

CITY OF ST. FRANCIS
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ANOKA COUNTY

CITY COUNCIL WORK SESSION NOTES
MARCH 9, 2020
5:30 P.M.

Call to Order/Roll Call

The Work Session was called to order at 5:30 pm by Mayor Steve Feldman.

Roll Call: Present were Mayor Steve Feldman, Council members Robert Bauer, and Kevin Robinson. Council members Joe Muehlbauer arrived at 5:40 pm and Sarah Udvig excused. Also present were City Engineer Craig Jochum, Anoka County Commissioner Matt Look, Congressman Tom Emmer's Representative Stacy Morse, City Administrator Joe Kohlmann, and Community Development Director Kate Thunstrom.

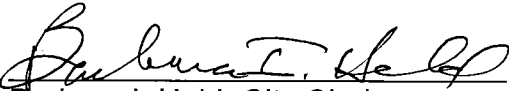
Highway 47 Improvements

Staff presented on the project, providing timelines, grant information, potential project schedule, location of the roundabouts, and municipal consent. The Council discussed the matter and consulted Commissioner Matt Look who was in attendance. The Council discussed potentially delaying the project and the issue of the grant applications was discussed if the project was delayed. Council discussed the Safe Routes Grant and HSIP Grant applications. After a long discussion on the project, it was determined that the project as proposed should not move forward, especially if the City had to endorse the project. Direction was provided to Staff to set up a meeting with the Commissioner of MNDOT to discuss salvaging any potential project in the future. In addition, Staff was directed to contact the representative from MNDOT and notify them of the decision not to proceed forward with the project as currently proposed by MNDOT.

Adjournment

Mayor Feldman adjourned the work session at 7:15 pm.

Submitted by,


Barbara I. Held, City Clerk