

Columbia City Council
Pre-Council Meeting Minutes – March 3, 2008, 5:45 p.m.
Fourth Floor Conference Room, Daniel Boone Building

Council members present: Mayor Hindman, Chris Janku, Almeta Crayton, Karl Skala, Jerry Wade, Laura Nauser and Barbara Hoppe.

Absent: None

Lori Fleming, Finance Director, provided a brief update on the bond sale. Four bids were received. UBS Securities submitted the low bid, 5.443%. An amendment sheet was distributed for B39-08 – authorizing the issuance of Special Obligation Electric Utility Improvement Bonds, Series 2006C.

The City Manager indicated that a “draft” letter and template regarding the Board/Commissions and Special Committees/Task Forces was forwarded to Council. Council members Nauser and Hoppe indicated the draft looked fine. Council member Wade had not had an opportunity to review the material. He indicated he would do so and provide comment to staff.

Steve Hollis, Office of Community Services Manager, made a presentation to Council regarding the social services funding system and areas for improvement. Mr. Hollis was joined by Community Services Commission members Shirley Patterson and Reggie Kinsey. The Council members also received a copy of a letter dated 2/27/08 from Karen Miller, District I Commissioner, regarding Senior Collaborative. See attached power point presentation for additional information.