

City of Algona Council Workshop Minutes

February 14th, 2022 Minutes

- 1. Call to Order Mayor Pro Tem Troy Linnell called the meeting to order at 6:03 PM
- 2. Roll Call
 - A. Council Members Troy Linnell, William Thomas, Mike Dawkins, Gordon Cook and Lynda Osborn were present. Staff members Jessica Griess- City Clerk and James Schrimpsher-Police Chief were present.
- 3. Approval of Agenda
 - A. Council Member Thomas moved to approve the agenda and Council Member Linnell seconded it. There was a brief discussion on the removal of requested topics and it was asked they be on the next workshop agenda. All voted in favor.
- 4. Ordinances and Resolutions
- 5. Discussion Items
 - A. 8th Ave N Parking and Intersection

Council Member Linnell started the conversation with the lack of visibility to pull onto Algona Blvd from 8th Ave N when he attempted the turn over the weekend. The question was asked if a hearing examiner was involved in the parking on 8th Ave and staff was unaware. It does appear to be unsafe line of sight to pull out of that street and we will continue reviewing our options in resolving it.

- 6. Audience Participation
 - A. Robin Lindy, 316 Broadway

The swings in the park are very loud and need to be greased and beauty bark replaced to help with standing water. Also curious about the church on the corner not having windows, isn't that a fire hazard? When is Broadway going to be pushed through? Council Member Linnell responded that it is in the works, but does take time. Will there be something done to stop the flooding before the next season in the north end of town? Council Member Linnell responded again that it is the top thing on the list and we will try our very best to have a solution before next season.

B. Chris Gomes, 527 Main

Are you aware that the property at O street and Boundary has sold? They will probably be building there. How will they effect the flooding? Council Member Linnell responded that we can only worry about what we can do within our jurisdiction and that property is in Auburn. The fence along the

houses on 8^{th} Ave N along Algona Blvd is very high. The height is allowed on the side, just not in the front of a house.

7. Adjournment - Council Member Troy Linnell adjourned the meeting at 6:35 PM.

ATTEST:

Jessica Griess – City Clerk

Troy Linnell, Mayor Pro Tem