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City Commission Work Session

Mayor Stebbins presiding

CALL TO ORDER: 5:30 P.M.

ROLL CALL: City Commissioners present: Dona Stebbins, Bill Beecher, Sandy Hinz, Diane Jovick-Kuntz and John Rosenbaum. Also present were the Assistant City Manager, Directors of Community Development, Planning, Public Works, Police Chief, Fire Chief, Park and Recreation, Acting Fiscal Services Director and the City Clerk.

1. LEGISLATIVE ISSUES

Alec Hansen, Executive Director for the Montana League of Cities and Towns, reported on legislative issues that Montana League of Cities and Towns members would discuss at the annual conference, October 4-6, 2006.

The issues pertained to finance policies that pertained to the entitlement program and the ability for cities and towns to levy a local option tax. Additionally, the League was watching the eminent domain issues, water quality issues and tax increment financing issues.

There was a brief discussion regarding the information Mr. Hansen provided.

ADJOURN

There being no further discussion, Mayor Stebbins adjourned the work session of August 15, 2006, at 6:47 p.m.

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