

WESTFIR CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES
Friday, June 21, 2024, 5:30 p.m.
In-person meeting at City Hall and via audio/video teleconference

MINUTES

CALL SPECIAL MEETING TO ORDER:

Mayor D’Lynn Williams called the special meeting to order at 5:31 p.m. Councilors Kelly Packard, Katherine Bishop and Deretta Huey were present in person, as was City Recorder Nicole Tritten. Councilor Edward Johnstone was present via video.

ORDINANCE 144: ADOPTING FIREWORKS RESTRICTIONS DURING FIRE SEASON:

Mayor Williams read the ordinance into the record. The Council had no concerns.

Councilor Packard made a motion to approve Ordinance 144 adopting fireworks restrictions during fire season. Councilor Huey seconded, and the motion carried, 5–0.

AYES: Williams, Packard, Bishop. Huey, Johnstone **NAYS:** 0 **ABSTENTIONS:** 0

SECURITY CAMERAS FOR PORTAL PARK:

The Council discussed two proposals for installation of new security cameras at Portal Park, from Security Solutions Group and Knox Contracting. The decision in part came down to whether the Council was willing to spend \$4,400 to have Spectrum Internet installed at the Park. Councilor Packard believed that the Starlink Internet option, at \$1,275 for installation, offered sufficient download and upload speeds for the City’s purposes. Councilor Johnstone agreed that it was worth trying Starlink. The Council favored the proposal from Knox Contracting, which included Starlink installation and no annual licensing fees. Nicole stated that she would get a contract from Knox Contracting for the Council to consider at the July 1 meeting.

ADJOURN MEETING:

Mayor Williams adjourned the meeting at 5:58 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

D’Lynn Williams, Mayor

ATTEST:
Nicole Tritten, City Recorder

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