



**Agenda for a Regular Scheduled City Council  
Meeting to be held at Conrad City Hall  
Tuesday, May 21, 2024**

**Teleconference Option:**

Link: <https://v.ringcentral.com/join/052364800>

Access Code/Meeting ID: **052364800**

Dial: (650)-419-1505

**5:30 PM** Claim Signing

**6:00 PM** Call meeting to order

Roll Call & Pledge of Allegiance

Read & approve minutes of the May 7, 2024 regular council meeting

**Items for Discussion and/or Action**

1. Action on claims:
2. Correspondence:
3. Water contracts:
4. Public comment: (no action taken)
5. **Public Hearing 6:30:**
  - a. Growth Policy
6. Discussion/Action: Ed's Tavern request for street closure for street dance
7. Discussion/Action: Request for street Closure by PAC
8. Discussion/Action: MCEP grant
9. Discussion/Action: Waiver for business license fees for Whoop Up and Farmers Market
10. Discussion Action. League of Cities Agreement for Financial Services.
11. Discussion Action: Library MOU
12. Discussion /Action: Resolution for the City to cover health insurance cost increase
13. Discussion/Action: Resolution Building Permit cost increase
14. Discussion/Action: Resolution Growth Policy recommendation from Pondera County Planning Commission
15. Discussion/Action: Resolution Growth Policy from DNRC
16. Discussion/Action: Sewer rate adjustment due to leak for Bill Conrad
17. Discussion/Action: Merit Pay increase for clerks:
  - a. Kim Cooney
  - b. Julie Orcut
18. Executive Session: None
19. Other Business:
20. Items for the next agenda:
21. Meeting Adjourned:

RESOLUTION #11-1042

A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING A FIVE MINUTE TIME LIMIT FOR PERSONS ADDRESSING THE CITY COUNCIL DURING THE PUBLIC COMMENT (PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS) PERIOD; PROHIBITING VULGAR, PROFANE, OR IMPERTINENT SPEECH; PROHIBITING RACIST, DISCRIMINATORY AND INCITINGLY VIOLENT SPEECH; AND ALSO LIMITING SPEECH TO MATTERS OF SIGNIFICANT INTEREST TO THE PUBLIC WITHIN THE CITY COUNCIL JURISDICTION.

WHEREAS, it is deemed necessary to maintain the proper decorum of City Council meetings to ensure a safe and orderly forum for public participation; and,

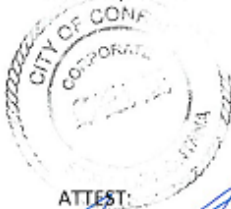
WHEREAS, the City Council Agenda provides a period for "Public Comment"(Petitions and Communications) to allow the public participation by any and all members of the public on any matter of significant interest to the public within the scope of the jurisdiction of the City Council; and,

WHEREAS, proper decorum for City Council meetings requires management of the time, place and manner of public participation while guaranteeing the content-neutrality of such regulations by: 1) establishing a reasonable time limit of five minutes for all persons speaking during the "Public Comment" (Petitions and Communications) period of the Agenda; 2) prohibiting the use of vulgar, profane or impertinent speech; 3) prohibiting racist, discriminatory and incitingly violent speech; and, 4) limiting the "Public Comment" (Petitions and Communications) period to matters of significant public interest within City Council jurisdiction.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CONRAD, MONTANA, AS FOLLOWS:

1. That each person speaking during the "Public Comment" (Petitions and Communications) period of the City Council Agenda shall be limited to five minutes unless specifically authorized to exceed such limit by the Mayor with the concurrence of the City Council; and,
2. That the use of vulgar, profane or impertinent speech is prohibited at City Council meetings; and,
3. That the use of racist, discriminatory and incitingly violent speech is prohibited at City Council meetings; and
4. That the "Public Comment" (Petitions and Communications) period shall be limited to matters of significant interest to the public and that are within the scope of the jurisdiction of the City Council.

PASSED BY THE CITY OF CONRAD COUNCIL AND APPROVED BY THE MAYOR THIS 21<sup>ST</sup> DAY OF MARCH, 2011.



ATTEST:

Agnes Ann Fowler, Finance Officer

APPROVED:

John P. Shevlin, Mayor

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