

The Richlands Town Council held a special meeting in the Richlands Council Chambers for the purpose of contract negotiation with Community Planning Partners on March 11, 2014 at 6:30 pm with the following present:

Mayor: Jannis White

Town Attorney: Brad Ratliff

Town Manager: Tim Taylor

Town Clerk: Susan Whitt

Council Members: Joe McCracken, Rod Cury-Vice Mayor,

Larry Johnson, Doug Ratliff, Mary Ann Strong and Frances Meadows

Craig Wilson with Community Planning Partners

Mayor White called the meeting to order.

Larry Johnson made the Motion to go into closed session pursuant to Chapter 2.23711 a (6) Contract Negotiation Discussion or consideration of the investment of public funds where competition or bargaining is involved, where, if made public initially, the financial interest of the governmental unit would be adversely affected more specifically contract discussions with Community Planning Partners, seconded by Mary Ann Strong. Vote, all in favor. 6/0. Motion carried.

Council went into closed session at 6:35 pm and returned at 7:30 pm.

Larry Johnson made the Motion to return from closed session, seconded by Rod Cury. Vote, all in favor, 6/0. Motion carried.

All council members affirmed that no other business was discussed other than that pursuant to Chapter 2.23711 a (6) Contract Negotiation Discussion or consideration of the investment of public funds where competition or bargaining is involved, where, if made public initially, the financial interest of the governmental unit would be adversely affected more specifically contract discussions with Community Planning Partners.

With nothing further to discuss, Rod Cury made a Motion to Adjourn, seconded by Joe McCracken. Vote, all in favor, 6/0. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 7:30 pm.

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Jannis White, Mayor

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Susan Whitt, Clerk