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April 17, 2018 – Meeting Minutes

A special meeting of the Freeport City Council was convened at 6:30pm by Mayor Rodney Atkinson with Councilmembers, Tim Hennen, and Jake Renneker, present.

Staff in attendance: Clerk-Treasurer Adrianna Hennen and Public Works Director Loren Goebel

Absent: Ben Ettle and Mike Eveslage

Others in attendance: Karen Voz – MN Department of Health and Katie Breth-Stearns County Soil and Water Conservation District

Wellhead Protection Plan

Karen Voz stated the purpose of the meeting was to briefly go over the WHP plan and to answer any questions that the council may have. Katie Breth introduced herself and stated that she helps with the implementation of the plan and the grant writing process. Voz explained the DWSMA map and what each of the areas meant and also explained that Freeport is a very low vulnerability area which is good. Voz then went through and showed Objectives and Plan of Action that were established by the WHP plan board. Breth explained this is where towns should use her as a resource because she comes in and helps write grants for the items that are coming up in the plan. A. Hennen stated that she and Breth had closed out a grant not too long ago. Atkinson stated he would like council to be made aware of grants. A. Hennen and Breth agreed to do that moving forward and to do so by having the council approve the grants before submitting them. There were questions and discussion had by the members present.

Adjourn Renneker moved to adjourn at 7:15, seconded by T. Hennen . Motion carried 3-0. Mayor, Rodney Atkinson City Clerk-Treasurer, Adrianna Hennen