## **COUNCIL OF THE WHOLE MINUTES**

**Topic: Council Committees** February 12, 2024

Council President Thad Eikenbary called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. and noted the topic was council committees.

Kallas, Bowers, Agler, Dettrow, Moore and Marshall were present. Ringwald was absent.

Kallas stated that the committee meetings are rarely held and suggested doing away with the committee system. He believes that there is a more effective way to communicate between the members.

Agler stated how most council members come to a committee meeting anyway and he is in favor of doing away with the committees and having a Council of the Whole meeting when necessary.

Bowers stated she believes it is best to keep the committees as research can be done prior to bringing it before the entire council.

It was also discussed that special committees could be made on an as needed basis and then dissolve that committee upon completion.

No decision was made.

Meeting was adjourned at 6:25 p.m.

Clerk of Council

Lisa K. Hartsock

Council President

Thad R. Eikenbary

February 26, 2024 DATE