

Signature of Approval



Date

2-3-2025