

**KECHI CITY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES**  
**September 22, 2022**

**I. CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL**

Mayor Ashley Velazquez called the meeting to order at 7:00pm

**Council present:** Ashley Velazquez, Matt Brewer, Brian Adams, Todd Hedstrom, and Richard Haddock.

**City staff present:** Kamme Sroufe, City Administrator; Andrew Kovar, City Attorney; Theresa Morlan, City Clerk; Jessie Woodrow, Chief of Police; and Thomas Bevan, Director of Public Works.

**Guests present:** Stephen Friesen, and Taylor Messick

- A. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE** – Led by Mayor Velazquez.
- B. APPROVE CONSENT AGENDA**

**Consent Agenda**

- 1. Council Meeting Minutes September 8, 2022
- 2. Council Special Meeting Minutes September 19, 2022

**Motion by Richard Haddock to approve the consent agenda was seconded by Todd Hedstrom and carried 4-0-0.**

**C. APPROVE AGENDA**

**Motion by Matt Brewer to approve agenda. The motion was seconded by Richard Haddock and carried 4-0-0.**

**II. COMMUNICATIONS**

**A. Civic Groups/Committees - None**

**B. Kechi Good News** – Richard Haddock reported that Amanda Haddock would be speaking at the White House on September 23<sup>rd</sup> regarding research on childhood cancer. Mayor Velazquez reported that the Kite Festival went well, as did the Smile on the Mile event on September 17<sup>th</sup>. The Farmer’s Market will have their last market on September 29

**C. Public Forum** – Stephen Friesen, 11207 N 127<sup>th</sup> St E, but owns property in Snowbird Addition, which he plans to develop. He addressed council about the mowing of the lots. He understands the need for the ordinance, but questioned the equity of the enforcement, the amount of the billing including being charged for the administrative fee. He wishes to establish better communication and build relationship between public and private interests.

**III. NEW BUSINESS**

**A. Crack Sealer Purchase** – City Administrator (CA) Sroufe presented the request to purchase a crack sealer. She included the comparison of the three quotes as well as cost analysis of rental versus purchase.

**Motion by Brian Adams to approve the purchase of the 150-gallon Cimline M1 Melter**

