

Special Meeting Minutes July 27, 2023

The Regular Meeting of the Bloomfield City Council was held at 6 p.m. in the Council Chambers at 915 N. First Street, Bloomfield, NM. The meeting was in full conformity with the laws and rules of the Municipality.

In attendance were Mayor Cynthia Atencio, Councilor Scott Eckstein, Councilor Kelly Burkholder, Councilor Tony Herrera, and Councilor Dale Walls.

Also present were City Manager George Duncan, City Clerk Crystal Martinez Hornberger, Finance Director Kimberly Simpson, and via zoom City Attorney Ryan Lane.

1. CALL TO ORDER:

Mayor Atencio called the meeting to order at 5:20 pm

2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA:

Councilor Burkholder moved to approve the agenda. Councilor Walls seconded. Approval was unanimous.

3. CLOSED SESSION:

Mayor Atencio called for a motion to go into closed session at 5:21 pm. Councilor Herrera moved to approve. Councilor Eckstein seconded. Councilor Burkholder, Councilor Herrera, and Councilor Eckstein were in favor. Councilor Walls was opposed. Motion passed.

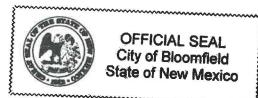
Mayor Atencio called for a motion to return to regular meeting at 5:41 pm stating that nothing was discussed other than what is allowed pursuant to the provisions of the New Mexico Open Meetings Act, New Mexico State Statute Section 10-15-1(H). Councilor Herrera moved to approve. Councilor Burkholder seconded. Approval was unanimous.

4. NEW BUSINESS:

A. Discussion and Possible Approval of Settlement Agreement in Case D-1116-CV-2022-00176-1:22-CV-00233 Tully vs. the City of Bloomfield Councilor Herrera moved to approve a Settlement Agreement. Councilor Burkholder seconded. Approval was unanimous.

5. ADJOURNMENT:

Mayor Atencio called for a motion to adjourn the meeting at 5:44. Councilor Eckstein moved to approve. Councilor Burkholder seconded. Approval was unanimous.



Cynthia Atencio, Mayor

ATTEST:

Crystal L Hornberger, City Clerk