## CITY OF ATKINS IOWA Minutes City Council Meeting Special Session Tuesday, November 2, 2023, at 6:30 p.m. City Hall Council Room, 480 Third Avenue, Atkins, Iowa, 52206

Mayor Bruce Visser called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. Present were Bell, DeMeulenaere, Koehn, and Petersen. Also, present were Holly Corkery – City Attorney, and members of the public on line.

Koehn moved to approve the agenda. Petersen seconded. Ayes: Bell, DeMeulenaere, Koehn, and Petersen. Motion carried.

Motion by Koehn to go into closed session. Bell seconded. Mayor Visser called for attorney opinion, Corkery stated that pursuant to Iowa Code section 21.5(1)(c) to discuss strategy with counsel in matters that are presently in litigation or where litigation is imminent where its disclosure would be likely to prejudice or disadvantage the position of the governmental body in that litigation. Ayes: Bell, DeMeulenaere, Koehn, and Petersen. Motion carried.

Council entered closed session at 6:39p.m.

Mayor Visser declared the council return to regular session at 8:39p.m. from closed session. Members present were Bell, DeMeulenaere, Koehn, and Petersen. Also, present were Holly Corkery – City Attorney, Mayor Visser. No public was present.

Motion by Petersen to have Holly Corkery, City Attorney, act as directed in closed session. Bell seconded. Ayes: Bell, DeMeulenaere, Koehn, and Petersen. Motion carried.

Motion by Koehn to adjourn the meeting. Bell seconded. Ayes: Bell, DeMeulenaere, Koehn, and Petersen. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 8:43 pm.

Amy Breese, Deputy Clerk

Bruce Visser, Mayor