

Aurora City Council Work Session Meeting Minutes

Aurora City Hall

City Council Chambers

2 W. Pleasant

Aurora, Missouri

Thursday, March 31, 2022 - 6 P.M.

3/31/2022 - Minutes

1. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Lewis called the meeting to order at 06:00 p.m.

2. ROLL CALL

Mayor Lewis - *Present*

Chairman Pro Tem Oplinger - *Present*

Councilman Ferguson - *Present*

Councilwoman Pettit - *Present*

Councilman Kennedy - *Present*

3. NEW BUSINESS

3.1. Architect Interviews - Recreation Center Development

City Manager, Jon Holmes scheduled two architect firms to go over their presentations for the future Recreation Center. Everyone went around the room introducing themselves and what their role was with the City of Aurora. We had some members of the Park Board, Design Committee, Staff and Council.

Corner Greer Architects was the first firm to show us their presentation. They have over 35 years experience. They explained their process of how it will go from beginning to end. They focus on crime prevention through innovative design and security. They also specialize in listening to the needs for the Recreation Center through the community voices. They opened to the floor to any questions or concerns and addressed them as they were asked.

Sapp Design was the second firm to show us their presentation. They have over 36 years experience and are a Public Architect Firm with 95% of the annual volume in Public Works. They explained their process from beginning to end. They take a more "Holistic Approach" with their firm. They opened up to any questions and addressed them as they were asked. They have helped several surrounding communities and Aurora has been on their list to help in any way they can so they are very excited for this opportunity if given the chance.

4. ADJOURNMENT

Councilwoman Pettit made a motion to adjourn at 08:21 p.m. Councilman Kennedy seconded the motion.

Motion passed with votes documented as follows:

Mayor Lewis - Aye

Chairman Pro Tem Oplinger - Aye

Councilwoman Pettit - Aye

Councilman Ferguson - Aye

Councilman Kennedy - Aye

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