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a great place to live, work, and visit”**

**CITY OF SAFFORD  
COUNCIL MEETING SUMMARY  
Monday, July 13, 2015 @ 6:00 PM  
Safford Library Program Room, 808 S. 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Safford, Arizona**

**PRESENT:** Wyn “Chris” Gibbs, Mayor; Mary Bingham, Vice Mayor; Kenneth Malloque, Gene Seale, Arnold A. Lopez, James D. Howes and Richard Ortega.

**STAFF PRESENT:** Horatio Skeete, City Manager; Leslie Norton, Executive Secretary; Dennis Whisman, Police Captain; Randy Petty, Public Works Director/City Engineer; Lance Henrie, Assistant Public Works Director/City Engineer; Dustin Welker, Planning and Community Development Director; Jenny Howard, Utilities Director; Terry Quest, Finance Director; Alma Flores, Accounting Administrator; Leanne McElroy, Library Director; Cliff Davis, Human Resources Officer; Sam Napier, I.T. Administrator; and Georgia Luster, City Clerk. Dale Clark assisted with the audio recording of the meeting.

**OTHERS PRESENT:** Elder Jonathon Stailey; John Howard; Thomas Biggs, Chairman of Graham County Chamber of Commerce; and members of a Boy Scout Troop. Ralph Score, Valley TeleCom Group, video recorded the meeting.

1. **WELCOME AND CALL TO ORDER:** Mayor Gibbs called the meeting to order at 6:00:21 p.m.
2. **ROLL CALL:** A quorum of the Council was present (7).
3. **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG:** Mayor Gibbs led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.
4. **OPENING PRAYER:** Elder Jonathon Stailey offered the Opening Prayer.
5. **CITIZEN COMMENTS ON AGENDA ITEMS: NONE**
6. **NEW AND OLD BUSINESS:**
  1. **Review of and approval of June 8 and June 22, 2015, Council Meeting Minutes. There were no revisions to the meeting minutes. MOTION ADOPTED**
  2. **Approve June 8, 2015 executive session minutes. MOTION ADOPTED**

**7. RESOLUTIONS:**

1. Consider adopting and approving Resolution Number 15-026 making levy for taxes at \$0.5316 for each one hundred dollars (\$100.00) of the Assessed Valuation of Property subject to Taxation within the City of Safford for Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 2016. MOTION ADOPTED
  
2. Consider adopting and approving Resolution Number 15-027 approving and authorizing the Mayor to execute an Intergovernmental Agreement (IGA) between the City of Safford and the State of Arizona, Department of Revenue, for the administration, collection, audit, and licensing of transaction privilege taxes, use taxes, severance taxes, jet fuel excise and use taxes and rental occupancy taxes imposed by the State, Cities or Towns. MOTION ADOPTED

**8. CONTRACTS, AGREEMENTS, BIDS:**

1. Consider approving a "Rental Service Agreement" with Mission Linen Supply (Mission) for the rental and laundering of all linen, industrial, dust control items and all other products and services provided by Mission. The term of the agreement will be for a period of one (1) year with the option to extend the agreement for an additional four (4) one-year extensions not to exceed a period of five (5) years (60 months). MOTION ADOPTED
  
2. Consider approving an Agreement for Contracted Service by and between the Chamber of Commerce Agreement and the City of Safford and authorizing the Mayor to execute Contract. MOTION ADOPTED