

**MINUTES**  
**Special**  
**Eveleth City Council Meeting**  
**3:00 p.m., September 29, 2011**  
**Council Chambers, City Hall, Eveleth, MN**

Present: Mayor Vlasisavljevich, Councilor Hadrava, Councilor Koivunen, Councilor Peterson  
City Clerk/Administrator Monahan-Junek; Deputy City Clerk Friebe

**A. CALL TO ORDER**

Mayor Vlasisavljevich called the meeting to order at 3:00 p.m.

**B. NEW BUSINESS**

1. Consider Participation in Equitable Cost-Sharing for Publicly-Owned Nursing Facilities (ECPN)

Jessica Raad and Laura Peterson, representing Eveleth Health Services Park, addressed the Council with a request that the City consider participating in the Equitable Cost-Sharing for Publicly-Owned Nursing Facilities (ECPN). Jessica Raad is working at the nursing home through Elder Care. Elder Care has been contracted by the Eveleth Health Services Park Hospital Board to operate the nursing home.

The ECPN Program was established to allow any nursing facility whose building or license is owned by a City, County or hospital district, to be eligible to receive federal matching funds for Medical Assistance payments.

The City would be responsible to make the intergovernmental transfer of funds to the State the 15<sup>th</sup> of each month. In turn, the state will determine the federal matching contribution. The owner (City) is required to agree not to take any of the benefit away from the facility (nursing home).

*Motion by Councilor Koivunen, second by Councilor Hadrava to authorize payment of \$5,705.73 per month by the 15<sup>th</sup> of each month to the Equitable Cost-Sharing for Publicly-Owned Nursing Facilities Program. Ayes – All.*

**C. ADJOURN**

The Meeting adjourned at 3:30 p.m.

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Robert Vlasisavljevich, Mayor

Attest:

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Jackie Monahan-Junek  
City Clerk/Administrator

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