

Moscow City Council



Regular Meeting ~Agenda~

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Tuesday
February 20, 2024

7:00 PM

Council Chambers
206 E. Third St.

The Moscow Mayor, City Council and Staff welcome you to tonight's meeting. This meeting is open to the public. We appreciate and encourage public participation. For regular agenda items, an opportunity for public comment is sometimes provided after the staff report. However, the formality of procedures varies with the purpose and subject of the agenda item; therefore, the Mayor may exercise discretion in deciding when to allow public comment during the course of the proceedings and limitations may be placed on the time allowed for comments. Citizens wishing to comment on business that is not on the agenda will be provided the opportunity to do so during the public comment item on the agenda. If you plan to address the Council, you will find a list of "Tips for Addressing the Council" in the door pocket outside the City Council Chambers. Please note that Moscow City Council meetings are televised, videotaped and/or recorded. Links to view the City Council meeting live can be found on the City website, YouTube, Facebook and Spectrum Cable 1301. Thank you for your interest in City government.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

CONSENT AGENDA

1. All Consent Items (ACTION ITEM)

A. Approval of Moscow City Council February 5, 2024 Minutes - Laurie M. Hopkins

B. Disbursement Report January 2024 - Sarah Decker

Staff presented the January 2024 Accounts Payable Report to the Public Works / Finance Committee on February 12, 2024. The Committee received the report and approved the disbursements as presented.

ACTION: Accept the Disbursements Report for the month of January 2024.

C. Approval of Resolution to Continue Participation in the Internet Crimes Against Children Unit Task Force - James D. Fry

Det. Mowery is a full-time affiliate member of the Idaho Internet Crimes Against Children (ICAC) Task Force, which is overseen by the Idaho Office of the Attorney General (OAG) under the executed Memorandum of Understanding on July 1, 2018, and August 19, 2019. The OAG has solicited the City to execute a Revised Interagency Agreement to replace the previously executed Memorandum of Understanding. The City is requesting authorization for the Mayor to sign this Agreement and Appendices A, B, C, and D, and any amendment to the Appendices of this Agreement. This was reviewed by the Public Works/Finance Committee on February 12, 2024, and recommended for approval.

ACTION: Approve the Resolution for the Mayor to sign the Interagency Agreement for the ICAC Unit Task Force Agent and Appendices A, B, C, and D and any amendment to the Appendices of this Agreement.

D. Approval of Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between the City of Moscow Police Department and Homeland Security Investigations - James D. Fry

Det. Mowery is a full-time affiliate member of the Idaho Internet Crimes Against Children (ICAC) Taskforce, which is overseen by the Idaho Office of the Attorney General. His investigations are focused on ICAC cases, many of which are prosecuted in the federal courts. The Attorney General's Office's ICAC employees and affiliates are obtaining their federal credentials to assist in investigating and prosecuting ICAC cases. The federal credentials allow for many benefits in these cases, including warrant service and returns, resources, equipment, and data collection. Homeland Security Investigations (HSI) is the criminal investigative branch of U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement. HSI is not involved with enforcing immigration laws but is directed to enforce federal criminal statutes nationwide. The Idaho Attorney General's Office is requesting the City enter into this MOU for the sole purpose of Det. Mowery to continue investigating ICAC cases. This was reviewed by the Public Works/Finance Committee on February 12, 2024, and recommended for approval.

ACTION: Approve the MOU between Homeland Security Investigations and the Moscow Police Department to enable Det. Mowery to obtain federal credentials to investigate ICAC cases.

REGULAR AGENDA

- 2. Mayors Appointments (ACTION ITEM)**
- 3. Public Comment and Mayor's Response Period (limit 15 minutes)**
- 4. Stormwater Program Report - Kyle Steele / Steve Schulte**
- 5. Set FY2025 Budget Hearing Date (ACTION ITEM) - Bill Belknap**

Per Idaho Code 63-802(A) the City is required to notify Latah County of the public hearing date for the City's annual budget no later than April 30 each year. Staff is requesting that the Council officially set the date for the FY2025 Budget hearing for August 5, 2024, so the Notification of Budget Hearing form can be completed and returned to the Latah County Auditor's Office as required.

PROPOSED ACTIONS: Set August 5, 2024, as the public hearing date for the City of Moscow FY2025 budget, or take other action deemed appropriate.

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