

**CITY OF NORTHGLENN
CITY COUNCIL MINUTES
June 24, 2013**

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Downing called a regular meeting of the Northglenn City Council to order on Monday, June 24, 2013 at 7:00 p.m. in the City Hall Council Chambers, 11701 Community Center Drive, Northglenn.

ROLL CALL

Present were: Mayor Downing, Mayor Pro Tem Clyne, Council members Snetzinger, W. Dodge, Brown, Whitman, Carrico, C. Dodge, and Wieneke.

ABSENT

None.

STAFF PRESENT

Acting City Manager Willett, City Attorney Hoffmann, and City Clerk Small.

**PLEDGE OF
ALLEGIANCE**

The Pledge of Allegiance was given.

**AGENDA ADDITIONS
AND DELETIONS:**

City Attorney Hoffmann asked that the Executive Session be modified to be called pursuant to Section 4.5(e) of the City of Northglenn Home Rule Charter for legal consultation and advice regarding litigation.

PROCLAMATIONS:

Missoula Children's
Theatre 25th Anniversary

Mayor Downing read the proclamation proclaiming the week of June 24th through 30th as Missoula Children's Theatre Week in the City of Northglenn and presented the proclamation to Ms. Kimberly Jongejan, Recreation Specialist, and Tour Directors Heather and Paul from the Missoula Children's Theatre. Ms. Jongejan thanked Council for supporting youth theatre and spoke about the programs the Missoula Children's Theatre provides to the City and community.

**PUBLIC INVITED
TO BE HEARD**

Mayor Downing called for any person wishing to address City Council on matters of community interest related to City business not set for public hearing to come forward.

Mr. Luis Apolinar stated he is an iron worker currently on strike against Rocky Mountain Reinforcement, a company that installs rebar on construction projects. Mr. Apolinar spoke about the company's practices and poor treatment of employees and expressed concern about the company seeking work on the North Metro Rail Line project.

Mr. Ricky Martinez stated he is also on strike against Rocky Mountain Reinforcement and spoke about the company's practices regarding safety and the treatment of employees. Mr. Martinez expressed concern about the company being allowed to work on future construction projects in the area.

PRESENTATIONS:

Dedicated Service Awards

Council joined Mayor Downing to present a dedicated service award to Ciara Neill and to thank Ciara for her service to the Youth Commission. Council member C. Dodge spoke about Ciara's contributions to the Commission and stated she was an asset to the group.

CONSENT AGENDA
MOTION TO PASS

Council member Carrico **MOVED** and it was **SECONDED** by Council member Brown to approve the consent agenda.

MOTION PASSED

There was no discussion and the motion **PASSED**.

IN FAVOR - Downing, Clyne, Snetzinger, W. Dodge, Brown, Whitman, Carrico, C. Dodge, Wieneke.

OPPOSED - None.

ABSENT - None.

The following item was approved on the consent agenda:

- Minutes of the June 10, 2013 Regular Meeting

PUBLIC HEARINGS:

CB-1801 – Sign Code

City Clerk Small read the title.

Mayor Downing opened the public hearing on CB-1801 and called for anyone wishing to speak either "for" or "against" CB-1801 to come forward. No one came forward and the public hearing was declared closed.

ORDINANCES –
SECOND READING:

CB-1801 – Sign Code

MOTION TO PASS

Council member Carrico **MOVED** and it was **SECONDED** by Council member C. Dodge to approve CB-1801 on second reading.

Acting City Manager Willett provided a summary of CB-1801.

MOTION PASSED

There was discussion and the motion **PASSED**.

IN FAVOR - Downing, W. Dodge, Brown, Whitman, Carrico, C. Dodge, Wieneke.

OPPOSED - Clyne, Snetzinger.

ABSENT - None.

RESOLUTIONS:

CR-61 – Employee Handbook

City Clerk Small read the title.

MOTION TO PASS

Council member Carrico **MOVED** and it was **SECONDED** by Council member Whitman to approve CR-61.

Acting City Manager Willett provided a summary of CR-61.

**FRIENDLY
AMENDMENT**

A friendly amendment was accepted to add Veterans Day to the holidays observed by the City.

City Attorney Hoffmann provided information about provisions related to off-duty use of marijuana and the carrying of concealed weapons.

MOTION TO AMEND

Council member Brown **MOVED** and it was **SECONDED** by Council member Carrico to amend provisions related to “Alcohol and Other Drugs” by prohibiting employees of the Police Department from the off-duty use of marijuana.

MOTION PASSED

There was discussion and the motion to amend **PASSED**.
IN FAVOR - Downing, W. Dodge, Brown, Whitman, Carrico.
OPPOSED - Clyne, Snetzinger, C. Dodge, Wieneke.
ABSENT - None.

**FRIENDLY
AMENDMENT**

A friendly amendment was accepted to amend provisions related to “Violence Prohibited in the Workplace” and the carrying of weapons by replacing “(unless authorized by the Chief of Police)” with “unless allowed by a duly authorized permit in accordance with state law.”

MOTION PASSED

There was discussion and the main motion, as amended, **PASSED**.
IN FAVOR - Downing, W. Dodge, Brown, Whitman, Carrico, C. Dodge, Wieneke.
OPPOSED - Clyne, Snetzinger.
ABSENT - None.

CR-62 – 11295 Washington Street Demolition

City Clerk Small read the title.

MOTION TO PASS

Council member Brown **MOVED** and it was **SECONDED** by Council member Snetzinger to approve CR-62.

Acting City Manager Willett provided a summary of CR-62.

MOTION PASSED

There was discussion and the motion **PASSED**.
IN FAVOR - Downing, Clyne, Snetzinger, W. Dodge, Brown,
Whitman, Carrico, C. Dodge, Wieneke.
OPPOSED - None.
ABSENT - None.

CR-63 – Gun Safe
Rebate Program

City Clerk Small read the title.

MOTION TO PASS

Mayor Pro Tem Clyne **MOVED** and it was **SECONDED** by Council member Brown to approve CR-63.

Acting City Manager Willett provided a summary of CR-63.

Council requested to receive periodic updates regarding usage of the gun safe rebate program.

MOTION PASSED

There was discussion and the motion **PASSED**.
IN FAVOR - Downing, Clyne, Snetzinger, W. Dodge, Brown,
Whitman, Carrico, C. Dodge.
OPPOSED - Wieneke.
ABSENT - None.

RECESS

The City Council meeting recessed to a meeting of the Medical Marijuana Licensing Authority at 7:51 p.m.

RECONVENE

The City Council meeting reconvened at 7:56 p.m.

COMMUNICATIONS:

Council

Mayor Pro Tem Clyne reported she had attended the Colorado Municipal League (CML) Conference. Mayor Pro Tem Clyne also reported on the Kids Fishing Derby that was held earlier in June and noted the Fishing Derby winner would be attending an upcoming Council meeting.

Council member Carrico reported that Division Chief Kevin Sweeney would be retiring from the North Metro Fire Rescue District after 35 years of service and also noted that Public Information Officer Stacey Mulligan has left the District. Council member Carrico reported she had attended the CML Conference and spoke about the sessions she attended.

Council member C. Dodge reported she had attended the CML Conference and spoke about a session on social ideation and crowd sourcing, which focused on increasing public input. Council member C. Dodge spoke about online public participation programs being used in Littleton and Ft. Collins, and also spoke about Governor Hickenlooper addressing the conference attendees.

Staff

Acting City Manager Willett reviewed agenda items for the July 1, 2013 study session and spoke about a potential item regarding the Webster Lake Promenade redevelopment project that may require a special meeting of the Council next week.

City Attorney Hoffmann provided additional information about the item concerning the Webster Lake Promenade development.

Mayor Pro Tem Clyne inquired about the Fourth of July celebration and stated other municipalities have cancelled their events. Acting City Manager Willett stated the event is still scheduled to occur and spoke about measures that have been taken to prevent fires.

**PUBLIC INVITED
TO BE HEARD**

Mayor Downing invited any member of the public wishing to speak on items previously addressed by Council to come forward. No one came forward.

Executive Session
MOTION TO PASS

Mayor Downing **MOVED** and it was **SECONDED** by Mayor Pro Tem Clyne to adjourn to Executive Session pursuant to Section 4.5(e) of the City of Northglenn Home Rule Charter for legal consultation and advice regarding litigation.

MOTION PASSED

There was no discussion and the motion **PASSED**.
IN FAVOR - Downing, Clyne, Snetzinger, W. Dodge, Brown,
Whitman, Carrico, C. Dodge, Wieneke.
OPPOSED - None.
ABSENT - None.

ADJOURNMENT

The City Council meeting adjourned to the executive session at 8:04 p.m.

JOHANNA SMALL, CMC
City Clerk

JOYCE DOWNING
Mayor