

GRAND JUNCTION CITY COUNCIL

SPECIAL SESSION MINUTES

JULY 20, 2005

The City Council of the City of Grand Junction, Colorado met in Special Session on Wednesday, July 20, 2005 at 5:30 p.m. in the Administration Conference Room, 2nd Floor of City Hall. Those present were Councilmembers Bonnie Beckstein, Teresa Coons, Jim Doody, Gregg Palmer, Jim Spehar and President of the Council Bruce Hill (arrived 6:15 p.m.). Absent was Councilmember Doug Thomason. Also present was Assistant City Manager David Varley.

Other staff members present were City Attorney John Shaver, Public Works & Utilities Director Mark Relph, Riverside Parkway Project Engineer Jim Shanks, Utilities Engineer Trent Prall and Water Services Superintendent Terry Franklin.

Council President Pro Tem Palmer called the meeting to order.

Councilmember Beckstein moved to go into executive session to discuss the City's position, and to instruct the City's negotiators regarding contract negotiations with Grand Mesa Reservoir Company pursuant to Section 402 4 e of Colorado's Open Meetings Act and to discuss the purchase, acquisition, lease, transfer, or sale of real, personal, or other property interest pursuant to Section 402 4 a of the Open Meetings Act relative the Riverside Parkway and will not be returning to open session. Councilmember Doody seconded the motion. The motion carried.

The City Council convened into executive session at 5:33 p.m.

Stephanie Tuin, MMC
City Clerk