

**CITY COUNCIL WORK SESSION
CITY OF RAMSEY
ANOKA COUNTY
STATE OF MINNESOTA**

The Ramsey City Council conducted a City Council Work Session on Tuesday, January 11, 2011, at the Ramsey Municipal Center, 7550 Sunwood Drive NW, Ramsey, Minnesota.

Members Present: Mayor Bob Ramsey
Councilmember Randy Backous
Councilmember David Elvig
Councilmember David Jeffrey
Councilmember Colin McGlone
Councilmember Jason Tossey
Councilmember Jeffrey Wise

Also Present: City Administrator Kurtis Ulrich
Assistant Community Developer Tim Gladhill
Fire Chief Dean Kapler

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Ramsey called the City Council Work Session to order at 6:01 p.m.

APPROVE AGENDA

The agenda was approved as submitted.

COUNCIL TOPICS FOR DISCUSSION

1) Receive Legislative Activities Report

Elwin Tinklenberg, The Tinklenberg Group, presented the status on current legislative initiatives.

Council discussed possible ways to obtain funding for the rail station.

2) Review Consulting Services Proposal from The Tinklenberg Group

It was Council's consensus to approve the \$18,000.00 and \$6,000.00 proposal from The Tinklenberg Group.

3) Update on Mississippi River Corridor Critical Area (MRCCA) Rulemaking

Planning Assistant Gladhill reviewed staff's report.

MAYOR, COUNCIL AND STAFF INPUT

Councilmember Wise stated he had been approached by a businessperson who was interested in putting in a motorcross track.

It was Council's consensus to discuss this proposal at a future Council Worksession.

ADJOURNMENT

The Work Session of the City Council was adjourned at 6:59 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Kurtis G. Ulrich
City Administrator

ATTEST:

Jo Ann M. Thieling
City Clerk

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