Aurora, Nebraska October 10, 2023

A meeting of the Mayor and Council of the City of Aurora, Nebraska, was convened in open and public session at 7:30 p.m. on October 10, 2023 at the City Hall. Present were Councilors: Paul Lackore, Daniel Bartling, Mark Dunn, Dick Phillips and Nancy Lohrmeyer. Council President Phillips conducted the meeting. City Officials present were City Administrator Eric Melcher, City Attorney Ross Luzum, Chief of Police Paul Graham, Utilities Superintendent Adam Darbro and Clerk/Treasurer Barbra Mikkelsen.

Notice of said meeting was given by publication in the Aurora News Register on October 4, 2023. Notice of meeting was simultaneously given to the Mayor and all members of the Council and a copy of their acknowledgment of receipt of notice and the agenda is attached to these minutes. Availability of the agenda of this meeting was communicated in the advance notice and in the notice to the Mayor and Council. All proceedings hereafter shown were taken while the convened meeting was open to the attendance of the public.

Council President Phillips stated "AS PERSCRIBED BY LAW A COPY OF THE NEBRASKA OPEN MEETINGS ACT IS POSTED BY THE DOUBLE DOORS IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS."

MINUTES:

Councilor Dunn moved to approve the minutes from the September 26, 2023 meeting. Councilor Lackore seconded the motion. Voting Aye: Bartling, Dunn, Phillips, Lohrmeyer and Lackore. Nay: None. Absent and not voting: Roblee. The motion carried.

PETITIONS, COMPLAINTS, COMMUNICATIONS:

REPORTS BY OFFICERS, BOARD, COMMITTEES:

Clerk/Treasurer Mikkelsen presented the Expenditures and Clerk/Treasurer reports for the month ending September 30, 2023. Councilor Lackore moved to approve said reports. Councilor Lohrmeyer seconded the motion. Voting Aye: Bartling, Dunn, Phillips, Lohrmeyer and Lackore. Nay: None. Absent and not voting: Roblee. The motion carried.

Claims Committee Member Lohrmeyer reported the claims presented by the Clerk were in order and moved that said claims be allowed and checks drawn on the various funds for payment of same be approved. Councilor Dunn seconded the motion. Voting Aye: Dunn, Phillips, Lohrmeyer, Lackore and Bartling. Nay: None. Absent and not voting: Roblee. The motion carried. A listing of said claims is attached to these minutes.

Dennis Stille of JEO Consulting Group, Inc. reviewed the amendment to the agreement with JEO Consulting Group for the Aurora 2023 Drainage Improvements Project. It is for the area North of Highway 34 between railroad right of way and Grosshans International driveway. Councilor Lackore moved to approve the amendment to the agreement with JEO Consulting Group for the Aurora 2023 Drainage Improvements Project. Councilor Dunn seconded the motion. Voting Aye: Phillips, Lohrmeyer, Lackore, Bartling and Dunn. Nay: None. Absent and not voting: Roblee. The motion carried.

Dennis Stille of JEO Consulting Group, Inc. reviewed the amendment to the agreement with JEO Consulting Group for the Aurora 1st and Jefferson Detention Evaluation Project. It is for the area south of Lincoln Creek Subdivision. Councilor Dunn moved to approve the amendment to the agreement with JEO Consulting Group for the Aurora 1st and Jefferson Detention Evaluation Project. Councilor Lohrmeyer seconded the motion. Voting Aye: Lohrmeyer, Lackore, Bartling, Dunn and Phillips. Nay: None. Absent and not voting: Roblee. The motion carried.

MISCELLANEOUS: ADJOURNMENT:

Having completed all items on the agenda, and there being no further business to conduct, Mayor Seeman declared the meeting adjourned at 7:38p.m.

Council President

ATTEST:

Barbra Milleber

