



**CITY OF CORNING  
SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES**

**THURSDAY, JUNE 24, 2010  
CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS  
794 THIRD STREET**

**A. CALL TO ORDER: 5:00 p.m.**

**B. ROLL CALL:**

**Council:**

**Vacant**

**Ross Turner**

**Toni Parkins**

**John Leach**

**Mayor:**

**Gary Strack**

All Councilmembers were present.

**C. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Led by John Brewer, Public Works Director.**

Mayor Strack announced that City Manager Stephen Kimbrough was out of town attending a meeting at Beale Air Force Base and has gotten caught up in security which is why he is not here tonight.

**D. BUSINESS FROM THE FLOOR: None.**

**E. REGULAR AGENDA:**

- 1. Adopt Resolution 06-22-10-01 to Ratify Sideletters Accepting the Furlough Plan for Each of the Individual Employee Bargaining Units and Set Office Furlough Closure Days.**

Councilor Turner stated that he is not in favor of this total package, but we have to do what is best for the City, Employees and Tax Payers of the City of Corning. Any money saved is a net, so lets roll the dice, walk from the table and recoup as much as we can in this period of time hopefully with no layoffs before June 30, 2011, when we can save approximately \$280,000, therefore he moved to adopt Resolution 06-22-10-01 to Ratify Sideletters Accepting the Furlough Plan for Each of the Individual Employee Bargaining Units and Set Office Furlough Closure Days.

Mayor Strack asked if there was any more discussion on this item. Councilor Leach responded stating that he is glad that we have a group of employees that like to work together. He is not in favor of the layoff terms that state if one employee is laid off prior to June 30, 2010 the furloughs will end for all bargaining units, however after a lot of discussion on the money saved that the City needs, he is changing his vote.

Mayor Strack stated that there has been a motion made and called for a second. Councilor Parkins seconded the motion. **Ayes: Strack, Turner, Parkins and Leach. Opposed: None. Absent/Abstain: None. Motion was approved by a 4-0 vote with one vacancy remaining on the Council. Mayor Strack then thanked the City Employees for volunteering to take the cut.**

**H. ADJOURNMENT!: 5:05 p.m.**

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**Lisa M. Linnet, City Clerk**