



City of Ann Arbor

Meeting Minutes

City Council

100 N. Fifth Avenue
Ann Arbor, MI 48104
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Monday, December 10, 2007

7:00 PM

G. C. Larcom, Jr. Municipal Bldg. 2nd Flr.

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Hieftje called the Working Session of the Ann Arbor City Council to order at 7:10 p.m.

Present: 9 - Mayor John Hieftje, Councilmember Ronald Suarez, Councilmember Stephen Rapundalo, Councilmember Joan Lowenstein, Councilmember Leigh Greden, Councilmember Marcia Higgins, Councilmember Margie Teall, Councilmember Mike Anglin, and Councilmember Sabra Briere

Absent: 2 - Councilmember Stephen Kunselman, and Councilmember Christopher S. Easthope

WS - WORK SESSION

WS-1 Presentation on County's Open Space Program

Brett Lenart, Planning Services Supervisor, Washtenaw County Planning and Environment, stated he was speaking to City Council on behalf of the Washtenaw Metro Alliance. The Washtenaw Metro Alliance looks at regional planning issues in the jurisdictions surrounding Ann Arbor. Mr. Lenart updated the Council on the efforts of the Washtenaw Metro Alliance to date regarding the Open Space Plan.

WS-2 Report of the Golf Course Consultant

Jayne Miller, Community Services Administrator, introduced Jim Keegan of Golf Convergence, the consultant hired to study the City's golf courses and make recommendations regarding the financial future of the golf courses.

Mr. Keegan presented his study and recommendations regarding the City's golf courses.

Council discussed the report and asked questions of staff and the consultant.

A copy of the study and report is on file in the City Clerk's Office.

PUBLIC COMMENT - GENERAL (3 MINUTES EACH)

None.

CLOSED SESSION TO DISCUSS PENDING LITIGATION AND ATTORNEY / CLIENT PRIVILEGED COMMUNICATION AND/OR LAND ACQUISITION

None.

ADJOURNMENT

Seeing no further business, the Mayor declared the Working Session adjourned at 8:45 p.m.

COMMUNITY TELEVISION NETWORK (CTN) CABLE CHANNEL 16:

LIVE: Monday, December 10, 2007, 7:00 p.m.

REPLAYS: Tuesday, December 11, 2007, 10:00 a.m.

Friday, December 14, 2007, 7:30 p.m.

REPLAYS SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE

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