

GREATER MAPLE VALLEY UNINCORPORATED AREA COUNCIL

MINUTES OF MEETING – November 7, 2022

The monthly regular meeting of the GMVUAC held at the KC Precinct 3 meeting room and virtually via Zoom was called to order by Hiester at approximately 7:02 PM on Monday, November 7, 2022.

Roll Call: Present: Hiester, Rimbos, Buchanan, Harvey, Neuner, Haynes, Iverson, and Hansen.

Absent, But with Designated Proxy: N/A

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Resignation: N/A

Logistics Note: The meeting was held in person and virtually over Zoom.

Agenda Items:

Addition agenda item:

- Add Grant discussion.

Motion: Haynes- Move to approve agenda. Second: Rimbos, Approved – All.

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1. Public Comments (7:05):

- Val Paganelli – Tahoma is making sure to include GMVUAC when they are trying to get input from the community. We should be seeing a Tahoma Board Member coming to our meetings. The person assigned has never shown up to date. Iverson will be on a committee for Tahoma security and a committee for Budget finance.

2. King County Budget – Dwight Dively (PSB Director) (7:10):

- Quick overview of the budget:
 - 60+ services.
 - 16,700 employees.
 - 15.8 billion
- Bi-annual budget, currently working on the 2023-2024 budget.
- 140 different funds, each with its own restriction.
- The general fund is the only flexible source of money, around 15% of the budget.
- Largest budget- charges for services.
- Taxes are 28% of the budget.
- Also get grants/ debt etc.
- Metro is the largest budget around 20% of the total.
- Waste water
- Community and human service – growing cost.

- Criminal justice.
- 45 million in bonds for affordable housing.
- 28.5 million for fish culverts.
- 180 million for fully electric bus line.
- 43 million to build zero emission facilities.
- 2.1 million co- responder service.
- 9 million for reducing gun violence.
- Additional roads staffing.
- American Rescue Plan around 2 billion for covid assistance- some of this has yet to be spent.
- General fund revenues around 2.2 billion for next 2 years.
 - Only 1.3 billion if you remove what other governments pay us for services such as sheriff.
- 57% is property tax.
- General fund appropriations:
 - 21% is sheriff.
 - 75% goes to criminal legal administration.

Council Business (8:19)

1. KC PBRS Ordinance:
 - Rimbos:
 - Sent out an email this morning.
 - They are enhancing the PBRS system.
 - Public hearing December 16, 2023.
 - Do we want to go in as a Joint Team to support the PBRS enhancement.
 - This was discussed and a motion was made:

Motion: Iverson- Motion to have Executive Committee vote on the Joint Team letter after we have had time to review the letter. Second: Rimbos.

Approved – Hiester, Rimbos, Buchanan, Harvey, Neuner, Haynes, Iverson, and Hansen.

Opposed- Haynes.

2. Train show:
 - Hiester:
 - Around 800 people attended the Train Show.
 - More exhibits than we have had before.
 - Had a pizza and desert food truck.
3. By-Laws Changes:
 - Hiester:
 - In February we drafted changes to the by-laws.
 - Election.
 - New members.
 - Joint Team.

- Guiding principles.
- This was discussed and a motion was made.

Motion: Rimbo- Motion to adopt by-law changes. Second: Haynes. Approved – All

4. Grants:
- Hiester:
 - Train Show- Hiester will write.
 - Website maintenance- will not resubmit.
 - Public outreach- Hiester will write.
 - Grants are due December 2, 2022.

Updates to Committee Reports:

Executive: Iverson is on the Tahoma School District Security and Budget Finance Committees; he will be speaking as an individual.

PR: Sean Kelly, Mayor of Maple Valley, would like to come to a meeting so he can give an update.

Joint Team: N/A

Growth Management: N/A

Environment: N/A

Transportation: Haynes gave update on the Ravensdale intersection.

Hiester adjourned the meeting at approximately 9:26 PM.

Minutes by Hansen.