

# TOWN OF STOCKTON

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## Public Hearing Minutes Town Council Meeting 06-09-2016

The Regular Meeting of Town Council was called to order: 7:00 pm at  
18 N Johnson Stockton, Utah 84074

Pledge of Allegiance Led by-Councilman Thomas Karjola

Town Clerk Fredda Root took Roll Call-

Mayor Mark Whitney-Present  
Councilman Kendall Thomas-Present  
Councilman David Durtschi-Excused  
Councilman Thomas Karjola-Present  
Councilwoman Judy Bori-Present

Town of Stockton Employees Present-  
Crystal Anderson-Treasurer  
Justin Huffman-Fire Chief

Travis Romney- Police Officer  
Johnny Thatcher-Assistant Fire Chief

Public Present-  
Amanda Brown

Resident Present  
Johnette Coe

1. Public Comments-No Public Comments

Motion to Open Public Hearing-Councilman Thomas Karjola  
Seconded-Councilwoman Judy Bori  
All in Favor-  
Motion Carried

2. Public Hearing – Receive and Consider public comment on the following

- A. Proposed Budget 2016-2017  
New Budget 2016-2017 budget was increased;

New Budget 2016-2017 will be on the Town of Stockton's Web site in July

Mark explained all of the incomes for the Town of Stockton 2015-2016.  
You can get a copy of the new budget by coming up to the Town Hall.

B. Reconciliation Budget 2015-2016

In July the Reconciliation 2015-2016 will be on Town of Stockton Web site

C. Tax Rate 2016-2017

New tax rate for 2016-2017 Town of Stockton is .002605-

The new tax rate will give the Town of Stockton \$598.00 extra in revenue

Tax rate for 2015—2016 was .002828

Motion to Close Public Hearing-Councilman Kendall Thomas

Seconded-Councilman Thomas Karjola

All in Favor

Motion Carried

Motion to open General Session-Councilman Thomas Karjola

Seconded-Councilman Kendall Thomas

All in Favor

Motion Carried

Roll Call did not need to be retaken since none of the members of Town Council left.

3. Action Items

A. Approval Meeting Minutes May 12, 2016

Motion to Approve Minutes May 12, 2016-Councilwoman Judy Bori

Seconded-Councilman Thomas Karjola

All in Favor

Motion Carried

B. Check Register May 2016

Motion to Approve-Councilman Kendall Thomas

Seconded-Councilman Thomas Karjola

All in Favor

Motion Carried

C. Financial Bill review for Bills over \$1,000.00 for May 2016

No Bills for the Month of May 2016 over \$1,000.00

D. Sod Farm Event-Amanda Brown from REACH expressed her thanks to Councilman Karjola for all of his assistance with the cleanup for the jousting event on the Sod farm. Councilman Karjola has been working with REACH to decide how to set up parking, jousting area and the camping area. REACH is planning to use water to keep down the dust caused by the jousting. Police Officer Romney had a few concerns about traffic control at the entrance and the exit from the sod Farm.

Motion to accept the event once they have met all of the criteria-Councilman Kendall Thomas  
Seconded-Councilwoman Judy Bori

All in Favor

Motion Carried

4. Ordinances and Resolutions; Policies and Procedure 2016-06-09

- A. Proposed Budget 2016-2017
- B. Reconciliation Budget 2015-2016
- C. Tax Rate 2016-2017

Resolution 2016-06-09

Motion to Accept Resolution 2016-06-09-Councilman Thomas Karjola

Seconded- Councilwoman Judy Bori

All in Favor

Motion Carried

5. Reports of Municipal Officers, Departments and Committees

- A. Mayor Report: Garbage we have new trash receptacles
  1. Parks; Are being maintained and doing well
  2. Roads; Nothing new to report for roads
  3. Garbage Report; Mayor Whitney made the suggestion that we charge a non-refundable deposits on Trash receptacles.
  4. Water Department; There is a crew replacing the sand in the cells at the water treatment plant. The water is flowing very well.
  5. Sewer; everything is function properly
- B. Report Town Council: Councilman Karjola is building a new bench for the courthouse and he said that he had received another shipment of wood for the construction.
- C. Police Report: Officer Romney gave the report; Officer Romney is doing a great job a lot of tickets are being written. 76 traffic stops, 58 tickets issued, 8 arrests. We had reserve officers working 24 hours. Officer Romney had a few suggestions for Ordinances or Resolutions that the Town of Stockton could put into effect to make it easier for him to do his job. New Policy for the Town of Stockton is that every officer will wear their body cam and everything will be recorded.
  - Two new reservists have been brought on board, Ryan Staats and Ryan Oyler; Officer Romney will bring them to meet council as soon as possible.
  - We need a sign to let people know when the park closes
  - Town of Stockton needs a noise ordinance
  - Amend ordinance for weeds, weeds in Town of Stockton are out of control.
  - Amend Ordinance for unlawful burning

E. Planning and Zoning: Councilwoman Judy Bori gave report on Planning Commission Leeroy Garcia lives down on Conner and is doing his salvage business out of his home. Mr. Garcia came before Planning Commission asking for a business license. Mayor Whitney asked Mr. Garcia to please put everything in writing and submit to Planning Commission at next month's meeting.

Joe Denton and Associates own 110 acres west of Rawhide and North of silver. The group wants to put in about 100 homes and wants to annex into Town of Stockton. The Planning Commission was poled and 3 members stated they weren't in favor of the annexation and 2 members of the Planning Commission expressed that they would like to see the plans and then make a decision. The property would be divided into ½ acre lots and 1 acre lots and some 5acre lots. The Planning Commission had some major concerns. The Planning Commission had some major concerns about the dust that the building would create. Also the Town of Stockton doesn't have enough water to support 100 new homes. Town of Stockton also doesn't have the man power to maintain the roads or collect the garbage for 100 homes.

P&Z asked if Denton and Associates would formulate a plan and come back to a Planning Commission meeting.

- A. Codification, including Land Use Development Code prepared by Sterling codifiers  
Discussion and possible decision to approve ordinance, including amendments  
Codification is moving forward and it will be discussed in a public hearing TBD

6. Unfinished Business-Code Enforcement by Committee

7. Adjourn: 8:30

Motion to Adjourn-Councilman Kendall Thomas

Seconded-Councilwoman Judy Bori

All in Favor

Motion Carried

**Final action may be taken in relation to any topic listed on the agenda  
Including without limitation, adoption, rejection, and amendment,  
Addition of conditions, and variation of options discussed.**

June 09, 2016

By Fredda Root, Town Clerk

Public notice provided as follows: posting Town Hall and at the Town Post Office;  
and publications at the Utah Public Notice Web Site

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Mayor Mark Whitney

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Town Clerk Fredda Root