



**TALENT CITY COUNCIL**  
**STUDY SESSION MINUTES**  
 – HELD AT COMMUNITY CENTER & VIA ZOOM -  
 104 E. Main Street  
**May 29, 2024 - 5:30 PM**

*Study Session, Regular Council & TURA meetings are digitally recorded and will be available on the City website: [www.cityoftalent.org](http://www.cityoftalent.org).*

**1. Call to Order/Roll Call at 5:40 PM**

| <b>Members Present:</b>  | <b>Members Absent:</b>                    |
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| Mayor Ayers-Flood<br>Councilor Paré-Miller<br>Councilor Byers<br>Councilor Pastizzo<br>Councilor Collay  | Councilor Greider<br>Councilor Ponomareff |
| <b>Also Present:</b>   |   |
| Gary Milliman, City Manager<br>Dave Lohman, City Attorney<br>Jennifer Snook, Police Chief<br>Hector Flores, Community Engagement Director<br>Tessa DeLine, Finance Director<br>Nick Shubert, Community Development Planner |   |

**2. Committees and Commissions Summit Training**

The Talent City Council, along with city committees and commissions, attended a training session conducted by the League of Oregon Cities.

Presenters Jayme Pierce and Robin Klein covered basic procedures for committees and commissions, including developing an agenda, noticing, minutes, making a motion, and sending recommendations to the council.

Presenters also discussed new hybrid meeting requirements and public engagement rules.

The session concluded with a question-and-answer period where committee and commission members voiced their concerns about personal exposure in Freedom of Information requests.

The presenters advised all attendees to avoid using personal emails for meeting business and to create a new email account specifically for committee communications.

**3. Feedback for Future 5<sup>th</sup> Wednesday Meeting**

Discussion centered on additional training sessions at future 5<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays. Several dates and topics were briefly discussed.

#### 4. Adjournment at 7:35 PM

Respectfully submitted by:

  
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Hector Flores, City Recorder

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