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Minutes for the Woodburn City Council Meeting on November 20th, 2023:

The meeting began at 7:00pm with the Pledge of Allegiance. In attendance was Mayor Kelsey, Clerk-Treasurer Cummins, Superintendent Walls, Chief Parker as well as Council Members Sarrazine, Gerig, and Watts. Council Members Martin and Thompson were not present.

Chief's Report: Nothing to report.

Superintendent's Report: Nothing to report.

Mayor's Report: The Mayor had brought up the previously mentioned issue regarding the non-payment of the Milan Township to the Havenwood HOA and is awaiting a conclusion from that initial meeting. The Mayor gave an update on the signage at the front of the industrial park and is waiting for the work to be done. Regarding the work being done on Roemer Drive, the Mayor explained different options that will be implemented as part of a cost savings measure there. The Mayor explained a project to widen the bridge near Roussey Road on Woodburn Road that will allow for a trail in the future.

Clerk-Treasurer's Report: The meeting minutes were presented from the November 6th meeting. After discussion, Councilman Watts moved to accept the minutes from the November 6th meeting as presented, second by Councilwoman Sarrazine, all present in favor. The warrants were presented. After discussion, Councilman Watts moved to pay the warrants as presented, second by Councilwoman Sarrazine, all present in favor. The Clerk-Treasurer presented a potential list of meeting dates for the 2024 calendar year. After discussion, there were no suggested changes to incorporate into the list.

Councilmen's Report: Councilwoman Sarrazine asked about an update regarding the sidewalk at the railroad crossing. The Mayor mentioned that he has been in touch with Congressman Jim Banks' office and is hoping for a resolve here in short order. Regarding Kevin's request for a MacBook and ancillary equipment in the amount of \$4,547.95 that was presented at the last meeting, Councilman Watts moved to proceed with a not-to-exceed figure of \$4,600, pending approval by the City's IT group, Reliance, specifically Kaleb, second by Councilwoman Sarrazine, all present in favor. Councilwoman Sarrazine asked if there was an update regarding the Lifewise proposal. Councilman Watts explained that there was no updated news to share at this time.

Audience: Nothing to report.

Councilman Watts moved to adjourn the meeting, second by Councilwoman Sarrazine, all present in favor. Meeting was adjourned at 7:33pm.

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