

CITY OF EAGLE LAKE
April 9, 2018
SPECIAL CITY COUNCIL MEETING

CALL TO ORDER

- Mayor Auringer called the special meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

ROLL CALL

- Council members present: Tim Auringer, John Ries, Dennis Terrell, Clete Frederick, and Ryan Short.
- Staff present: City Administrator Jennifer Bromeland and Minnesota Valley Council of Governments (MVCOG) Program Director Laura Elvebak

NEW BUSINESS

- Public Works Director Interviews. MVCOG Program Director Elvebak provided an overview of the interview process. It was noted that the first round of interviews was held on Thursday, March 29 with the interview panel consisting of City Administrator Jennifer Bromeland, MVCOG Program Director Elvebak, and St. Peter Public Works Director Pete Moulton. In total, five (5) applications were received, and five (5) interviews were held. Upon conclusion of the interviews, three (3) applicants were selected as best meeting the needs of the City of Eagle Lake in both technical ability and ability to lead and direct the operations of the Public Works Department. The three (3) applicants (Joe Janson, Victor Fanth, and Brian Goettl) were contacted and accepted a 2nd round interview. The Mayor and City Council next interviewed each of the applicants individually, starting with Joe Janson, then Victor Fanth, and ending with Brian Goettl. Upon conclusion of the interviews, discussion ensued amongst the Mayor and City Council. It was noted that all three (3) individuals are qualified for the position, and that they are looking for the candidate that best fits the needs of the public works department and community, with a focus on leadership, technology utilization, and enthusiasm for the position.
- Council Member Short moved, seconded by Council Member Ries, to approve a conditional offer of employment being extended to Joseph Janson. Motion carried with Council Members Terrell, Frederick, Short, Ries, and Mayor Auringer voting in favor.

ADJOURNMENT

- Council Member Short moved, seconded by Council Member Frederick, to adjourn the meeting at 8:47 p.m. Motion carried with Council Members Ries, Terrell, Frederick, Short, and Mayor Auringer voting in favor.

Tim Auringer, Mayor

Jennifer J. Bromeland,
City Administrator