Minutes
Silver Lake City Council
Special Meeting
June 11, 2018

Mayor Bruce Bebo called the meeting to order at 7:00pm.

Members present: Mayor Bruce Bebo, Councilors Ken Merrill, Josh Mason and Nolan Johnson

Members absent: Councilor Brenda Fogarty

Others present: Jon Jerabek, Clerk/Treasurer; Karissa Wicklund-Kurth

*A motion was made by Councilor Johnson seconded by Councilor Mason to approve the agenda.*

*Vote for: Unanimous*

*Motion carried.*

1. Review recommendation of candidate for open Deputy Clerk position. The Hiring Committee interviewed seven applicants. The Council met with Karissa Wicklund-Kurth, the candidate recommended by the Hiring Committee for the Deputy Clerk position, and went over her previous experience and qualifications. Wicklund-Kurth has managed the Buffalo Lake Municipal On/Off-Sale for the previous nine years and performs bookkeeping for a custom welding shop. Clerk Jerabek stated that references had been contacted and the reviews were very positive.

*A motion was made Councilor Merrill seconded by Councilor Johnson to offer the Deputy Clerk position to Karissa Wicklund-Kurth at the starting wage of $15.49 pending passing a background check and drug test.*

*Discussion was held to offer a higher starting wage.*

*Vote for: Councilor Merrill*

*Vote against: Councilor Johnson, Councilor Mason and Mayor Bebo*

*Motion failed.*

*A motion was made Councilor Johnson seconded by Councilor Mason to offer the Deputy Clerk position to Karissa Wicklund-Kurth at the step 2 wage of $16.27 pending passing a background check and drug test.*

*Vote for: Unanimous*

*Motion carried.*

*A motion was made by Councilor Mason seconded by Councilor Johnson to adjourn this special meeting of the Silver Lake City Council.
Vote for: Unanimous
Motion carried; meeting adjourned at 7:22PM.*

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Jon Jerabek, Clerk/Treasurer