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Minutes for the Woodburn City Council Meeting on December 31st, 2021:

The meeting began at 12:00pm with the Pledge of Allegiance. In attendance was Mayor Kelsey, Clerk-Treasurer Cummins as well as Councilmen Gerig, Thompson, Watts, and Voirol. Superintendent Walls, Chief Parker as well as Councilmen Martin were not present.

Chief's Report: Nothing to report.

Superintendent's Report: Nothing to report.

Mayor's Report: The Mayor gave an update on current City plans going into the 2022 calendar year.

Clerk-Treasurer's Report: The warrants were presented. After discussion, Councilman Watts moved to pay the warrants as presented, second by Councilman Voirol, all present in favor. The Clerk-Treasurer discussed that Officer Evans has had deductions from his payroll that were intended to be paid into the 77 fund through INPRS, but given that he was not able to become officially enrolled until December 12th of this year, his previous deductions were not eligible for contribution into the 77 fund. This also takes away the potential for the City to match for those pay periods. After discussion, Councilman Thompson moved to pay Officer Evans all former payroll deductions as well as reverse any City match reserved for the 77 Fund on his behalf, second by Councilman Gerig, all present in favor. Councilman Watts suggested that Council consider the potential for allowing Officer Evans a catch up period to recover a portion, or possibly, the entire amount that he would have had access to, should he been enrolled in INPRS at the beginning of his employment with the City. Decisions will be made at the next meeting. The Clerk-Treasurer handed out annual forms for signatures from the Council.

Councilmen's Report: Councilman Thompson asked about any ideas on what can be done to help support local business within the community.

Audience: Nothing to report.

Councilman Voirol moved to adjourn the meeting, second by Councilman Thompson, all present in favor. Meeting was adjourned at 12:35pm.

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