

COUNCIL MINUTES

May 25, 2006

The City Council of the City of Mesa met in a Special Council Meeting in the lower level meeting room of the Council Chambers, 57 East 1st Street, on May 25, 2006 at 7:30 a.m.

COUNCIL PRESENT

Mayor Keno Hawker
Rex Griswold
Kyle Jones
Tom Rawles
Janie Thom
Claudia Walters

COUNCIL ABSENT

Mike Whalen

COUNCIL-ELECT PRESENT

Scott Somers

OFFICERS PRESENT

Christopher Brady
Debbie Spinner

1. Take action on the following resolutions:

- 1a. Canvassing, declaring and adopting the results of the General Election held May 16, 2006 - Resolution No. 8736.

It was moved by Vice Mayor Walters, seconded by Councilmember Jones, that Resolution No. 8736 be adopted.

Councilmember Thom expressed appreciation to the thirty percent of Mesa's registered voters who cast ballots in the General Election.

Mayor Hawker called for the vote.

Upon tabulation of votes, it showed:

AYES – Griswold-Hawker-Jones-Rawles-Thom-Walters
NAYS – None
ABSENT – Whalen

Mayor Hawker declared the motion carried unanimously by those present and Resolution No. 8736 adopted.

- 1b. Supporting the submittal of a grant application to the Arizona Department of Transportation for transportation enhancement funds. This application is submitted by the Arizona State University Polytechnic for a pedestrian corridor on the campus at Williams Gateway Airport - Resolution No. 8737.

It was moved by Vice Mayor Walters, seconded by Councilmember Griswold, that Resolution No. 8737 be adopted.

In response to comments from Councilmember Griswold, Mayor Hawker explained that Council approval would support a grant application by Arizona State University Polytechnic that could compete with grant applications made by the City of Mesa.

Mayor Hawker called for the vote.

Upon tabulation of votes, it showed:

AYES – Griswold-Hawker-Jones-Rawles-Thom-Walters
NAYS – None
ABSENT – Whalen

Mayor Hawker declared the motion carried unanimously by those present and Resolution No. 8737 adopted.

2. Items from citizens present.

Sheila Mitton, 1615 West Pueblo Avenue, addressed the Council in support of School Resource Officers and crime-free programs. She expressed concern that Mesa's citizens would be at increased risk due to the reduction or elimination of many programs as a result of the budget situation.

3. Adjournment.

Without objection, the Special Council meeting adjourned at 7:35 a.m.

KENO HAWKER, MAYOR

ATTEST:

BARBARA JONES, CITY CLERK

I hereby certify that the foregoing minutes are a true and correct copy of the minutes of the Special Council Meeting of the City Council of Mesa, Arizona held on the 25th day of May 2006. I further certify that the meeting was duly called and held and that a quorum was present.

BARBARA JONES, CITY CLERK

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