CITY OF UMATILLA COUNCIL MEETING March 02, 2021

1) MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

2) ROLL CALL

PRESENT: Corinne Funderburk, Daren Dufloth, Ashley Wheeler, Josy Chavez, Roak TenEyck **ABSENT:** None

STAFF PRESENT: Mary Dedrick

3) PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

4) APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Daren Dufloth moved to approve . Corinne Funderburk seconded the motion. Voted: 5 - 0. Motion carried.

5) CITY MANAGER'S REPORT

6) **PUBLIC COMMENT**

Jodi Hinsley - She wanted to be a voice to spread a positive message about how special it is to live in Umatilla. There was an opportunity to have a voice. We needed to use Greg Smith, reach out to him, and let him help us be the voice to make a difference. We needed to use our voice to make a difference.

Keith Morgan - asked Council to consider expanding the downtown revitalization grant to businesses outside of the downtown area.

7) CONSENT AGENDA

Roak TenEyck moved to approve consent agenda items. Resolution No. 38-2021 and Resolution No. 39-2021.. Daren Dufloth seconded the motion. Voted: 5 - 0. Motion carried.

8) NEW BUSINESS

9) **PUBLIC COMMENT**

No public comment presented.

10) DISCUSSION ITEMS

11) MAYOR'S MESSAGE

Thanked everyone for being at the meeting.

12) COUNCIL INFORMATION & DISCUSSION

Funderburk - was excited school was starting up officially on Monday. Was excited businesses were opening up at a limited capacity and it was nice to see cars in the parking lots of Rae's Dayz.

Dufloth - he appreciated everyone having forward thinking. The City looked dramatically different than it did 5 years ago, even 1 year ago. There was a lot of progressive thinking and looking into the future. All the technology was exciting. It will be incredible to see what happens in the next 3 - 5 years. The team in place is doing a wonderful job.

Wheeler - wanted to know if we were doing what we needed to do to make sure the water levels were okay. Manager Stockdale stated we did not anticipate any flooding. The snow we received was dry. The reservoirs were only at 45-50% capacity.

TenEyck - thanked Council for their comments. He was happy to be able to provide grant funding opportunities to some business owners. It's a band-aid on a huge wound, but it was the life line they needed. We needed to keep shouldering on and keep our noses to the grindstone. We needed to keep doing anything necessary to keep our businesses going.

13) ADJOURN

Ashley Wheeler moved to adjourn . Daren Dufloth seconded the motion. Voted: 5 - 0. Motion carried.

14) **OPEN EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Executive session was opened at 8:08 p.m.

15) EXECUTIVE SESSION

16) ADJOURN EXECUTIVE SESSION

ATTEST:

Nanci Sandoval, City Recorder