

Mayor Gutierrez called the Study Session of the Loveland City Council to order at 6:30 p.m. on the above date. Councilors present: Gutierrez, McEwen, Fogle, Taylor, Farley, McKean, Trenary, Klassen and Shaffer. City Manager, Bill Cahill was also present.

1. CITY MANAGER

North Front Range Metropolitan Planning Organization – Regional Bicycle Plan  
Senior Transportation Planner, Aaron Fodge of the North Front Range Metropolitan Planning Organization (NFRMPO) presented this item to Council. The presentation reviewed existing bicycle infrastructure and a series of five questions were utilized to capture the Council's vision for bicycle commuting and recreating for the Regional Bicycle Plan. Mr. Fodge thanked Council for the input which will be summarized for inclusion in the plan after completion of the public engagement strategies throughout the region. The final plan will outline a set of future improvements, regional bicycle infrastructure design guidelines, and goals to assist the region in prioritizing future transportation system enhancements for bicyclists.

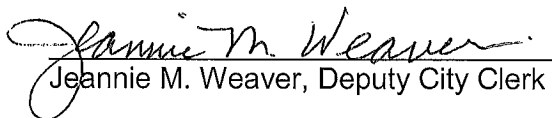
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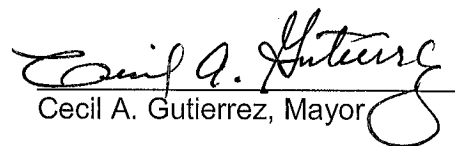
Stormwater Utility Rates

City Engineer, Dave Klockeman presented this item to Council for discussion of existing rates for Stormwater Utility – System Investment Fees and Stormwater Utility Fees and options for potential adjustment to rates going forward. Jason Mumm of StepWise Utility Advisors reviewed five scenarios for a potential adjustment of the rates to meet operation and maintenance costs and future capital project needs. Council discussion ensued. Council consensus favored the "pay as you go" method of financing. Staff was directed to return with a reworked scenario showing the implications of adding a third engineer earlier and the adjusted rate necessary to meet operation and maintenance costs and future capital project needs.

The study session was adjourned at 9:55 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

  
Jeannie M. Weaver, Deputy City Clerk

  
Cecil A. Gutierrez, Mayor



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