

City of LeClaire, Iowa
Committee of the Whole Meeting Minutes
Monday, September 20, 2021 - 6:21 p.m.
Council Chambers
325 Wisconsin St
LeClaire, IA

Mayor: _____ Choate: _____ Blair: _____
Gerard: _____ Gravert: _____ Long: _____
Salvador: _____ Laserfiche: _____

Mayor Ray Allen called the City Council Meeting to order at 6:21 p.m. in the City Hall Council Chambers, 325 Wisconsin Street. Present: Council Members Amy Blair, Dennis Gerard, Sara Gravert, Barry Long , City Administrator Ed Choate, City Clerk Tracy Northcutt, Police Chief Shane Themas, Fire Chief Jim Bradley, Library Director Melita Tunncliff and Public Works Supervisor Mark Dale (Electronic). Absent: Council Member Ryan Salvador.

Discussion Items:

- A. Tourism Economic Development Strategy Overview
A presentation was made regarding the Tourism Economic Development Strategy. Council does not object to proceeding with this strategy.
- B. Urban Revitalization Tax Abatement Program Amendment
Ed Choate, City Administrator, gave an overview of the Urban Revitalization Tax Abatement Program Amendment. Council does not object to the amendment.
- C. Property Auction – 112 E. Ferry Street
Ed Choate, City Administrator, explained the auction to being held at 112 E. Ferry St. The auction ends on September 24, 2021, at 2:00 p.m. Council is not interested in bidding on the property at this time.
- D. City Administrator Replacement Search Process
This topic was not discussed.
- E. Pickleball Court Use Review & Discussion
Mayor Allen explained that there has been concerns over the use of the Pickleball Courts by persons not from LeClaire. Amy Blair, Council Liaison, stated that signage outlining best practice would be implemented. Bob Haessler, Park & Rec Commission Member, indicated that he would be on the lookout for problems on the courts and would report back with any concerns.
- F. Library Personnel Selection Review & Discussion
Mayor Allen expressed his opinions regarding communication and cooperation with the Library Board.

Adjournment

Moved by Long, seconded by Gravert, to adjourn at 7:14 p.m. Motion carried unanimously on voice vote.

Attest:

Ray C. Allen, Mayor

Tracy A. Northcutt, City Clerk