

TRIMONT COUNCIL MINUTES

Pursuant to due call and notice thereof, a Special meeting was duly held at the Trimont Community Building on the 24th day of January, 2022 at 5:30 o'clock P.M.

The following members were present: Mayor Thomas Hage, Council Member Brian Krumwiede, Council Member Jon Holtz, Council Member Bruce Bortrager, and Council Member JoAnn Russenberger.

Mayor Thomas Hage presided over the meeting.

Meeting was opened with the Pledge of Allegiance

Discussion took place around the public works interviews that took place on January 22, 2022 and how the personnel committee asked Jason Becker @ 5:30 pm and Kurt Nelson @ 6pm for the second open interviews with council.

The council proceeded to ask questions proceeding on with second open interview for Jason Becker starting at 5:35pm. Interview ended at 5:45 pm.

The council proceeded to ask questions proceeding on with second open interview for Kurt Nelson starting at 5:50pm. Interview ended at 6:00pm.

Council discussed to close the meeting to discuss both applicants for the open Public Works fulltime position. **Motion made by Council Member Bruce Bortrager to close the meeting to discuss the applicants for the public works fulltime position, seconded by Council Member Jon Holtz. Motion Carried.**

Motion made by Council Member JoAnn Russenberger to open the meeting back up, seconded by Council Member Bruce Bortrager. Motion Carried.

Motion made by Council Member Bruce Bortrager to hire Kurt Nelson @ \$23/hr. plus benefits with a one-year probation period, and 1.5% increase July 1, 2022, seconded by Council Member JoAnn Russenberger. Motion Carried 3 to 1 with Council Member Brian Krumwiede voting nay.

Motion to adjourn made by Council Member Bruce Bortrager, seconded by Council member Jon Holtz. Motion carried.

Signed, Thomas Hage, Mayor

Attest: Brenda Nielsen CGW, Interim City Clerk