

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS
BEMIDJI, MINNESOTA
Special Meeting – January 30, 2023

Pursuant to due call and notice, a special meeting of the City Council of the City of Bemidji, Beltrami County, Minnesota, was held on Monday, January 30, 2023 at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers of City Hall, Mayor Prince presiding.

Upon roll call, the following Councilmembers were declared present: Prince, Peterson, Johnson, Rivera, Eaton, Thayer.

Staff Present: City Manager Nate Mathews, City Attorney Katie Nolting, City Engineer Sam Anderson, City Clerk Michelle Miller.

Others: George Hoene

Mayor Prince stated that the purpose of the meeting was to review and discuss a proposed offer for the purchase of property identified as the BNSF parcel.

Motion by Rivera, seconded by Eaton, to close the meeting in accordance with Minnesota Statute Section 13D.05, Subd. 3(b) for the purpose of development or considering offers or counter-offers for the purchase or sale of city property identified as the BNSF parcel. Motion carried by the unanimous voice vote. Meeting closed at 7:01 p.m.

Councilmembers discussed a proposed offer to purchase land identified as the BNSF parcel in closed session. Staff was provided direction to pursue the purchase of the property

Motion by Peterson, seconded by Rivera, to reopen the meeting. Motion carried by unanimous voice vote. Meeting reopened at 7:40 p.m.

ADJOURN

There being no further business, motion by Peterson, seconded by Johnson, to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 7:40 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Michelle R. Miller
City Clerk