
CITY OF SEDRO-WOOLLEY

Salary Commission Meeting
July 25, 2023, 8:00am

Call to Order

Meeting began at 8:13am due to issue opening Zoom portion of meeting.

Roll Call: Present: Phil Brockman, Fred Osterhout, and Finance Director Kelly Kohnken
Absent: Rebecca Skrinde, Tim Lehr, and Becky Taft

New Business

Mayor and City Councilmembers' 2024 Compensation.

Commission discussed material available in the packet.

Commissioner Brockman noted City of Burlington's Mayor's salary was an outlier, significantly more than the other municipalities. Finance Director Kohnken, noted the City of Burlington's Mayor is part-time and will request information from Burlington on how the amount was determined.

Commissioner Brockman also requested additional information on the City's union contracts. Finance Director Kohnken noted the AFSCME union negotiations are in the preliminary stages for a new contract beginning January 2024. The Police Department's 2023-2024 contract includes a maximum of 5% increase depending on the CPI-U and a one-time inflationary bonus if CPI-U is above 8%. The Fire Department's 2023-2025 contract includes a minimum 2% and a maximum 4% depending on CPI-U.

No action taken.

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 8:43am.

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Kelly Kohnken

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Kelly Kohnken, Finance Director

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Rebecca Skrinde, Chair