

OWOSSO CITY COUNCIL

JANUARY 30, 2006

7:30 P.M.

PRESIDING OFFICER: Mayor Linda L. Robertson

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Mayor Linda L. Robertson

PRESENT: Mayor Linda L. Robertson, Mayor Pro-Tem Mark D. Owen, Councilpersons Michael E. Bruff, Michael N. Cline, Joane E. Ford, Matthew B. Harvey, and Justin R. Horvath.

ABSENT: None.

CITIZEN COMMENTS

There were no citizen comments.

STAFF PRESENTATION-Fiscal Outlook and Operating & Capital Budgets

City Manager Gregg Guetschow introduced the topics of Fiscal Outlook, Capital Improvement/Infrastructure, and Operating Budget with a short presentation.

Council discussed the expectation of declining funding for the future, possible legislation affecting tax revenues, and collaborating with local entities such as the school district. Council also discussed prioritizing and funding projects, average spending/revenues for the City over 20 year span, balancing the budget by cutting personnel, early retirement options, contracting for services if staffing is cut, changes that could affect service delivery, and educating citizens on the status and outlook for the City.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion by Mayor Pro-Tem Owen for adjournment at 9:21 p.m.

Motion supported by Councilperson Ford, Councilperson Bruff objected, motion carried.

Linda L. Robertson, Mayor

Amy K. Kohagen, Deputy City Clerk