

**CHISHOLM CITY COUNCIL  
WORKING SESSION – NOVEMBER 18, 2024**

**CALL TO ORDER**

Council President Cheyenne Mikkola-Rahja called the City Council Meeting to order in the City Hall Council Chambers at 5:30 p.m.

Present: Council Members Marty Halverson, Cheyenne Mikkola-Rahja, April Fountain, Jed Holewa, and Travis Vake.

Absent: Mayor Adam Lantz

Also Present: City Administrator Stephanie Skraba, Clerk-Treasurer Devin Ceglar, Building Ambulance Director Tiffany Larson, Police Captain James Vukad, Official Mandy Galli, Public Works Supervisor Larry Folstad, Parks/Trails/Recreation Director Bridgit Maruska, Library Supervisor Katie Christenson, and Confidential Administrative Assistant Susan Trunk

**ADOPT THE AGENDA**

Moved by Councilor Vake and supported by Councilor Holewa to adopt the agenda.

Voting Aye: Councilors Halverson, Mikkola-Rahja, Fountain, Holewa, and Vake

Voting Nay: None

Absent: Mayor Lantz

Motion Carried

**2025 BUDGET**

The council discussed the overall summary of the proposed budget worksheets. Data included the 2022, 2023, and current 2024 budgets as well as the requested 2025 budget. Council discussed the aging emergency vehicle fleet and public safety needs including unsupported radios that need replacement. Other items under discussion were the janitor's position, campground host/manager, City Hall tenants, increase of fees from Precious Paws, and the OPEB/Retiree health insurance costs.

**ADJOURN WORKING SESSION**

Moved by Councilor Vake and supported by Councilor Holewa to adjourn the Working Session at 8:20 pm.

Voting Aye: Councilors Halverson, Mikkola-Rahja, Fountain, Holewa, and Vake

Voting Nay: None

Absent: Mayor Lantz

Motion Carried

Attest:

/s/ Adam Lantz, Mayor

/s/ Stephanie Skraba, Administrator