

CITY OF BLOOMFIELD
COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
May 9, 2022

The Regular Meeting of the Bloomfield City Council was held at 6 p.m. in the Council Chambers at 915 N. First Street, Bloomfield, NM. The meeting was in full conformity with the laws and rules of the Municipality.

In attendance were Mayor Cynthia Atencio, Councilor Tony Herrera, Councilor Scott Eckstein, Councilor Dale Walls, City Manager George Duncan, City Clerk Crystal Hornberger, City Engineer Jason Thomas, Fire Chief John Mohler, Police Chief Phillip Francisco, Deputy City Clerk Catherine Galvan, Finance Director Kimberly Simpson, and Human Resources Donna Clifton.

Also present attending via zoom was Councilor George Walter.

1. CALL TO ORDER:

Mayor Atencio called the meeting to order at 6:00 pm

2. INVOCATION & PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

Councilor Scott Eckstein offered the Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance

3. APPROVAL OF AGENDA:

Councilor Herrera moved to approve the agenda. Councilor Eckstein seconded. Approval was unanimous.

4. PRESENTATION: Second Source 2021 City Engineer Jason Thomas

5. CONSENT AGENDA:

Councilor Eckstein moved to approve the consent agenda. Councilor Walls seconded. Approval was unanimous.

A. Approve Council Meeting Minutes from April 25, 2022

6. NEW BUSINESS:

A. Discussion and Possible Action to Approve Accounts Payable

Councilor Herrera moved to approve the accounts payable. Councilor Walls seconded. Approval was unanimous.

B. Discussion Budget Review Finance **Director Kimberly Simpson**

Discussions were held and questions answered regarding the FY23 budget review.

7. UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

A. Discussion and Possible Action to Approve Ordinance 530 Relating to the Employee Handbook and Compensatory Time **Human Resources Donna Clifton**

Councilor Eckstein moved to approve Ordinance 530. Councilor Walls seconded. Councilor Eckstein, Councilor Walls, and Councilor Walter voted in favor; Councilor Herrera was opposed. Motion passed.

8. PUBLIC INPUT (Limited to five [5] minutes per person):

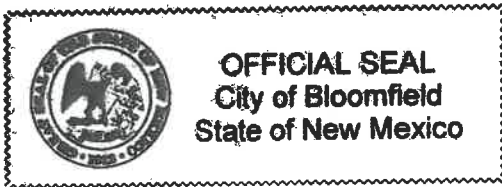
A. Comments from the Public

Linda Corwin asked questions regarding the second source and was invited to take a tour. Mayor Atencio and Councilor Walls expressed their interest in taking a tour as well. Janet Mackey with the Chamber made comments regarding the upcoming Balloon Rally.

B. Comments from Department Heads and/or Council

Mayor Atencio provided condolences to Doug Lenberg with the Balloon Rally on the passing of his wife.

9. ADJOURNMENT:



Cynthia Atencio

Cynthia Atencio, Mayor

ATTEST:

Crystal L. Hornberger

Crystal L Hornberger, City Clerk