

Missoula City Council Public Safety and Health Committee Minutes

February 24, 2021

2:45 PM

ZOOM Webinar

Members present: Stacie Anderson (chair), John P. Contos, Mirtha Becerra, Heather Harp, Julie Merritt, Jesse Ramos, Amber Sherrill, Sandra Vasecka, Heidi West

Members absent: Jordan Hess, Gwen Jones, Bryan von Lossberg

1. ADMINISTRATIVE BUSINESS

1.2 Approval of the Minutes

Correction of minutes for February 3, 2021. The vote on Ms. Vasecka's gun resolution was YES-3, NO-8, ABSENT-1. Minutes are approved.

3. COMMITTEE BUSINESS

3.1 Contract with EPICC, LLC for renovations at the Catlin St. Police Facility

Chief of Police Jaeson White requested approval for the Mayor to sign a contract for renovation of the Catlin Street police facility. Funding request is for \$237,000. Funds will be used to add a locker room, shower and secured parking facility.

Chief Jaeson White gave an update on the roll-out the new 10/40 shift schedule which began February 1st. Results are exceptional. He states that it makes our ability to respond to incidents much greater and allows officers to engage in a lot more pro-active activity, and not just in enforcement, but also in more positive community contacts.

Moved by: Heidi West

approve and authorize the Mayor to execute and sign a contract with EPICC, LLC for renovations at the Catlin St. Police Facility

AYES: (6): Stacie Anderson, Mirtha Becerra, Heather Harp, Julie Merritt, Amber Sherrill, and Heidi West

NAYS: (3): John Contos, Jesse Ramos, and Sandra Vasecka

ABSENT: (3): Jordan Hess, Gwen Jones, and Bryan von Lossberg

Vote results: Approved (6 to 3)

4. ADJOURNMENT

3:07 p.m.