

COUNCIL STUDY SESSION

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City Hall Community Room, 10501 SE Main Street & Zoom Video Conference (www.milwaukieoregon.gov)

MAY 14, 2024

Council Present: Councilors Shane Abma, Adam Khosroabadi, Rebecca Stavenjord, and

Council President Robert Massey, and Mayor Lisa Batey

Staff Present: Nicole Madigan, Deputy City Recorder Gabrieal Santoyo Gutierrez, Equity and

Emma Sagor, Acting City Manager Inclusion Coordinator

Mayor Batey called the meeting to order at 5:15 p.m.

1. Council Equity Training

Council participated in a training on Fostering a Culture of Belonging presented by Parfait Bassalé of Parfait Bassalé Consulting.

2. Council Reports

Council reviewed a letter to the United States (US) Secretary of Transportation, Pete Buttigieg, and a letter to Toni Karter of the Housing Authority of Clackamas County (HACC). Council agreed to sign and send the letters.

Council President Massey provided an Audit Committee update that included insight as to which auditor firm the Committee was considering for the city. The group discussed the audit firm Moss Adams.

Councilor Khosroabadi provided an update on Community Action Board (CAB) meeting that included information on community outreach presentations to each city and how CAB was planning to reach underserved communities.

Mayor Batey recessed the meeting at 7:20 p.m. so that Council could meet in executive session pursuant to Oregon Revised Statute (ORS) 192.660 (2)(h) to consult with counsel concerning the legal rights and duties of a public body with regard to current litigation or litigation likely to be filed.

Mayor Batey reconvened the study session at 7:53 p.m.

The group discussed Board and Committee (BC) interviews.

Councilor Stavenjord noted the upcoming Clackamas County Coordinating Committee (C4) retreat. Council discussed the history of the retreat and what was to be expected for that year. Stavenjord provided an update on a meeting with the new youth BC members, a rental assistance program through Clackamas Service Center, noted that there would be more relevant Transportation System Plan (TSP) updates coming soon, reported on the emergency warming center work with a downtown Milwaukie church, shared notes on a meeting that occurred with staff and Milwaukie business That One Vintage Shop regarding a temporary event permit. Stavenjord explained that the liaison role to the Homeless Solutions of Clackamas County (HSCC) had expanded to include working on the Coalition Board and noted that the Board was looking to expand into Milwaukie.

Councilor Abma noted that Milwaukie's Pride event was scheduled for June 29 from 10:00 a.m. to noon at the South Downtown Plaza.

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3. Adjourn

Mayor Batey adjourned the meeting at 8:13 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Nicole Madigan, Deputy City Recorde