

# **PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE**

**August 2, 2018**

**Meeting Minutes**

## **ROLL CALL:**

Committee Present: Mayor Rocky Sloan, Councilors Doug Edmonds and Eric Niemann.

Committee Absent: None

Staff Present: City Manager Chris Workman, Public Works Director Kevin Fear, Public Works Operations Supervisor Garry Black, and Chris Brugato, Westech Engineering.

Meeting called to order at 5:00pm.

## **APPROVAL OF MINUTES:**

Minutes of May 31, 2018 –

**MOTION:** Councilor Edmonds moved/ Mayor Sloan seconded, to approve the meeting minutes of May 31, 2018. Motion APPROVED 3-0.

## **TREE BOARD:**

### **Other Business**

None.

Tree Board business closed at 5:03 p.m.

## **PUBLIC WORKS BUSINESS:**

### **Water Master Plan Seismic Risk Assessment Discussion**

Chris Brugato explained the addition of the Seismic Risk Assessment chapter that is now required by the state to be addressed in all new master plans. He explained that the state is looking at the “backbone” of the system such as treatment plants, reservoirs and large transmission mains. He stated that the City is in pretty good shape compared to many other cities. He also stated that all new construction will be built to current seismic codes, as they have been in the past.

Councilor Niemann asked Mr. Brugato about water capacity and availability. Mr. Brugato stated that the city has ample water rights; however, they are all not at the plant and accessing them would require a pump station be located downstream at the diversion point identified in the water rights. He also stated that several cities, both small and large, are utilizing aquifer storage and recovery systems (ASR), which allows the city to draw water from the river during the winter months and pump it down wells to store for usage during the summer months.

### **Other Business**

None.

Meeting adjourned at 5:49 p.m.