

**Lewiston City Council  
Special Meeting Minutes  
October 15, 2020  
Zoom Meeting – 6:00 pm**

**NOTE:** Mayor Carlson is taking minutes.

**1. Call to Order**

Mayor Carlson called the meeting to order.

**2. Roll Call**

Present (5): Councilors Larry Rupprecht, Dan Robertson, Carol Boynton, and Mayor Beth Carlson. Councilor (Lavey joined at 6:08 pm) Absent (0).

Others Present: City Administrator/Clerk Cheryl Knight.

**3. Preliminary consideration of allegation or allegations against a City of Lewiston Employee**

Mayor Carlson read the following statement: The agenda item is preliminary consideration of allegation or allegations against a City of Lewiston Employee Minnesota Statutes, section 13D.05, subdivision 2(b).

The employee is Cheryl Knight.

Ms. Knight did not request the meeting remain open.

Mayor Carlson announced this portion of the meeting will be closed pursuant to Minnesota Statutes, section 13.05, subdivision 2(b).

**Motion by Councilor Robertson, second by Councilor Boynton to go into closed session. All voted in favor. Councilor Lavey was absent at time of vote. Motion Carried.**

Time was 6:03 pm

Ms. Knight was asked to leave the meeting.

At 6:08 pm Councilor Lavey joined the meeting.

At 8:09 pm, council returned to open session

**Motion by Councilor Boynton, second by Councilor Lavey to authorize Mayor Carlson to contact the attorney regarding the complaints against Administrator/Knight. All voted in favor. Motion Carried.**

**Motion by Councilor Boynton, second by Councilor Lavey to recess the meeting until 6:30 pm on October 20, 2020. All voted in favor. Motion Carried.**

