City of Kenmore
City Council Regular Meeting
Minutes
June 20, 2011

CALL TO ORDER - Mayor David Baker called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

Councilmembers present: Mayor David Baker, and Councilmembers John Hendrickson, Laurie Sperry, and Allan Van Ness.

Councilmembers excused: Deputy Mayor Milton Curtis, Councilmember Glenn Rogers and Councilmember Bob Hensel

Staff present: Nancy Ousley, Assistant City Manager; Joanne Gregory, Finance Director; Cliff Sether, Police Chief; Rod Kaseguma, City Attorney; and Lynn Suskin, City Clerk

FLAG SALUTE

Leroy Anenson led the flag salute.

AGENDA APPROVAL

Councilmember Laurie Sperry moved to approve the agenda as submitted. Mayor David Baker seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

CONSENT AGENDA

Councilmember Laurie Sperry moved to approve the consent agenda as submitted. Mayor David Baker seconded the motion to approve the Minutes of the May 9, 2011 Regular Council Meeting; Accept March 2011 Financial Reports for the City of Kenmore; and Authorize the City Manager to Execute Contract No. 11-C946 with the Kenmore Heritage Society to Permit the Organization to Purchase and Sell Flags which Display the City's Copyrighted Logo. The motion passed unanimously.

CITIZEN COMMENTS

Leroy Anenson, 5016 NE 194th Place, Lake Forest Park, was present to provide a brief overview on the history of the Kenmore flag.

PROCLAMATION

Honoring Kenmore Resident, Knut Einarsen – Mayor David Baker, on behalf of the entire Council, read the proclamation honoring a "hero right in our backyard," Knut Einarsen.

BUSINESS AGENDA

Adopt Ordinance No. 11-0327, an Ordinance of the City of Kenmore, Washington, Amending Chapter 6.05 of the Kenmore Municipal Code to Add a New Section 6.05.275 Making it Unlawful

to Fail to Remove Animal Waste on Public Property or Private Property of Another, and Fixing an Effective Date - Nancy Ousley, Assistant City Manager was present to provide a brief staff report. She distributed and reviewed an Animal Waste Regulations Jurisdiction Comparison table. She was also available to answer any questions.

Councilmember Laurie Sperry moved to adopt Ordinance No. 11-0327, an Ordinance of the City of Kenmore, Washington, Amending Chapter 6.05 of the Kenmore Municipal Code to Add a New Section 6.05.275 Making it Unlawful to Fail to Remove Animal Waste on Public Property or Private Property of Another, and Fixing an Effective Date. Councilmember Allan Van Ness seconded the motion.

Discussion followed.

Mayor David Baker moved to amend the main motion to include language that would exempt service dogs in harness. Councilmember Laurie Sperry seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Councilmember Allan Van Ness moved to adopt as amended Ordinance No. 11-0327, an Ordinance of the City of Kenmore, Washington, Amending Chapter 6.05 of the Kenmore Municipal Code to Add a New Section 6.05.275 Making it Unlawful to Fail to Remove Animal Waste on Public Property or Private Property of Another, and Fixing an Effective Date. Councilmember Laurie Sperry seconded the motion. The motion failed 3 – 1 with Councilmember John Hendrickson voting no.

Mayor David Baker explained that it failed because in order for an ordinance to pass, there needs to be a majority vote of the entire Council.

COUNCILMEMBER COMMENTS/REPORTS

Councilmember John Hendrickson discussed a development in the City of Brier in regard to its detention vault. He stated that he would like to know if our City is taking responsibility and ownership of detention vaults in large developments.

ADJOURNMENT

Mayor David Baker adjourned the regular meeting at 7:42 p.m.

Mayor David Baker

ATTEST:

Lynn Suskin, City Clerk