

**MINUTES  
CITY OF LEXINGTON  
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING  
AUGUST 1, 2024 – 7:00 P.M.  
9180 LEXINGTON AVENUE**

**1. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**2. CALL TO ORDER:** – Mayor Grote

- A. Roll Call - Council Members: DeVries, Murphy, Winge and Benson

*Mayor Grote called to order the Regular City Council meeting for August 1, 2024, at 7:00 p.m. Councilmembers present: Benson, Devries, Murphy, and Winge Also Present: Bill Petracek, City Administrator; Erik Edwards, Fire Chief and Members of Lexington Fire Department; Jim Mork, Police Chief and Members of Centennial Lakes Police Department; Brent Baker, Allina Health; Various family members and Lexington citizens; Quad Press*

**3. CITIZENS FORUM**

*No citizens were present to address the Council on items not on the agenda.*

**4. APPROVAL OF AGENDA WITH CHANGES AND CORRECTIONS**

*Councilmember Devries made a motion to approve the agenda without changes or corrections. Councilmember Winge seconded the motion. Motion carried 5-0.*

**5. ALLINA HEALTH LIFESAVER AWARD PRESENTATION**

**Lexington Fire & Centennial Lakes Police Departments**

*Brent Baker, Allina Health Emergency Medical Service, was in attendance to award members of Lexington Fire Department and Centennial Lakes Police Department “Lifesaver Awards” on behalf of Allina Health EMS for resuscitating an individual in Lexington during a 911 medical call. The members that were awarded Life Saver awards were:*

*Ray Hernandez – CLPD Police Officer  
Seamus Linderholm – CLPD Police Officer  
Nolan Wahlberg – CLPD Police Sergeant  
Erik Edwards – Lexington Fire Chief  
Jeffrey Geiger – Lexington Firefighter  
Zach O’ Connel – Lexington Firefighter  
Amanda McCarthy – Allina Paramedic  
Kay Empe – Allina EMT*

**6. INFORMATIONAL REPORTS:**

- A. Airport (Councilmember Devries) – *No report*
- B. Cable Commission (Councilmember Winge) *Quarterly meetings – No report*
- C. City Administrator (Bill Petracek) – *No report*

**7. LETTERS AND COMMUNICATIONS:**

- A. Centennial Lakes Police Department Media Reports 7-17 through 7-22, 2024
- B. Council Workshop meeting minutes – July 18, 2024
- C. Public Notice – Election Public Accuracy Test

*No discussion on Letters and Communications*

**8. CONSENT ITEMS:**

- A. Recommendation to Approve Council Minutes:  
Council Meeting – July 18, 2024
- B. Recommendation to Approve Claims and Bills:  
Check #'s 51823 through 51860  
Check #'s 15306 through 15323  
Check #'s 15291 through 15302

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*Councilmember Murphy made a motion to approve the consent agenda items.  
Councilmember Devries seconded the motion. Motion carried 5-0.*

**9. ACTION ITEMS:**

- A. Recommendation to approve Business License Renewals

*Councilmember Murphy made a motion to approve Business License Renew.  
Councilmember Devries seconded the motion. Motion carried 5-0.*

**10. MAYOR AND COUNCIL INPUT**

*Councilmember Devries stated that the light on the west entrance sign is flickering.  
Discussion ensued.*

*Councilmember Murphy thanked Lexington Fire and Centennial Lakes Police  
Department for their service.*

*Mayor Grote discussed the upcoming “National Night Out.”*

## **11. ADJOURNMENT**

*Councilmember Grote made motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:11 p.m.  
Councilmember Murphy seconded the motion. Motion carried 5-0.*