

August 1, 2022
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THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LEWISTON, IDAHO, met in a Special Session at the Bell Building Second Floor Conference Room at 215 D Street. Mayor Johnson called the meeting to order at 5:36 p.m.

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I. CALL TO ORDER

COUNCIL MEMBERS PRESENT: Mayor Johnson; Councilor Liedkie (5:40 p.m.); Councilor Forsmann; Councilor Schroeder (5:36 p.m.); Councilor Tousley; Councilor Kleeburg;

II. DISCUSSION ITEMS:

A. HOMELESS SHELTERS:

Community Development Director Von Tersch reported that there were some concerns by Council when discussing the low barrier shelters. The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the zoning shelter areas and to determine if there need to be any changes.

After discussion, Councilors directed staff to mail cards to property owners and use the information to determine whether a subcommittee is needed. The letter would inquire if property owners would be interested in using their location for a homeless shelter. Councilors Schroeder, Tousley, and Forsmann volunteered to be on a subcommittee, if needed.

Community Development Director Von Tersch reiterated that she would put together a mailing list and letter; circulate it for feedback from Council, and distribute it to property owners in the related zones. The letter would inquire if property owners would like their property to be considered for a homeless shelter and if so, when it would be available. Ms. Von Tersch estimated it would take about 3-4 weeks before an update would come back to Council.

Councilor Kleeburg excused himself at 6:31 p.m.

III. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Lewiston City Council, Councilors Forsmann and Tousley moved and seconded, respectively, to adjourn the August 1, 2022 Special Session. The motion carried 4-0 and the meeting adjourned at approximately 6:36 p.m.