THE HUB OF SIBLEY COUNTY
GAYLORD

CITY OF GAYLORD
CITY COUNCIL WORK SESSION MINUTES
Wednesday, October 21st, 2020
5:30 P.M.

Members Present: Mayor Boeder and Members, Grochow, Kuphal, Muchow and Padilla
Members Absent: Uecker
Staff Present: Aaron Walton, Walton Law Office; Lory Young, City Administrator; Charlie Eichten, Gaylord Police Chief; Ty Reimers, Public Works Director and Lori Doering, Deputy Clerk
Visitors Present: Justin Black, SEH; Sam Parker and Nick Ollrich, MnDOT; Tim Becker, Sibley County Highway Engineer; George Eilertson, Northland Securities and Joe Deis, Gaylord Hub

1. **Call Meeting to Order**
Pursuant to due call and notice thereof, the meeting of the City Council was called to order by Mayor Boeder at 5:30 p.m.

2. **Gaylord Highway 5 Corridor Study**
Black gave a presentation on the Highway 5 Corridor Study. He explained the final 3 Concepts that came from the study and various meetings that were held over the last several months. He briefly discussed cost estimates and also explained that these are concepts that would be done in phases over several years. The survey of residents in and around Gaylord favored heavily on the realignment of 5/19 and Melro along with the round-a-bout feature. The Mayor also felt the speed should be reduced to 30 mph after the round-a-bout going east, to help with reducing crashes.
Becker briefly explained the county's plan to take over 13th Street E. as CSAH 21 and that Lincoln Avenue would still be county controlled and would become CSAH 10.
Boeder and Muchow stressed heavily that we need the realignment of State Highway 19 and Highway 5 with a round-a-bout, and that the city does not have the money to do a lot of the suggested projects by MnDOT. The city could probably handle developing Nicollet Avenue in the near future.

3. **Adjourn Meeting**
There being no further business to come before the City Council.
The meeting was adjourned at 6:28 p.m.

Lory Young
City Administrator

Don Boeder
Mayor