

**TECHNOLOGY TASK FORCE
REGULAR MEETING MINUTES
June 8, 2022**

CALL TO ORDER

Pursuant to due call and notice thereof the meeting of the Technology Task Force of the City of Rosemount was called to order on June 8, 2022 at 6:33 p.m. in the City Hall Conference Room.

Attendees included Task Force Members: Mohammad Khan, Steve Thoennes, Samuel Mwangi, Jeff Feeder, and Tim Bornholdt

Staff present included the following;

- GIS Coordinator Aaron Menza
- City Administrator Logan Martin

City Council present included the following;

- None

Additional attendees present included the following;

ADDITIONS OR CORRECTIONS TO AGENDA

None

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion by Thoennes **Second** by Bornholdt

Motion to approve the minutes of the May 11, 2022 Technology Task Force meeting.

Ayes: 4

Nays: 0. Motion carried.

PRESENTATIONS

None

NEW BUSINESS

4.a Project Brainstorming

The taskforce held a discussion on which projects they would like to approach, and which projects would make the biggest impact on the community. The taskforce reviewed the City Council's strategic goals and identified the 'Connecting and Engaging the Community' topic as the best fit for their projects.

Taskforce member Kahn mentioned the idea of hosting a technology expo/networking event where local tech companies, governments, and residents could gather to discuss tech initiatives and projects. Task force members mentioned partnering with the Chamber of Commerce, Dakota County Technical College, neighboring cities, and counties. Task force members also discussed

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partnering with the Parks and Recreation Department to create community classes for topics such as coding, building websites, 3D printing, and others.

Taskforce member Thoennes suggested that the City pursue hiring a consultant to do an IT security audit. The task force discussed having IT staff attend a future meeting to further discuss this idea.

Taskforce member Feeder mentioned current IT challenges within the Fire Department. Taskforce members recommended that the group follow up on this discussion at a future meeting.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

City Administrator Martin updated the taskforce on progress being made with Bird micromobility scooters. He mentioned that the City Council recently discussed the opportunity at a work session and that they are generally supportive but have asked staff to further research current ordinances and liability issues.

GIS Supervisor Menza updated the task force on current electric vehicle (EV) charging station activities in the City. He mentioned that City attorneys have reviewed the contract with EMS regarding the installation of stations around the City and that City staff is currently reviewing those comments. He also mentioned that City planning staff is currently researching opportunities for updating or creating ordinances that support the construction of EV stations in Rosemount.

GIS Supervisor Menza announced that the Technology Task Force will not be meeting in July and that the next meeting is scheduled for August 10, 2022.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion by Thoennes **Second** by Bornholdt.

Motion to adjourn 7:58 p.m.

Ayes: 4

Nays: 0. Motion carried.

Next Task Force Meeting August 10, 2022.

Respectfully submitted,

Aaron Menza
GIS Supervisor