

CENTER TOWN BOARD
SPECIAL MEETING
JANUARY 30, 2025
6:00 P.M.

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Mayor Gallegos	P
Mayor Pro Tem Beiriger	P
Trustee Lopez	P
Trustee Gonzales	P
Trustee Sanchez	P
Trustee Barela	P
Trustee McClure	P

CORRECT MINUTES FROM DECEMBER 17, 2024 – Cole said that under advisement of counsel we need to correct the motion to have the hearing scheduled for January 28, 2025. Cole read the changes to the minutes out loud. Trustee McClure asked Attorney Trujillo who was present by phone what state statues that allow to correct minutes that have been approved. Attorney Trujillo stated that they can be corrected at any time to reflect accuracy. Trustee McClure said that he had caught the mistake but not one Board member corrected the minutes. Attorney Trujillo said that he is advising the Board to make the correction if they would agree to. Trustee Sanchez asked if they would read the correction as part of the motion: Attorney Trujillo read a motion concerning the violation of Colorado Constitution Article XIII, Section 3 and C.R.S. Section 31-4-307, it is up to a Board member to make the motion regarding a hearing for the removal of Trustee McClure. The hearing was scheduled for January 28, 2025 at 6:00 p.m. Further Attorney Trujillo read the procedures and possibility of a different course of actions against Mr. McClure. Attorney Trujillo read the charges against Trustee McClure that CIRSA has presented. Attorney Trujillo explains the amount of statutes broken with Trustee McClure using such behavior and discrimination against Code Enforcer Orlando Rascon concerning Hispanic ethnicity. Trustee McClure at a regular Board meeting on November 12th admitted to the use of the ethnic slur and continued to use the ethnic slur during the meeting. Attorney Trujillo read the process of removal if they vote to move forward. Trustee McClure explains that this incident didn't happen in a work environment, it happened in his home. Trustee McClure added that we should know the facts before moving forward. Saul Hurtado comments that Trustee McClure is a board member inside town hall and out. That is his responsibility as a board member. A motion to proceed with the actions against Trustee McClure was made by Trustee Lopez, and seconded by Trustee Gonzalez. Roll Call Trustee McClure-no, Trustee Gonzales-yes, Trustee Barela-yes, Trustee Lopez-yes, Mayor Gallegos-yes, Mayor Pro-Tem Beiriger-yes, Trustee Sanchez-yes. Motion Carries

a motion to proceed with the amended correction to the December 17th meeting as read by Trustee Lopez, seconded by Trustee Gonzales. Roll Call – Trustee McClure –n, Mayor Pro-Tem Beiriger – y, Trustee Sanchez – y, Mayor Gallegos –y, Trustee Gonzales – y, Trustee Lopez – y, Trustee Barela – y. Motion Carries.

AJDOURNMENT

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Trustee Lopez, seconded by Trustee Gonzales. Roll Call – All in favor. Motion Carries. The meeting adjourned at 6:22 p.m.

Submitted by,

Rose Marie DeHerrera – CMC
Town Clerk

Daniel Gallegos
Mayor