



**MINUTES
SPECIAL MEETING OF THE
DIXON CITY COUNCIL**

MONDAY, DECEMBER 13, 2010

Reception for Outgoing Councilmember Kay Fulfs Cayler from 6:00-7:00p.m. in the City Hall Lobby.

1. **CALL TO ORDER**

The Special Meeting of the Dixon City Council was called to order in the Council Chambers by Mayor Jack Batchelor, Jr. at 7:00 p.m.

2. **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mayor Jack Batchelor, Jr.

3. **ROLL CALL**

Present: Councilmembers Dave Besneatte, Kay Fulfs Cayler, Michael Ceremello,
Vice Mayor Rick Fuller, Mayor Jack Batchelor, Jr.

Absent: None

4. **PRESENTATIONS/ PROCLAMATIONS/ RECOGNITION**

4.1 Recognition of Outgoing Councilmember Kay Fulfs Cayler.

Mayor Batchelor read and presented the proclamation to Councilmember Kay Fulfs Cayler.

Nancy Huston, City Manager, presented Councilmember Cayler with flowers and thanked her for her service.

California State Assemblywoman Mariko Yamada expressed her great affection for the City of Dixon, noted it was an honor and privilege to be present to recognize Councilmember Cayler, and presented her with a personal letter of appreciation.

5. **AUDIENCE/PUBLIC COMMENT (NON-AGENDA ITEMS)**

5.1 Byron Chapman noted that installation of the ADA Parking for the Pardi Market site approved on November 3, 2010, is taking too long.

6. **ITEMS FROM THE CITY COUNCIL**

6.1 Councilmember Cayler offered special thanks to her husband, Russ Cayler, for patience, support, and staying up late on Council meeting evenings.

6.2 Vice Mayor Fuller thanked Councilmember Cayler for her work at the dais, behind the scenes, and with service organizations while serving with honor and dignity.

6.3 Councilmember Besneatte noted that Councilmember Cayler is a very kind, wonderful person, her husband is a genuine hero, and although they disagreed many times, it has never been personal.

6.4 Mayor Batchelor held Councilmember Cayler in high regard, was proud to have served with her, and noted she served admirably with honor, integrity, and honesty.

6.5 Councilmember Cayler noted that she was proud to have served with Mayor Batchelor, as well.

To incoming Councilmember Thom Bogue, in saying he would follow Councilmember Ceremello's lead, she noted there are serious consequences for determining ahead of time who to follow.

She presented Councilmember Besneatte with a three minute egg-timer, noting it was not to hinder free speech, but an effort to help him limit redundancy.

Councilmember Cayler expressed her joy in being part of the City Council and working with highly skilled and experienced staff, and expressed concern that staff members were often subject to verbal attacks.

She expressed concern about the cancer of negativity growing in Dixon, the complaints that every glass in Dixon is half empty and it is all the City's fault, and attitudes that eat away at the City, it's organizations, people, businesses, the future of institutions, and promote an attitude of "can't do" rather than "can do" within the City.

7. **ITEMS FROM THE CITY TREASURER**

None.

8. **APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

There was no discussion on this item.

A motion was made by Vice Mayor Fuller, seconded by Councilmember Cayler, to approve the agenda as submitted. Roll call was taken as follows:

AYES: Besneatte, Cayler, Ceremello, Fuller, Batchelor
NOES: None
ABSTAIN: None
ABSENT: None

9. **CONSENT CALENDAR**

There was no discussion on this item.

A motion was made by Councilmember Cayler, seconded by Councilmember Besneatte, to approve the Consent Calendar. Roll call was taken as follows:

AYES: Besneatte, Cayler, Ceremello, Fuller, Batchelor
NOES: None
ABSTAIN: None
ABSENT: None

9.1 Approved the City Council Minutes for the November 23, 2010 Meeting.

10. **PUBLIC HEARINGS** None.

11. **UNFINISHED BUSINESS** None.

12. **NEW BUSINESS**

12.1 Adopt Resolution accepting the Solano County Registrar of Voters certification of the Statement of Vote from the November 2, 2010, General Municipal Election.

There was no discussion on this item.

A motion was made by Vice Mayor Fuller, seconded by Councilmember Ceremello, to adopt Resolution No. 10-193 accepting the Solano County Registrar of Voters certification of the Statement of Vote from the November 2, 2010, General Municipal Election. Roll call was taken as follows:

AYES: Besneatte, Cayler, Ceremello, Fuller, Batchelor
NOES: None
ABSTAIN: None
ABSENT: None

13. **OTHER AGENCY BUSINESS** None.

14.. **ITEMS FROM THE CITY ATTORNEY** None.

15. **ITEMS FROM THE CITY MANAGER**

Nancy Huston, City Manager, thanked Councilmember Cayler and wished her the best.

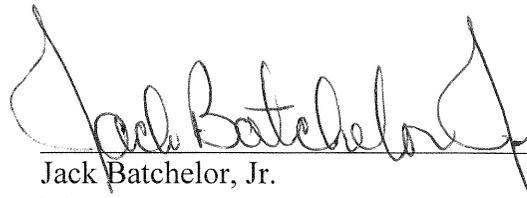
16. **CLOSED SESSION** None.

17. **ADJOURNMENT**

The Special Meeting of the Dixon City Council was adjourned at the hour of 7:18 p.m.



Sue Johnston
Deputy Clerk



Jack Batchelor, Jr.
Mayor