

MINUTES OF THE CITY COUNCIL MEETING HELD AUGUST 14, 2007, AT 7:00 P.M., IN THE COTTONWOOD HEIGHTS CITY COUNCIL CHAMBER

MEMBERS PRESENT: Mayor Kelvyn Cullimore, Councilman Don Antczak, Councilman Scott Bracken, Councilman Bruce Jones, Councilman Gordon Thomas

STAFF PRESENT: City Manager Liane Stillman, City Attorney Shane Topham, Deputy City Manager Kevin Smith, Planning Director Michael Black, Bob Warnick

OTHERS PRESENT: Mike Watson, Paul Brenneman, Beverly and Larry Jenson, Ron Fullmer, Bob Good, Allen Orr, Jay Jensen, Battalion Chief Johnson, Brian Allen

1.0 WELCOME/PLEDGE/ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

1.1 Mayor Cullimore called the meeting to order and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

2.0 CITIZEN COMMENTS

2.1 No comments were received.

3.0 REPORTS/PRESENTATIONS

3.1 Peace Proclamation

3.1.1 City Manager Liane Stillman explained that the City was contacted by the International Peace Gardens, located in Salt Lake City, and asked to make a statement of support for their annual exhibition. The composition of the International Peace Garden committee is a mix of diverse heritage and ethnicity. As the City reviewed the purpose and intent of a nonviolent way to express the oneness of the world, they felt the City could be supportive.

3.1.2 Mayor Cullimore proclaimed the City's support of the International Peace Garden events.

3.2 Polio Awareness Month

3.2.1 Mayor Cullimore explained that the Polio Awareness Month proclamation was brought to the attention of the City by Larry Jensen, a resident who suffered from polio. He stated that the City will be asking the State to declare September as Polio Awareness Month and will place information regarding the proclamation in the Valley Journal.

3.2.2 Mayor Cullimore read the proclamation into the public record.

3.2.3 The Council voted unanimously to support September as Polio Awareness month.

3.3 Salt Lake County Sheriff's Report

3.3.1 Detective Ford reviewed the statistics for the month of July. He noted that this month had the highest number of calls and cases since the City incorporated. There were 1120

calls for service which generated 724 cases. Assaults, domestic violence, and stolen vehicles increased. Burglaries almost doubled due to a burglary ring that was responsible for almost 25 percent of the incidents. This burglary ring was responsible for nine burglaries which occurred in Cottonwood Heights, Murray, Millcreek, and Taylorsville. These burglaries have been resolved and stolen property recovered. This ring has also been charged with credit card fraud. Three of the four men are in custody at this time.

Detective Ford said that the bike patrol is up and running. There is great visibility and the residents seem to like it. Since the bike patrol began they have had over 75 individual citizen contacts; 46 street checks such as curfew violations and open garages; six citations issued; and six arrests made. The bike patrol provides back-up to patrol units in apartment complexes.

On behalf of the officers in Cottonwood Heights, Detective Ford thanked the Council for the tickets to Lagoon and for the support they give to public safety.

4.0 **ACTION ITEMS**

4.1 **Consideration of Resolution No. 2007-35 Approving Entry into a Consulting Agreement with GSBS for a Parks Master Plan**

4.1.1 Councilman Antczak moved to approve Resolution No. 2007-35 approving a consulting agreement with GSBS for a Parks Master Plan. The motion was seconded by Councilman Thomas and passed unanimously on a roll call vote.

5.0 **CONSENT CALENDAR**

5.1 **Approval of July 31, 2007 minutes**

5.1.1 The minutes were approved as submitted.

6.0 **ADJOURN BUSINESS MEETING AND RECONVENE WORK SESSION**

6.1 Councilman Antczak moved to close the business meeting and reconvene the work session. The motion was seconded by Councilman Bracken and passed unanimously on a voice vote. The business meeting adjourned at 7:34 p.m.