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Minutes for the Woodburn City Council Meeting on February 21st, 2022:

The meeting began at 7:00pm with the Pledge of Allegiance. In attendance was Mayor Kelsey, Clerk-Treasurer Cummins, Superintendent Walls as well as Councilmen Voirol, Watts, Thompson (via phone), Gerig, and Martin. Chief Parker was not present. Sarah and Pat with the Allen County Department of Planning Services were also present.

Chief's Report: Nothing to report.

Superintendent's Report: There is a water leak on Becker Road that will be repaired later this week. The Superintendent explained that he has water meters on back order and that the Council may want to consider what can be done in the event of a meter shortage in the future. Councilman Watts proposed using the summer meters instead if the meter tops can be secured. The Superintendent will look into that possibility and report back at the next meeting.

Mayor's Report: Nothing to report.

Clerk-Treasurer's Report: The meeting minutes were presented from the February 7th meeting. After discussion, Councilman Gerig moved to accept the minutes from the February 7th meeting as presented, second by Councilman Thompson, all in favor, except Councilman Watts, who abstains. The warrants were presented. After discussion, Councilman Voirol moved to pay the warrants as presented, second by Councilman Gerig, all in favor. The Clerk-Treasurer presented end of year finances. This included fund balances, revenue and expense guidelines, and bank reconciliation information for the year. December of 2021 was corrected for \$183.52.

Councilmen's Report: Nothing to report.

Audience: A resident explained that he had a larger utility bill this month and had determined that the water consumption was water that was not treated by the sewer system and was asking Council to consider adjusting the sewer portion of his bill. After discussion, Councilman Watts moved to adjust the sewer portion of his bill to reflect his average use for all affected months, second by Councilman Voirol, all in favor. Sarah and Pat went over details regarding the All-In-Allen Comprehensive Plan, in particular how land use exists currently and what might change in the future. Suggestions were presented by the Board.

Councilman Voirol moved to adjourn the meeting, second by Councilman Gerig, all in favor. Meeting was adjourned at 8:26pm.

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