

PITKIN TOWN WORK SESSION

October 3rd 2022, 7:00pm

Newcomb Community Center

MINUTES

1. **Call to Order/Roll Call:** Mayor Eddy Balch called the work session to order at 7:01pm. Trustees Lucinda Lull and Tom Gibb were present. Trustees Chris Nasso and Jerra Garetson were absent. Minutes taken by Clerk Sara Gibb.

2. **For Council Discussion*:**

- Discuss Town of Pitkin Parking Ordinance

Clerk Sara Gibb reached out to the Municipal Clerks' Listserve as well as to several municipalities directly to inquire about parking ordinances and did not receive any responses.

Mayor Eddy Balch reported that in CB South there is an ordinance that prohibits all on-street parking but that the HOA encourages on-street parking in the commercial district. Mayor Balch asked what the Board views as enforcement options for a parking ordinance. Trustee Tom Gibb stated that the larger rigs do not tend to use the side streets due to their size. He does not believe the current proposed enforcement (mailing a letter, etc.) is not timely. He would like to hear the reason why this type of ordinance is necessary. Trustee Lucinda Lull agreed. She asked why the town needs the ordinance and where would the town put the cars and trucks? She asked how the Town would enforce this ordinance. Trustee Tom Gibb said that the Town has streets that should be expanded to their full potential. Mayor Balch shared that the Town has received a request for widening 4th Street from Main to State to its full width for parking.

Speak to forest service regarding increasing parking at the staging area, walking tour?

Public comments: Ramon Reed

3. **Dismiss: Meeting adjourned at 7:25pm**

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