

SPECIAL MEDINA CITY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES OF MARCH 26, 2013

The City Council of Medina, Minnesota met in special session concurrently with the Medina Planning Commission and Medina Park Commission on March 16, 2013 at 6:00 p.m. at the Hamel Community Building to conduct Nonpoint Education for Municipal Officials through the University of Minnesota Extension Service.

I. ROLL CALL

Members present: Anderson, Pederson, and Weir.

Members absent: Crosby, Martinson

Also present: City Administrator Scott Johnson, Assistant to City Administrator Jodi Gallup, Public Works Superintendent Steve Scherer, and City Planner Dusty Finke

II. Improving Water Quality through Effective Stormwater Management: The Connection to Local Land Use Decisions

John Bilotta, University of Minnesota Extension, provided information to the participants through the Watershed Game and discussed local resource concerns and challenges. City Planner Dusty Finke and Public Works Director Steve Scherer provided an update on the highlights of recent water quality projects in Medina.

The meeting ended with a discussion on policy issues. Staff received direction to look into maintaining stormwater ponds in subdivisions, the need for access easements for stormwater projects, and encouraging developments to use low maintenance alternatives for grass areas.

III. ADJOURN

Adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

Elizabeth Weir, Acting Mayor

Attest:

Scott Johnson, City Administrator-Clerk

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