

MINUTES

**Eveleth City Council Workshop Meeting
9:00 a.m., June 2, 2023
Council Chambers, City Hall, Eveleth, MN**

Councilor Jim Perpich, Present
Councilor John Rauzi, Present
Councilor Brian Lillis, Absent
Councilor Joseph Koivunen, Present
Mayor Robert Vlasisavljevich, Present

Also present: City Clerk Administrator Jackie Monahan-Junek; Deputy City Clerk Stephanie Friebe; Public Works Director Jerry Rosati; Frank Kvaternik, City Consultant

Mayor Vlasisavljevich called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m.

1. Hippodrome

Frank Kvaternik has been serving as a consultant for the City regarding hockey ice time used at the Hippodrome. At their last meeting, the Rock Ridge School District approved up to five hockey games could be played at the Eveleth Hippodrome. The original plan for dividing the hockey ice time between Eveleth and Virginia was that playing time would be apportioned equally at 50/50.

Kvaternik has proposed the City of Eveleth offer the Rock Ridge School Board 175 hours of free hockey ice time to be played at the Hippodrome. He said this isn't about money. This is about maintaining the heritage for the City.

Public Works Director Jerry Rosati distributed a letter from Commercial Refrigeration dated June 1, 2023.

The meeting adjourned at 9:40 a.m.