

# MINUTES OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF LAUREL

February 6, 2007

A special meeting of the City Council of the City of Laurel, Montana, was held in the Council Chambers and called to order by Mayor Ken Olson at 6:15 p.m. on February 6, 2007.

**COUNCIL MEMBERS PRESENT:**

Kate Hart	Doug Poehls
Gay Easton	Mark Mace
	Chuck Dickerson
	Norm Stamper

**COUNCIL MEMBERS ABSENT:**

None

**OTHER STAFF PRESENT:**

Sam Painter	Mark Richards
Mary Embleton	

Mayor Olson asked if anyone wanted to address the council regarding community announcements or any information regarding council business.

Jake Lambrecht, and his wife, Terry, attended the meeting. Jake stated that they are proposing a subdivision on the end of 14<sup>th</sup> Street and Beartooth. They have a preliminary drawing showing about fourteen lots, with the addition of a road and cul-de-sac, which they would annex into the city.

Mayor Olson stated that no council action would be taken.

**APPOINTMENTS TO FILL WARD 1 AND WARD 4 VACANCIES:**

Mayor Olson asked the council president to distribute the ballots for the Ward 1 and Ward 4 vacancies. He instructed each council member to sign and complete the ballot, and the council president collected the ballots and returned them to the mayor. Mayor Olson, with the witness of the attorney, read each alderperson's name and the persons for whom their ballot was cast.

Alderwoman Hart and Aldermen Easton, Poehls, Mace, Dickerson, and Stamper voted for Emelie Eaton (Ward 1) and Vonda Hotchkiss (Ward 4).

Mayor Olson stated that the Emelie Eaton (Ward 1) and Vonda Hotchkiss (Ward 4) were the successful candidates. He thanked everyone who submitted their name for their time and consideration.

Mayor asked the two successful candidates to come forward.

**SWEARING IN CEREMONY:**

Mayor Olson performed the swearing in ceremony for Emelie Eaton, Ward 1, and Vonda Hotchkiss, Ward 4, as alderwomen for the Laurel City Council.

Mayor Olson extended his thanks to Tom Sayre for putting his name in the hat and encouraged him to be active in endeavors for the city.

**ADJOURNMENT:**

There being no further business to come before the council at this time, the meeting was adjourned at 6:23 p.m.

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Cindy Allen, Secretary

Approved by the Mayor and passed by the City Council of the City of Laurel, Montana, this 20<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2007.

Attest:

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Kenneth E. Olson, Jr., Mayor

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Mary K. Embleton, Clerk-Treasurer