



**City of Newport
City Council Special Council Meeting Minutes
October 23, 2014**

1. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Geraghty called the meeting to order at 5:30 P.M.

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

3. ROLL CALL -

Council Present – Tim Geraghty; Tom Ingemann; Bill Sumner; Tracy Rahm; Steven Gallagher

Council Absent –

Staff Present – Deb Hill, City Administrator; Curt Montgomery, Police Chief; Fritz Knaak, City Attorney;

Staff Absent – Bruce Hanson, Supt. of Public Works; Mark Mailand, Fire Chief; Renee Eisenbeisz, Executive Analyst;

4. CLOSE THE MEETING TO THE PUBLIC TO REVIEW THE PERFORMANCE OF, AND COMPLAINTS AGAINST, NEWPORT POLICE OFFICERS MUELLNER, CRIST, AND MCARDELL, AND CONSIDER THE POSSIBLE IMPOSITION OF DISCIPLINE PURSUANT TO MN STATUTES CHAPTER 13D.05, SUBD. 2, PARAGRAPH B

The City Council closed the meeting to the public at 5:31 p.m.

The City Council considered the investigative data regarding the pending complaints against Officers Mueller, McArdell, and Crist and their performances, specifically as to the factual matters related to and alleged in the complaints. The Council determined that further discipline may be warranted in all three instances and referred the matter for further action by the City Administrator and staff. None of the three officers involved requested the hearing be open.

5. ADJOURN

The October 23, 2014 Special City Council meeting adjourned at 6:19 p.m.

Signed: _____
Tim Geraghty, Mayor

Respectfully Submitted,

Renee Eisenbeisz
Executive Analyst