

CITY OF BLAINE
ANOKA COUNTY, MINNESOTA
CITY COUNCIL WORKSHOP
Friday and Saturday, November 22 and 23, 2019

Clover Leaf Farm Room
10801 Town Square DR NE

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Ryan at 6:00 p.m. on November 22, 2019.

ROLL CALL

Mayor Tom Ryan, Councilmembers Julie Jeppson, Richard Paul, Jess Robertson, and Dick Swanson.

ABSENT: Councilmembers Andy Garvais, Wes Hovland (Friday only).

Quorum Present.

ALSO PRESENT: City Manager Michelle Wolfe; Community Development Director Erik Thorvig; Public Works Director Jon Haukaas; Police Chief/Safety Services Manager Brian Podany; Finance Director Joe Huss; Public Services Manager/Assistant City Manager Bob Therres; Communications Coordinator Ben Hayle.

3. 2018 Council Retreat.

The Council discussed several following topics at the 2019 Council Retreat including 2020 goals and operations, strategic plan, parks master plan, Trunk Highway 65/frontage road, City Hall remodel status, mission/vision statement adoption, traffic signal policy, budget process, customer service, communications, and others.

City Manager Wolfe stated discussions and direction would be shared with staff for follow up at future workshops.

OTHER BUSINESS

None.

The Workshop adjourned at 11:15 a.m. on November 23, 2019.

Tom Ryan, Mayor

ATTEST:

Catherine M. Sorensen, City Clerk