



City of Littleton

Littleton Center
2255 West Berry Avenue
Littleton, CO 80120

Meeting Minutes

City Council

Tuesday, June 14, 2016

6:30 PM

Community Room

Study Session/Special Meeting

1. Study Session

a) Urban Renewal Authority Follow Up with Planning Board and LIFT

2. Special Meeting

3. Roll Call

Present: 6 - Mayor Pro-Tem Brinkman, Mayor Beckman, Council Member Clark, Council Member Cole, Council Member Hopping and Council Member Valdes

Absent: 1 - Council Member Cernanec

Motion to add an agenda item

Council Member Clark moved and Council Member Valdes seconded to add an agenda item to terminate the employment of the City Manager. Mayor Beckman asked that the item be heard directly prior to the Executive Session and be added as item 4(b). Mayor Pro Tem Brinkman and Council Member Hopping objected to this item being added to the agenda. Mayor Beckman called for a vote. The vote is 4-2 with Mayor Pro Tem Brinkman and Council Member Hopping voting no. The motion carries.

Aye: 4 - Mayor Beckman, Council Member Clark, Council Member Cole and Council Member Valdes

Nay: 2 - Mayor Pro Tem Brinkman and Council Member Hopping

Absent: 1 - Council Member Cernanec

4. Emergency Ordinance

This was approved

- a) [Ordinance 09-2016](#) An emergency ordinance imposing a temporary moratorium on the acceptance of new land use application for property located within the B-2 Community Business Zone District

Mayor Pro Tem Brinkman moved and Council Member Hopping seconded to enact an emergency ordinance imposing a temporary moratorium on the acceptance of any new land use application for property located within the B-2 Community Business zone district. The vote is 6-0. The motion carries unanimously.

Aye: 6 - Mayor Pro Tem Brinkman, Mayor Beckman, Council Member Clark, Council Member Cole, Council Member Hopping and Council Member Valdes

Absent: 1 - Council Member Cernanec

Motion to terminate the employment of the City Manager

Council Member Clark moved and Council Member Cole seconded to terminate the employment of the City Manager effective immediately. Mayor Pro Tem Brinkman moved and Council Member Hopping seconded to amend the motion to work together as a seven-member council at the council meeting on June 28, 2016, to put together an aggressive work plan for our city manager including a timeline and expectations. City Attorney Schledorn made a clarification that Mayor Pro Tem Brinkman's motion is actually a motion to postpone, or table to June 28, 2016, vs a motion to amend.

Mayor Pro Tem Brinkman moved and Council Member Hopping seconded to withdraw her motion and his second to amend the main motion. Mayor Pro Tem Brinkman moved and Council Member Hopping seconded to table the main motion to the July 5, 2016 meeting of the city council and to schedule a discussion at the June 28, 2016 study session of the city council to discuss with the City Manager a performance plan. The vote is 3-3 with Mayor Pro Mayor Beckman, Council Member Clark and Council Member Cole voting no. The motion fails.

Council Member Clark moved and Council Member Cole seconded to terminate the employment of the City Manager effective immediately. The vote is 4-2, with Mayor Pro Tem Brinkman and Council Member Hopping voting no. The motion carries.

Aye: 4 - Mayor Beckman, Council Member Clark, Council Member Cole and Council Member Valdes

Nay: 2 - Mayor Pro Tem Brinkman and Council Member Hopping

Absent: 1 - Council Member Cernanec

5. Executive Session

- a) [ID# 16-120](#) Executive session pursuant to C.R.S. 24-6-402(4)(b) and Section 27 of the City Charter, for the purpose of conferring with the city attorney and receiving legal advice regarding Case No. 2015CV32363, Burkett v. City of Littleton, et al.

Mayor Beckman moved and Council Member Clark seconded to convene an executive session pursuant to C.R.S. 24-6-402(4)(b) and Section 27 of the City Charter, for the purpose of conferring with the city attorney and receiving legal advice regarding Case No. 2015CV32363, Burkett v. City of Littleton, et al. The motion carries 5-1, with Mayor Pro Tem Brinkman voting no.

Present in the executive session City Attorney Shledorn, Attorney Kemp and all council members, except Council Member Cernanec.

Council convened the executive session at 9:50 p.m.

Aye: 5 - Mayor Beckman, Council Member Clark, Council Member Cole, Council Member Hopping and Council Member Valdes

Nay: 1 - Mayor Pro Tem Brinkman

Absent: 1 - Council Member Cernanec

6. Adjournment

*Mayor Pro Tem Brinkman did not return from the executive session.
Mayor Beckman adjourned the meeting at 10:36 p.m.*

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