

Tonasket Parks and Recreation Board

Wednesday, July 15th, 2020 at 6:45 PM

ONLINE ONLY per Proclamation [20-28](#) from the Governor

Call to Order 6:49 PM Click on the following link to join: <https://meet.google.com/wnu-edkj-xkd>

Jordon Weddle, Billie Attwood, Dave Stangland, Rick Massey and Stacey Kester present via online video conference and phone in. Public present is Alisa Weddle and Patti Hill.

Consent Agenda

- [Minutes of previous meeting \(PDF Link\)](#)
- Stacey moves to approve the minutes as corrected, Billie seconds, motion passed unanimously.

Agenda

Hearing from individuals or groups (public comment)

The Board welcomes all present to this meeting. Anyone wishing to speak on an issue will be invited to speak once for up to three minutes. We may or may not discuss your issue at this meeting, more likely we will place it on a future agenda. Though we are unlikely to take any action this evening, we are very interested in hearing your comments.

Finances

1. County Reports
 - a. [Revenue](#) and [Expenses](#)
 - b. Revenue and Expenses reviewed by the board.
2. Invoices and reports from the City
 - a. Revenue and Expense Report, Invoices from the City (TBD)
 - i. This week was the second Tuesday and third Wednesday of the month. The June bills will be with the July bills at the August meeting.
 - ii. No bills this month.
 - b. Pool Repair Update - (Dave)

New Estimate: [Quote](#)

 - i) Dave consulted Joe Dalzel who helped in the construction of the pool.
 - ii) Estimated \$80/ft for the repair.
 - iii) Dave brainstormed on some options. Second opinion? Repair as we go? Volunteer labor?
 - iv) Jordon moves to have Jordon and Dave work with WMS for options to repair the pool. They will also seek second opinions from other vendors, Stacey seconds, passed unanimously.

Old Business

3. Purchasing Benches, AED, Shade Cloth
 - a. [AED Quote](#)
 - i. I heard back from Yvonne at Lifeline AMB and I'm in touch with their distributor.
 - ii. I'll bring a quote as soon as I get it.

- iii. Patti Hill recommended seeking other avenues for a donation: Kiwanis, North Valley Hospital, seeking advice from the Senior Center
 - b. Shade and Benches have been purchased. Invoice to be presented shortly.
4. Planning our Levy ([Resolution 1-2020 Link](#))
- a. For a November election, the submission date is Aug 4th.
 - b. [Assessed Values](#) and [per Thousand](#)
 - c. No levy this November
 - d. February, April and August next year are our options.
 - e. Jordon will find out the details of

New Business

5. Pool Update
- a. Notes from the July 7th and July 13th meeting with the City (TBD)
 - b. Recommendations for pool opening/closing from the meeting.
 - i. Jordon and Billie recap the two meetings.
 - ii. Consensus was that the timeline and hurdles to open made it impossible to open the pool this year.
 - iii. Jordon read the official recommendation and a draft of a press release.
 - iv. Dave moves to accept the recommendation from the 2020 pool collaboration committee to not open the Tonasket Community Pool, Rick seconds, passed unanimously.
 - v. Jordon will send the city an email conveying our support of the recommendation.
 - vi. Billie moves to have Billie and Jordan to compose a letter to the editor to submit to the Chronicle and the Gazette for an update on the pool closure and improvement projects (shade and benches), Dave seconds, passed unanimously.
6. Trail Investigation Update
- a. Rick: would like to seek a grant to fund the installation of a bike repair station at a city park. Jordon moved to approve TPRD support, Billie seconds, passed unanimously.
 - b. Trail maintenance project in the highlands snow park
7. The City of Tonasket: Grant: Safe routes to school - Alisa Weddle
- a. The City's engineer is writing a grant for kids to have safe passage up to school.
 - b. Completion of the sidewalk on Havilla road up to the school athletic fields.
 - c. Completion of a sidewalk on 4th Street between Tonasket Ave and Workosky St (two blocks)
 - d. Would like a letter of support from the Tonasket Park and Recreation District - a form letter was presented.
 - e. Rick moves to accept the wording of support for the Grant, Dave seconds. Motion passes unanimously.

7:45 pm - Executive Session Yes () No (X) *(If yes, see the following page for checklist)*

Adjourn

Meeting adjourned at 8:40 pm

Meetings are scheduled for 6:45pm on the 3rd Wednesday at the District Office of the Tonasket School District 2020 Schedule: Jan 15th, Feb 19th, Mar 18th, Apr 15th, May 20th, Jun 17th, Jul 15th, Aug 19th, Sept 16th, Oct 21st, Nov 18th, Dec 16th

Executive Summary Checklist

(From MRSC.org)

	Requirement	X
Meeting	An executive session can only be held as part of a regular or special meeting.	
Purpose	The presiding officer announces in open session the purpose of the executive session.	
End Time	The presiding officer announces in open session the time the executive session will end.	
Legal Counsel	Legal counsel is present during the executive session, if required.	
Confidentiality	At the start of the executive session, participants are reminded that discussions are confidential.	
Topics	Local governments can discuss the following topics set forth in RCW 42.30.110(1) in executive session:	
	• Matters affecting national security. RCW 42.30.110(1)(a)(i).	
	• Infrastructure and security of agency computer and telecommunications network. RCW 42.30.110(a)(ii). <i>See back of the page.</i> Note: Requires presence of legal counsel.	
	• Real estate sale, purchase, or lease if a likelihood that disclosure would increase the price. RCW 42.30.110(1)(b), (c). If agency is seller/lessor, only minimum price may be discussed & factors influencing price must be discussed in public session. <i>Columbia Riverkeeper v. Port of Vancouver.</i>	
	• Consideration of the minimum offering price for sale or lease of real estate if there's a likelihood that disclosure would decrease the price. RCW 42.30.110(1)(c). <i>See back of page.</i> Note: Final action selling or leasing public property must be taken in open session.	
	• Negotiations on the performance of a publicly bid contract. RCW 42.30.110(1)(d). <i>See back of the page.</i>	
	• Complaints or charges brought against a public officer or employee. RCW 42.30.110(1)(f). Note: At accused's request, discussion must be in open session.	
	• Qualifications of an applicant for public employment. RCW 42.30.110(1)(g). <i>See back of page</i>	
	• Performance of a public employee. RCW 42.30.110(1)(g). <i>See back of page.</i>	
	• Qualifications of an applicant/candidate for appointment to elective office. RCW 42.30.110(1)(h). <i>See back of page.</i>	
	• Agency enforcement actions. RCW 42.30.110(1)(i). <i>See back of page.</i> Note: Requires presence of legal counsel.	
	• Current or potential litigation. RCW 42.30.110(1)(i). <i>See back of page.</i> Note: Requires presence of legal counsel.	
• Legal risks of current or proposed action. RCW 42.30.110(1)(i). <i>See back of page.</i> Note: Requires presence of legal counsel.		
Extended End Time	If the executive session is not completed by the originally announced end time, the presiding officer announces the extended end time in open session before returning to executive session	
Resumption	Open session is not resumed until after the announced end time.	

PRACTICE TIPS*

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An executive session must begin after a regular or special meeting is convened and adjourn before the meeting ends. While an executive session will therefore always be a part of a regular or special meeting, it is possible to hold a special meeting for the sole purpose of holding an executive session.

To start, the chair must announce the executive session to those in attendance at the meeting, including: (1) the purpose of the executive session; and (2) the time when the executive session will end.

Announced Purpose and Topics of Discussion: The announced purpose of the executive session must be one of the statutorily-identified purposes for which an executive session may be held. The announcement must contain enough detail to identify the purpose as falling within the limits of the law.

It would not be sufficient, for example, for a meeting chair to declare simply that the governing body will now meet in executive session to discuss "personnel matters." Discussion of personnel matters, in general, is not an authorized purpose for holding an executive session; only certain specific issues relating to personnel may be addressed in executive session.

Attendance of legal counsel – Legal counsel must be present at an executive session, either in person or remotely via a device that allows two-way communication, to discuss enforcement actions, current or potential litigation, or the legal risks of current or proposed action. "Potential litigation" means litigation that has been specifically threatened to which the agency, the governing body, or a member acting in an official capacity is, or is likely to become, a party; or the agency reasonably believes may be commenced by or against the agency, the governing body, or a member acting in an official capacity. Discussion of the "legal risks" of a current or proposed action can only occur in executive session if public discussion of those legal risks is likely to result in an adverse legal or financial consequence to the agency.

Notes for Specific Discussion Topics

- **Security of computer and telecommunications network** – Governing body may be briefed in executive session about agency cybersecurity issues or data breaches. If a data breach occurs, the agency must comply with breach notification requirements.
- **Contract Performance** – Review of contract performance of publicly bid contracts may only be discussed in executive session when public knowledge of such consideration would likely cause increased costs.
- **Qualifications of an applicant for public employment or review of performance of a public employee** – If the governing body elects to take final action regarding hiring, setting the salary of an individual employee or class of employees, or discharging or disciplining an employee, that action must be taken in open session.
- **Qualifications of candidate for appointment to elective office** – Candidate interviews and final action appointing a candidate to elective office must be in an open public meeting.
- **Collective bargaining sessions** – Collective bargaining sessions with employee organizations are not subject to OPMA requirements and may occur in closed session without following OPMA procedures. This exemption applies to contract negotiations, grievance meetings, and discussions about the interpretation or application of a labor agreement or to that portion of a meeting when the governing body is planning or adopting its strategy during the course of any collective bargaining, professional negotiations, grievance or mediation proceedings, or reviewing the proposals made in the negotiations or proceedings in progress.

Length of Session: If the governing body concludes the executive session before the time stated, it should not reconvene in open session until the time stated. Otherwise, public may, in effect, be excluded from that part of the open meeting that occurs between the close of the executive session and the time when the chair announced the executive session would conclude. If the executive session is not over at the stated time, it may be extended only if the chair announces to the public at the meeting place that it will be extended to a stated time.

Attendance: Attendance at an executive session need not be limited to the members of the governing body. Persons other than elected members may attend the executive session at the invitation of the governing body. Those invited should have some relationship to the matter being addressed in the executive session, or they should be in attendance to otherwise provide assistance to the governing body. Note that if the stated purpose for the executive session is to discuss litigation or potential litigation with the governing body's attorney, the presence of persons at the session who are not governing body members or agency staff may waive the attorney-client privilege.

Minutes: Minutes are not required to be taken at an executive session. If minutes or notes are taken during an executive session, they may be subject to the disclosure requirements of the Public Records Act.

*DISCLAIMER: These practice tips are meant to provide summary information on executive sessions; these tips are not intended to be regarded as specific legal advice. Consult with your agency's attorney about this topic as well.

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