

MINUTES
Intergovernmental Affairs Committee

July 19, 2021 – 4:00 p.m.

Call to Order: Chair Robyn Denson called the meeting to order. Committee members Tracie Markley, Le Rodenberg and Mayor Kuhn were present at roll call; City Staff: Interim City Administrator Tony Piasecki, Public Works Director Jeff Langhelm and Interim City Clerk Joshua Stecker; Gordon Thomas Honeywell Lobbyists: Dale Learn, Josh Weiss and Annika Vaughn.

Approval of Minutes: The minutes of March 22, 2021 were unanimously approved.

Discussion Items:

- 1. Update on 2021 Interim Plan** – Josh Weiss gave an update of activities on the 2021 Interim Plan. The committee discussed potential goals for the 2022 legislative agenda, including a potential capital funding request of up to \$1.5 million. Public Works Director Jeff Langhelm will bring back capital funding options to the committee at the next meeting. Josh Weiss estimated that the City may be able to ask for a larger allocation in 2023.
- 2. Update on Federal Appropriation Requests** – Dale Learn reported on activities at the federal level. The City is still awaiting determination on 2021 earmark requests. He noted that the City should be preparing for earmark requests in 2022. The committee discussed potential opportunities for future earmark requests.

Adjourn: The meeting adjourned at 4:56 p.m.

Joshua Stecker, CMC
Interim City Clerk