

Work Shop
MEETING OF THE LAKE CITY COUNCIL
MINUTES
JUNE 27, 2013

9:30 AM

Participants: Mayor and Council Members, City Manager, City Attorney, City Treasurer and Marshall Mitchell with the City Attorney's Office

AGENDA

City Manager Items

Discussion on short term and long term strategic financial planning by Marshall Mitchell and Steve Fincher- A presentation was made by Marshall Mitchell wherein the Council gave approval for a formal proposal to be entertained during its July 8th 2013 Council Meeting.

Discussion regarding Police Vehicle Acquisition Possibilities – Chief Colwell presented various alternatives to the present fleet acquisition program including newly discovered attractive lease arrangements. More details will follow including the selling of certain vehicles to the City of Jonesboro.

Compensation Consultant Proposals. The City Manager referred to an emailed exhibit he sent to Council Members this week including a recommendation for engaging a consultant per the proposals previously authorized by the Council. Several members of the Council had not had a chance to read the material and the matter was deferred to the regular Council Meeting on July 8, 2013. It is noted for the record that Mayor Oswalt was not in favor of hiring a consultant and again stated his thoughts that salary range adjustments are not necessary for Department Heads.

Tri City Opportunity Zone Status – The City Manager expressed his concern that as a result of the City Manager retiring at Forest Park, it may put at risk the continuation of a TRI CITY OPPORTUNITY ZONE AND URBAN RE-DEVELOPMENT PLAN.

City Attorney Items

The City Attorney briefed the Council on the present status of SDS/LOST.

The Council publically congratulated Assistant City Attorney Emilia Walker in her handling of the Trailer Park Information Session on June 26, 2013 wherein 40 residents showed up to voice their displeasure of any effort to allow a trailer park to exist again in light of the City's present zoning laws.