

City of Humboldt

Meeting Minutes

Regular Council Meeting April 22, 2024 - 05:30 PM

PRESENT: Mayor Michael Behiel

Councillor Larry Jorgenson
Councillor Roger Nordick
Councillor Amanda Klitch
Councillor Rob Muench
Councillor Roger Korte

Councillor Kelly Herperger (via Zoom)

City Manager Joe Day
City Controller/Interim City Clerk Jace Porten
Marketing and Development Manager Penny Lee

Director of Public Works Peter Bergquist

Director of Leisure Services Mike Ulriksen

Director of Cultural Services Jennifer Fitzpatrick

1 Call To Order

Mayor Behiel called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.

Resolution:

2024.086

2 Adopt Agenda

Moved By: Councillor Roger Nordick **Seconded By:** Councillor Roger Korte

That the agenda be adopted as presented.

CARRIED

2.1 Conflict of Interest

3 Public Acknowledgement

Councillor Nordick acknowledged Breker/Kunz Properties for transforming the trailer park and reinvigorating the area.

4 Public Hearing

Resolution:

4.1 Suspend Council Meeting

2024.087 **Moved By:** Councillor Rob Muench

Seconded By: Councillor Amanda Klitch

That the Regular Meeting of Council be suspended and that we move to enter the Public Hearing, the time being 5:31p.m.

CARRIED

Mayor Michael Robiel Interim City Clark Jaco Porto

4.2 Public Hearing - Humboldt Golf Club Guarantor of Loan

City Controller provided a report on the public hearing, detailing that 10 clear days had been provided for the public hearing and no written submissions were received and no one was present in the galley to speak on the matter.

Resolution:

4.3 Resume Council Meeting

2024.088

Moved By: Councillor Roger Nordick **Seconded By:** Councillor Larry Jorgenson

That the Public Hearing be closed, and that Council revert to the Regular Meeting, the time being 5:33pm.

CARRIED

5 Approve Minutes

That the Minutes of the Regular Meeting of Council held March 25, 2024 be approved as amended, recorded, and circulated.

Resolution:

5.1 Regular Meeting of Council held March 25, 2024

2024.089

Moved By: Councillor Roger Korte

Seconded By: Councillor Amanda Klitch

That the Minutes of the Regular Meeting of Council held March 25, 2024 be approved as recorded and circulated.

CARRIED

Resolution: 2024.090

5.2 Special Meeting of Council held April 8, 2024

Moved By: Councillor Kelly Herperger **Seconded By:** Councillor Rob Muench

That the Minutes of the Special Meeting of Council held April 8, 2024 be approved as recorded and circulated.

CARRIED

- 6 Delegations None
- 7 Correspondence None
- 8 Committee Reports
- 8.1 Vacated Chair

Mayor Behiel vacated the Chair and Deputy Mayor Klitch presided at 5:33pm.

Resolution: 2024.091

8.2 Executive Committee Meeting held April 8th, 2024

That the Minutes of the Executive Committee Meeting held April 8, 2024 be accepted as amended for information.

CARRIED

Mayor – Michael Behiel	Interim City Clerk – Jace Porter

Resolution: 8.3 **Humboldt and District Museum and Gallery Board** 2024.092 Moved By: Mayor Michael Behiel Seconded By: Councillor Kelly Herperger

> That the minutes of the Humboldt and District Museum and Gallery Board meeting dated March 14th, 2024 be accepted for

information and filed.

CARRIED

Bylaws

Resolution: 9.1 Recommendation - City Assessor - 2024 Tax Policy

2024.093 Moved By: Mayor Michael Behiel **Seconded By:** Councillor Roger Korte

That this report be accepted for information and filed.

CARRIED

Resolution: 9.2 Bylaw No. 03/2024 - 2024 Taxation Rate Bylaw

2024.094 **Moved By:** Councillor Roger Nordick

Seconded By: Councillor Kelly Herperger

Resolved that Bylaw No. 03/2024, being a bylaw to set the 2024

Taxation Rates, be introduced and read a first time.

CARRIED

Resolution: 9.3 Bylaw No. 03/2024 - 2024 Taxation Rate Bylaw

2024.095 Moved By: Councillor Roger Korte

Seconded By: Councillor Larry Jorgenson

Resolved that No. Bylaw 03/2024, being a bylaw to set the 2024

Taxation Rates, be read a second time.

CARRIED

Resolution: 9.4 Bylaw No. 03/2024 - 2024 Taxation Rate Bylaw

2024.096 Moved By: Councillor Rob Muench

Seconded By: Councillor Kelly Herperger

Resolved that Bylaw No. 03/2024, being a bylaw to set the 2024

Taxation Rates, be given three readings at this meeting.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

Resolution: 9.5 Bylaw No. 03/2024 - 2024 Taxation Rate Bylaw

2024.097 **Moved By:** Councillor Roger Nordick

Seconded By: Councillor Roger Korte

Resolved that Bylaw No. 03/2024, being a bylaw to set the 2024

Taxation Rates, be read a third time and now be adopted.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

Resolution: 9.6 Recommendation - City Controller - HGC Guarantor Bylaw

2024.098 **Amendment Report**

Moved By: Councillor Larry Jorgenson Seconded By: Mayor Michael Behiel

That this report be accepted for information and filed.

Interim City Clerk – Jace Porten

CARRIED

Mayor – Michael Behiel

Resolution: 2024.099

9.7 Bylaw No. 04/2024 - Amend Bylaw 05/2022 HGC Guarantor

Bylaw

Moved By: Councillor Roger Korte **Seconded By:** Councillor Roger Nordick

Resolved that Bylaw No. 04/2024, being a bylaw to amend Bylaw 05/2022 HGC Guarantor Bylaw, be introduced and read a first

time.

CARRIED

Resolution:

2024.100

9.8

Bylaw No. 04/2024 - Amend Bylaw 05/2022 HGC Guarantor

Bylaw

Moved By: Councillor Kelly Herperger **Seconded By:** Councillor Rob Muench

Resolved that Bylaw No. 04/2024, being a bylaw to amend Bylaw

05/2022 HGC Guarantor Bylaw, be read a second time.

CARRIED

Resolution:

2024.101

9.9

Bylaw No. 04/2024 - Amend Bylaw 05/2022 HGC Guarantor

Bylaw

Moved By: Councillor Larry Jorgenson **Seconded By:** Mayor Michael Behiel

Resolved that Bylaw No. 04/2024, being a bylaw to amend Bylaw 05/2022 HGC Guarantor Bylaw, be given three readings at this

meeting.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

Resolution: 2024.102

9.10

Bylaw No. 04/2024 - Amend Bylaw 05/2022 HGC Guarantor

Bylaw

Moved By: Councillor Roger Nordick **Seconded By:** Councillor Larry Jorgenson

Resolved that Bylaw No. 04/2024, being a bylaw to amend Bylaw 05/2022 HGC Guarantor Bylaw, be read a third time and now be

adopted.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

9.11 Resumed Chair

Mayor Behiel resumed the Chair, the time being 5:47 p.m.

10 New Business

Resolution: 2024.103

10.1 Recommendation - Proclamation - Naturopathic Medicine

Week

Moved By: Councillor Amanda Klitch **Seconded By:** Councillor Rob Muench

That the Mayor be authorized to proclaim May 12-18, 2024 as

"Naturopathic Medicine Week" in the City of Humboldt.

CARRIED

Mayor – Michael Behiel

Interim City Clerk – Jace Porten

Resolution:

2024.104

10.2 Recommendation - Proclamation - National Public Works

Week

Moved By: Councillor Larry Jorgenson **Seconded By:** Councillor Roger Korte

That the Mayor be authorized to proclaim May 19-25, 2024 as

"National Public Works Week" in the City of Humboldt.

CARRIED

Resolution:

10.3 Recommendation - City Controller - Downtown Business

2024.105 Improvement District 2024 Budget

Moved By: Councillor Roger Nordick **Seconded By:** Councillor Kelly Herperger

That the City of Humboldt approve the Humboldt Downtown

Business Improvement District (BID) 2024 Budget.

CARRIED

Resolution:

2024.106

10.4 Recommendation - City Controller - Humboldt and District

Community Services Parking Request

Moved By: Councillor Roger Korte

Seconded By: Councillor Amanda Klitch

That Council approve the request from Humboldt and District Community Services to supply six parking passes for summer

students employed over the summer months.

CARRIED

Resolution:

2024.107

Recommendation - City Controller - Downtown Street Closure

Request

10.5

Moved By: Councillor Larry Jorgenson **Seconded By:** Councillor Roger Korte

That Council approve the request for multiple street closures in 2024 for the purpose of community fundraising barbecues and local performances:

- June 6, 2024, Sixth Avenue from Main Street east to the back alley. The closure would be from 8AM to 2PM inclusive.
- July 11, 2024, Sixth Avenue from Main Street east to the back alley. The closure would be from 8AM to 2PM inclusive.
- August 15, 2024, Sixth Avenue from Main Street east to back alley. The hours of closure would be from 8AM to 2PM inclusive.
- September 12, 2024, Sixth Avenue from Main Street east to the back alley. The closure would be from 8AM to 2PM inclusive.

CARRIED

11 Enquiries

12 Committee of the Whole

Resolution: 2024.108

13 Adjourn

Moved By: Councillor Larry Jorgenson

Seconded By: Councillor Amanda Klitch

That we do now adjourn, the time being 5:57 p.m.

CARRIED

Mayor – Michael Behiel

Interim City Clerk – Jace Porten