

MINUTES

Eugene City Council
Harris Hall, 125 East 8th Avenue
Eugene, Oregon 97401

January 19, 2016
7:30 p.m.

Councilors Present: George Brown, Betty Taylor, *Alan Zelenka via phone*, George Poling, *Mike Clark via phone*, Claire Syrett

Councilors Absent: Greg Evans, Chris Pryor

Mayor Piercy opened the January 19, 2016, City Council public hearing.

1. **PUBLIC HEARING: An Ordinance Providing for Withdrawal of Annexed Properties from the Santa Clara Fire District, the Santa Clara Water District, the Willakenzie Rural Fire Protection District, and the Junction City Water Control District.**

There was no testimony on this item.

2. **PUBLIC HEARING AND ACTION: An Ordinance Concerning State Law Consistency; Amending Chapter 4 (Offenses) and Chapter 5 (Traffic); and Providing an Effective Date**

There was no testimony on this item.

3. **PUBLIC HEARING: Proposal to Name Amazon Headwaters Property the "Erin Noble Headwaters Park"**

1. Mary Beth Llorens – Supported renaming of the property; Erin was instrumental in its protection.
2. Elaine Weiss – Supported renaming of the property as a good way to honor a special person.
3. Ross Kanaga – Supported renaming of the property; detailed Erin's qualities and contributions.
4. Charlie Tebbutt – Supported renaming of the property; recognition will help his memory live on.

Council discussion:

- This would be a very fitting type of memorial.
- Erin was quite a remarkable young man.
- Erin was a special person and stood for positive change in this special place.

MOTION AND VOTE: Councilor Taylor, seconded by Councilor Syrett, moved that the Amazon headwaters property acquired by the City in November 2014 be named the Erin Noble Headwaters Park. **PASSED 6:0**

The meeting adjourned at 7:46 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Chuck Crockett
Deputy City Recorder