

**ELY CITY COUNCIL AGENDA
CITY COUNCIL *SPECIAL MEETING
1595 DOWS STREET (ELY LIBRARY), ELY, IA 52227
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2016
5:30 P.M**

Mayor Eldy Miller called the meeting of the Ely City Council to order at 5:40 p.m. Council Members present: Teri Billick, Stephanie Mehmen, Kay Hale, Judy Wery and Elizabeth Rohner Guest: Pat Callahan Also present: Tom Reed, Ron Stark, Sarah Sellon and Luanne Miller taking minutes.

Mayor Miller called the meeting to order and turned the floor over to Pat Callahan of Callahan Municipal Consultants; LLC Pat reviewed the interview process, passed out packets with list of questions and turned the written request signed forms to Luanne Miller.

Wery motioned to go into Closed Session; second by Hale, roll call vote 5-0. Tom Reed left the meeting room.

Interviews were conducted via Skype starting at 6:00 p.m. and concluding approximately 9:50 p.m.

Council members discussed candidates and ranked each one. Pat tallied the rankings and came up with the top three finalists for the position.

Discussed schedule of events November 18th and 19th. The Meet and Greet will be on Friday, Nov. 18 5:30 -7:00 p.m. at City Hall at 1570 Rowley St. Light appetizers and drinks. Invitation will be for Planning & Zoning Commission, Parks & Recreation Commission, Library Director, Friends of the Library, Fire Chief. Request Connor to make up flyer invite and mail USPS and email where possible too. City Tour for Candidates and Spouses was moved up from 4:00 to 3:30 p.m. Stephanie Mehmen said Double Tree is \$79 a night and someone suggested Kirkwood Hotel. Stephanie will check on cost there.

Mehmen made a motion to close the Closed Session Meeting, Wery 2nd the motion. Meeting was closed and adjourned at 10:15 p.m.

Eldrew Miller, Mayor

Attest:

Luanne Miller, Deputy Clerk