

## Adopted Minutes Special Council Meeting January 11, 2011

Mayor Slavik called a Special Meeting of the Plymouth City Council to order at 5:30 p.m. in the Medicine Lake Room, 3400 Plymouth Boulevard, on January 11, 2011.

COUNCIL PRESENT: Mayor Slavik, Councilmembers Johnson, Stein, Black, and Bildsoe.

ABSENT: Councilmembers Murdock and Willis.

STAFF PRESENT: City Manager Ahrens, Police Chief Goldstein, Deputy Fire Chief Springer, Community Development Director Juetten, Recreation Superintendent Evans, Planning Manager Senness, and City Clerk Engdahl.

ALSO IN ATTENDANCE: Representatives from Hennepin County: Sheriff Stanek, Inspector Storms, County Commissioners Stenglein and Johnson, and Director of Intergovernmental Relations Westerman.

### Hennepin County's 911 Emergency Communications Facility

Hennepin County Sheriff and Inspector Storms provided an overview to the Council regarding the proposed 911 emergency communications facility that would be located on the site of the Hennepin County Correctional Facility off Shenandoah Lane North. The County considered a number of locations for this facility, and this site was determined to be the best site as it's centrally located in the County, it fits their criteria, and it will support all the equipment that would be on site. This project is in the County's five-year capital improvement program and would be replacing a 60-year old facility currently located in Golden Valley. The County has received \$500,000 in federal funding and is applying for other funds including \$30 million in the State bonding bill. The project will also be included in County bonding funds and will proceed without the assistance from the State if that would be the case. The proposed time frame for this project is preparing and completing the schematic design phase in 2011, constructing the facility in 2012-2013, and occupying the facility in 2014. The County would be conducting informational meetings with the adjacent neighborhoods and would be monitoring the traffic from this site. The majority of the traffic is 70 staggered shift employees and emergency vehicles that are there for repair only. Emergency vehicles wouldn't be dispatched from this facility, but only in the case of an emergency which would be very rare. If that would be the case, sirens wouldn't be activated until after the vehicles have left the neighborhood. At this time, there are no other plans for the remainder of their property.

Councilmember Black asked if they foresee any improvements to the intersection of County Road 6 and Shenandoah Lane North. Inspector Storms replied they would analyze this during the traffic study.

Community Development Director Juetten stated staff met with County staff yesterday and has the same preliminary design that was provided to the Council this evening. Staff would provide more information to the Council as the County proceeds with the schematic design/planning process.

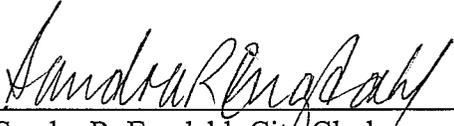
### Future Study Sessions

The Council amended and/or set the following study sessions:

1. January 18 study session: Changed the meeting time to 5:30 p.m. and added the Council Chambers renovation project to the agenda.
2. February 8 at 5:30 p.m. to discuss transit system and Public Improvement Special Assessment Policy.

### Adjournment

Mayor Slavik adjourned the meeting at 6:23 p.m.

  
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Sandra R. Engdahl, City Clerk