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CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES

JULY 31ST, 2014

Members of the City Council of the City of Crawford, Nebraska, met in special session in the City Hall Council Chambers, 135 Elm Street, Crawford, Nebraska on the 31st day of July, 2014, at 8:30 o'clock a.m. The following individuals were present: Mayor Terrence Haugen, Attorney Adam Edmund, Council Member Dave Kennedy, Council Member Ed Kuhnel and Council Member Karla Adams. Absent: none.

Notice of the meeting was given in advance thereof by publishing in the Crawford Clipper/Harrison Sun as shown by the affidavit of publication filed in the City Clerk's office at City Hall. Notice of the meeting was also given in advance thereof by posting in three public places as shown by the Certificate of Posting available at the City Clerk's office at City Hall. Availability of the agenda was communicated in the advance notice and in the notice of the Mayor and City Council of this meeting. All proceedings hereafter shown were taken while the convened meeting was open to the attendance of the public.

Mayor Haugen called the meeting to order and declared a quorum present at 8:43 a.m. and announced to the public that a copy of the Open Meetings Act is posted on the wall in the Council Chambers. It is also available in pamphlet form.

Council Member Kuhnel read Ordinance 636, amending Section 4-205 Hours of Sale (of alcoholic beverages.)

Council Member Kuhnel made a motion to introduce and waive the three readings of Ordinance 636, amending Section 4-205 Hours of Sale (of alcoholic beverages.) The motion was seconded by Council Member Adams. The following Council Members voted AYE: Kuhnel, Adams and Kennedy. Council Members voting NAY: None. Motion carried.

Sandy Roes of the Panhandle Prevention Coalition presented numerous statistics from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Risk and Protective Factor Survey, UNMC Center for Health Policy and the Office of Highway Safety. She also stated that Dawes County is at a high risk for underage drinking and generally spoke in opposition to the passage of Ordinance 636. Denis Lyons commented on the negative effect of public intoxication, the serious alcohol problem in Dawes County and Crawford, and the message that is being sent.

Council Member Kuhnel made a motion to pass and publish Ordinance 636, amending Section 4-205 Hours of Sale (of alcoholic beverages.) The motion was seconded by Council Member Adams. The following Council Members voted AYE: Kuhnel and Adams. Council Members voting NAY: Kennedy. Motion carried.

Council Member Kuhnel made a motion to approve The Other Bar & Grill to remain open until 2:00 a.m. on August 2, 2014. The motion died for lack of a second. No action was taken.

Council Member Kennedy made a motion to adjourn at 8:56 a.m. The motion was seconded by Council Member Adams. The following Council Members voted AYE: Kennedy and Adams. Council Members voting NAY: Kuhnel. Motion carried.

The July 31, 2014 meeting of the City Council adjourned at 8:56 a.m.

Minutes by:

Approved by:

Jane Dailey
City Clerk

Terrence G. Haugen
Mayor