# CITY OF SEDRO-WOOLLEY

Study Session of the City Council June 1, 2022– 6:00 P.M. Hybrid Meeting

## **Call to Order**

Mayor Julia Johnson called the meeting to order at 6:00 P.M.

## **New Business**

- Confirmation of Daniel McIlraith to the Position of Police Chief with Authorization for the Mayor to Negotiate and Sign an Employment Agreement. Police Chief spoke to the Council about his experience and accomplishments. He also fielded questions from Councilmembers. A motion was made by Councilmember Sarah Diamond and seconded by Councilmember Joe Burns to Confirm Daniel McIlraith to the position of Police Chief and to authorize the Mayor to negotiate and sign an employment agreement. Motion carries (7-0).
- 2. Check-In Regarding Discussion About Resolution 1088-22, in Objection to Mandated Vaccines. After much discussion and debate, a motion was made by Councilmember Nick Lavacca, and seconded by Councilmember Brendan McGoffin to move forward with a vote to either approve or deny Resolution 1088-22. There was clarification made that a yes vote was to approve the resolution and a no vote was to deny the resolution. Motion did not carry (3-4).
- 3. City Council Strategic Planning Session Follow-Up and Next Steps. City Administrator Charlie Bush reviewed topic discussed at a recent Council Working Retreat and if Council would like to focus on 3 topics from the retreat to focus on moving forward. After much discussion, it was decided by Council to work on the following three goals in 2022: economic development, recreation, and housing/diversified housing. Council prefers a roundtable discussion, and a special meeting was set for June 29 to map out the goals and work on details.

## For the Good of the Order

The Mayor informed Council that on the evening of June 22, 2022, they will be meeting at 5:30 P.M. to go through Safety Training before the start of the Regular Council Meeting, which begins at 6:00 P.M.

#### Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 7:05 P.M.

ATTEST:

Kelly Kohnken, Finance Director

APPROVED:

Julia Johnson, Mayor

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