

New Sharon City Council Meeting
Monday, March 24, 2008
7:00 p.m., City Hall

The New Sharon City Council met in special session at City Hall, Monday, March 24, 2008 @ 7:00 p.m. with Mayor Ed Davis presiding. Council members present were Kenneth Ward, Lisa Munn, Zack Pickard and Dianna Klinker. Larry Applegate was absent. Others in attendance were Jim Hargis, Steve Harkema, Janine Larson, Ralph Ihde, Susan Upton, Lynnae VanGenderen and Al Hodgemen. Diane Brand was also in attendance.

Klinker made a motion to open the public hearing for the 2008-2009 Budget Estimate at 7:00 p.m. Pickard seconded. Roll Call Vote: All ayes.

No one from the community was on hand to comment on the budget.

Klinker made a motion to approve the 2008-2009 budget. Pickard seconded. Roll Call Vote: All ayes.

Klinker made a motion to close the public hearing at 7:02 p.m. Pickard seconded. Roll Call Vote: All ayes.

The council then went into a work session at 7:10 p.m. with the New Sharon Recreation and Economic Development Foundation. Mayor Davis advised everyone that no action could be taken on any items during a work session.

There was a lot of discussion regarding the misunderstanding between the council and the NSREDF. Everyone agreed that communication needs to be open in order to better serve the city.

There was discussion regarding an application received from the Sunshine & Smiles Children's Center.

There was some discussion regarding a possible Chamber of Commerce and if it would benefit the city.

There being no further business to discuss, Mayor Davis adjourned the meeting at 9:10 p.m.

Diane L. Brand
City Clerk

Edwin L. Davis
Mayor