

The pledge of allegiance was recited to begin the workshop.

The Springville City Council met in a workshop session in the Springville Council Chambers on August 27, 2018. Mayor Shebetka called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. Council members present: Brad Merritt, Dennis Thies, Lyle Andersen, Jeff Grimley and Mareta Ralston. City Staff present: Interim City Clerk Dee Wagaman. Guests: Treva Davis, Sherri Werling and Pat Hoyt Sr.

Andersen made a motion to approve the agenda, second from Thies. Motion carried.

Mayor Shebetka started the discussion on nuisance abatement. He would like to see a policy change with a letter reminding the citizen, second letter if needed would outline how the city is able to abate the nuisance. If no response would like to see the attorney get involved. Discussion from council about how they will start to identify the nuisances. They will come back to the September 10, 2018 meeting to discuss specific nuisances and direct Clerk's office how to proceed.

Mayor Shebetka started the discussion on pet nuisances by bringing up his thoughts on pet licensing. The council discussed this option with input from the guests present. They will bring this topic up at a public hearing to get the community's input on this. They discussed briefly the feral cats in the community. Council agreed that something needs to be done, but this is a very costly situation to control. Ideas included getting in touch with local farmers to see if they have need or are willing to take some of the stray cats if we can get them trapped.

Mayor Shebetka started the discussion on re-opening Water Street, by saying that he would like to see Water Street opened as a one-way road. The council discussed and agreed that this would be a good option to make it a one-way going South from the Legion parking lot. They feel this would be a safer option than coming out of the public parking on Broadway Street where the angle parking is. They could go down Water Street and come onto Broadway from 2nd Avenue. Hoyt discussed his concerns with this option. This topic will need to be brought in front of the community in a public hearing.

There being no further discussion, Thies moved to adjourn at 7:23 p.m., second from Andersen. Motion carried.

Roger Shebetka, Mayor

ATTEST:

Dee Wagaman, Interim City Clerk

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