CITY OF YUMA CITY COUNCIL MINUTES

HYBRID SPECIAL MEETING THURDAY, MAY 4, 2023 MEETING LOCATION – CITY HALL – 320 SOUTH MAIN STREET AND VIRTUAL THROUGH ZOOM CALL TO ORDER – 5:30 P.M.

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER BY MAYOR SWEHLA.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Benish, Frame, McClung, Shay, Smith-Dischner, Swehla. Baucke absent.

EXECUTIVE SESSION – NEGOTIATIONS

"To determine positions relative to matters that may be subject to negotiations, develop a strategy for negotiations, and/or instruct negotiators, pursuant to C.R.S. § 24-6-402(4)(e), regarding leased City property."

Manager Moore stated Council intends to meet in executive session to determine positions relative to matters that may be subject to negotiations, develop a strategy for negotiations, and/or instruct negotiators, pursuant to C.R.S. § 24-6-402(4)(e), regarding leased City property. Smith-Dischner moved to go into executive session for the stated reason. Second by Shay. Question. 6 ayes. Motion carried.

Council resumed regular session at 5:50 P.M. A statement was made for who was present in executive session and there were no objections to the discussions in executive session.

ACTION ITEMS

A. POSSIBLE ACTION RELATED TO PROPOSAL FROM HIGH PLAINS RECREATION ASSOCIATION – SCOTT MOORE. Manager Moore stated High Plains Recreation Association has requested the City refund money that was received from a lease with Murphy Brown for \$160,000 for property that was leased to the High Plains Recreation and then leased to Murphy Brown. Shay moved to pay High Plains Recreation Association \$160,000 from the Smithfield lease and High Plains Recreation sign a release of any further litigation regarding this incident. Second by Smith-Dischner. Question. 6 ayes. Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT

Shay moved to adjourn.	Second by Benish.	Question.	6 ayes.	Motion carried.		
Ron Swehla						
Mayor						
Karma Wells, CMC						
City Clerk/Treasurer						