

**WORK SESSION MINUTES  
TUESDAY – MARCH 8, 2016  
6:00 P.M.**

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 6:10 p.m.

Roll Call: Members present were Mayor White, Councilmembers Cerven, Dunn, Faulkingham, Greenberg, Wolf and Wood.

DISCUSSION OF SUSTAINABILITY COMMISSION'S TOP 10 PRIORITIES FOR NEXT YEAR. THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL NEED TO DETERMINE WHICH OF THESE PRIORITIES ARE THEY INTERESTED IN SEEING COMPLETED IN THE NEXT TWO YEARS: After discussion, the Council agreed on the following:

- Continue the EPA green power community challenge program
- Offer educational programs to improve citizen participation in composting, recycling and rain water use
- Work towards the installation of a solar powered electric car charging station in the Marietta lot and at City Hall
- Determine the costs involved with starting a bike sharing program

DISCUSSION OF WALKABILITY STUDY: The Council reviewed the study but no action was taken.

DISCUSSION OF JOINT SENIOR CITIZENS COMMISSION WITH THE CITIES OF BRENTWOOD, CLAYTON, MAPLEWOOD AND RICHMOND HEIGHTS: The Council agreed this is an excellent idea. Names of nominees for the commission are to be submitted to Mayor White.

DISCUSSION OF PROPOSED FEE INCREASES FOR THE AQUATIC CENTER, RENTALS OF PAVILIONS, BALLFIELDS AND SAND VOLLEYBALL COURTS: After discussion, the Council agreed with the proposed fee increases.

DISCUSSION OF IMPROVING WALKWAY FROM MARIETTA PARKING LOT TO SUTTON BLVD.: The Council asked to see a rendering of the proposed improvements. No further action was taken.

The Council agreed to observe the summer and holiday Council meeting schedule unless an additional meeting is needed. The summer meeting dates will be June 14, July 12 and August 9 and the meeting dates in November and December would be November 8 and December 13.

Mr. Corcoran asked if the Council liked the idea of putting a piano in Sutton Loop Park, similar to what is done at the 16<sup>th</sup> street mall in Denver. The Council was in favor.

The Council was not in favor of changing the city's current ordinance that would allow package liquor stores in the Central Business District.

The meeting adjourned at 7:25 p.m.