

Minutes of the Centerville **City Council Work Session** held Tuesday, August 6, 2024 at 5:30 pm, with participants present at City Hall, 250 North Main Street.

# **MEMBERS PRESENT**

Mayor Clark Wilkinson

Council Members  
 Cheylynn Hayman  
 Robyn Mecham  
 Brian Plummer  
 Gina Hirst  
 Spencer Summerhays

# **STAFF PRESENT**

Brant Hanson, City Manager  
 Lisa Romney, City Attorney  
 Jennifer Robison, City Recorder  
 Marc Marchant, Streets Supervisor  
 Mike Carlson, Public Works Director  
 Mike Eggett, Community Development Director  
 Haley Turner, Community Services Manager  
 Allen Ackerson, Centerville Police Chief  
 Bruce Cox, Parks and Recreation Director  
 Nate Plaizier, Finance Director  
 Sydney DeWees, Planner  
 Kevin Campbell, City Engineer  
 Dane Stone, South Davis Metro Fire Chief

# **DISCUSSION – TRAFFIC CALMING**

Public Works Director Mike Carlson presented findings regarding traffic calming measures, with a focus on 100 South and 400 East. Various solutions and their implications for traffic calming were extensively discussed. Mr. Carlson noted issues with speed bumps, including noise complaints, pollution increase, and possible calls for their removal after installation.

City Engineer Kevin Campbell presented four alternative traffic calming measures: speed bumps, speed feedback signs, striping with double yellow lines, and curb extensions. The efficacy, potential costs, and disadvantages of each option were debated.

Police Chief Allen Ackerson brought up Kaysville's comparative policy approach and explained how citizen input leads to official studies. They emphasized the importance of patrol presence and detailed enforcement data and concerns with speed bumps from a police perspective.

South Davis Metro Fire Chief Dane Stone expressed safety concerns related to emergency response times being delayed by speed bumps, potentially costing vital seconds that are critical in emergencies. He also mentioned the wear and tear on fire and medical emergency vehicles and equipment.

1 After discussions, the Council collectively leaned towards developing a traffic calming  
2 policy before implementing individual measures for 100 South:

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4 **PARKS DEPARTMENT REPORT**

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6 Parks and Recreation Director Bruce Cox presented a detailed report on the ongoing  
7 training within the Parks Department. The report included information on attendance at the Utah  
8 Cemetery and Parks Association annual conference, and several other in-house trainings  
9 covering equipment operation and safety practices.

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11 **ADJOURNMENT**

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13 At 6:58 pm, Councilmember Summerhays **moved** to adjourn the work session.  
14 Councilmember Hirst seconded the motion, which passed by unanimous vote (5-0).

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18 Jennifer Robison  
19 Jennifer Robison, City Recorder

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Date Approved

