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ROCKY FORD CITY COUNCIL WORK SESSION

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August 8, 2023

6:00 pm - Museum Board/City Manager Evaluation discussion/Ordinance changes

ROCKY FORD CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING 7:00 p.m. MEETING AGENDA

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Pledge of Allegiance

3. MISSION STATEMENT

Improve the quality of life in the City of Rocky Ford, making it a great place to live and work, while strengthening relationships and creating pride in our community

4. PUBLIC COMMENT

Citizens may address the Council on items that are not on the agenda. Items of a personal nature may not be discussed. Personnel-related matters shall be directed through the appropriate chain-of-command. Please sign in prior to the meeting. Neither Council members nor City staff should be expected to engage in discussions or debate with any speaker. Council may direct staff to follow-up with certain matters. Out of respect for the Council and others in attendance, please limit your comments to three (3) minutes or less

5. STAFF & COUNCIL REPORTS



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6. Any changes to the agenda and/or consent agenda at this time?

CONSENT AGENDA ANNOUNCEMENT:

A Consent Agenda is contained in this meeting agenda. The consent agenda is designed to assist making the meeting shorter and more efficient. Items left on the Consent Agenda may not be discussed when the Consent Agenda comes before the Council. If any Council member wishes to discuss a Consent Agenda item, please tell me now and I will remove the item from the Consent Agenda and place it in an appropriate place on the meeting agenda, so it can be discussed when that item is taken up by the Council. Does any Council Member request removal of a Consent Agenda item?

MOTION TO APPROVE THE AGENDA AND CONSENT AGENDA - ITEMS ON THE CONSENT AGENDA ARE:

- 6.1 Approval of previous meeting minutes for July 25, 2023 minutes.
- 6.2 Application for Renewal of Medical Marijuana License *Rocky Ford Station, LLC, dba The Station, 1701 Elm Ave., Rocky Ford*
- 6.3 Application for Special Event Permit BPOE #1147 Rocky Ford Elk's Club, 301 North 9th Street, Rocky Ford for Lodge open to Public during Arkansas Valley Fair, August 18, 2023 9 a.m. to 2:00 a.m. and August 19, 2023 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 a.m.

7. OLD BUSINESS

- 7.1 Municipal code clarification on Sec. 16-5-60 & Sec. 7-3-70
- 7.2 Mountain States Pipe and Supply New Proposal

8. NEW BUSINESS

8.1 Ordinance #974 -- An Ordinance to Submit to a Vote of the Registered Electors of the City of Rocky Ford, Colorado at a Municipal Election on November 7, 2023, a Question of Whether to Increase the City Sales Tax by One Percent (1%) Per Year for Three Years by Increasing the City Sales Tax Rate from Three Percent (3%) to Four Percent (4%), Which is One Quarter of the Annual Sales Tax Collected, to be Effective January 1, 2024 through December 31, 2027, and Restricting the Use of Revenues from the Additional One Percent Sales Tax as Follows: The Increase Shall be Used to Continue to Repair Streets, Sidewalks and Other Physical Improvements in the City According to a Council Approved Repair Schedule, on second reading

- 8.2 Closing of the Rocky Ford Community Development Account
- 8.3 Consideration of Approval for Ambulance Rocky Ford Fire and Emergency Services Department

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9. PUBLIC COMMENT:

ADJOURN

Adjourn Time
