

# WESTFIR CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES

Monday, April 19, 2021

Audio/Video Teleconference, 5:00 p.m.

## MINUTES

### **CALL SPECIAL MEETING TO ORDER:**

Mayor Melody Cornelius called the Special Meeting to order at 5:01 p.m. Councilors D'Lynn Williams, Edward Johnstone and Randy Stark were present.

### **RESOLUTION 502: DISSOLUTION OF FIBEROPTIC FUND:**

Mayor Cornelius made a motion to adopt Resolution 502 dissolving the Fiberoptic Fund. Councilor Williams seconded, and the motion carried, 4-0.

**AYES:** Cornelius, Williams, Johnstone, Stark    **NAYS:** 0    **ABSTENTIONS:** 0

### **POLICE IGA FOR FY2021-2022:**

Mayor Cornelius made a motion to adopt the agreement for law enforcement services for the City of Westfir and the City of Oakridge for fiscal year 2021-2022. Councilor Johnstone seconded, and the motion carried, 4-0.

**AYES:** Cornelius, Williams, Johnstone, Stark    **NAYS:** 0    **ABSTENTIONS:** 0

### **UNUSED CORONAVIRUS RELIEF FUNDS (CRFs):**

City Recorder Nicole Tritten reported that there were \$8,890 of Coronavirus Relief Funds remaining in the rent and utility relief program administered by Lane County on behalf of the City of Westfir. She asked how the Council would like to handle the funds given that the County had received few applications from City of Westfir residents since the program was extended at the beginning of the year, and with a deadline approaching to use the funds before June 30, 2021. She said that one option was to ask the County to return the funds to Westfir to use for other COVID-related community support spending; another option was to open the program to residents of unincorporated Westfir. Mayor Cornelius stated that she thought it was beneficial to the community as a whole to reach out to local people who are not City of Westfir residents. The Council decided that the rent and utility relief program would be extended to residents in the 97492 zip code through June 1, 2021. Nicole stated that the City would need an amended IGA with Lane County, and an amendment to the resolution that added the CRFs to the budget and authorized the IGA.

### **ADJOURN MEETING:**

Councilor Johnstone moved to adjourn the Special Meeting. Councilor Stark seconded, and the meeting was adjourned at 5:41 p.m.

**AYES:** Cornelius, Williams, Johnstone, Stark    **NAYS:** 0    **ABSTENTIONS:** 0

Respectfully submitted,

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Melody Cornelius, Mayor

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ATTEST:  
Nicole Tritten, City Recorder

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