

EMERGENCY COUNCIL MEETING  
WALLACE, IDAHO  
March 20, 2020

Mayor Mogensen called the meeting to order at 4:00 p.m. in the Wallace Fire Station.

**Roll Call:** Council members present: Dave DeRoos; Elmer Mattila; Heather Branstetter; Rick Shaffer; Michele Bisconer and Dean Cooper.

**Approve Resolution No. 2020-206 – A RESOLUTION DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AS A RESULT OF CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19), CITY OF WALLACE, SHOSHONE COUNTY, STATE OF IDAHO (*Action Item*)** – Mayor Mogensen read Resolution No. 2020-206 in its entirety. Council member Branstetter asked if the City has looked into limiting building occupancy. Mayor Mogensen stated she thinks the City should follow what the Governor and CDC recommend. Council member Branstetter asked if the Wallace School District would be required to close. Discussion held on concerns with the Wallace School District remaining open and the possibility of requiring restaurants to provide takeout only. Council member Bisconer suggested a letter be sent to all citizens stating if people do not feel well they should stay home and if businesses are going to continue to operate, they need to follow certain sanitizing guideline and practice social distancing. Further discussion held. Council member Cooper made a motion to pass Resolution No. 2020-206 with one change to bullet four, so it reads “limiting city building occupancy”. Seconded by council member Shaffer. Roll Call Vote. DeRoos Aye; Mattila Aye; Branstetter Aye; Shaffer Aye; Bisconer Aye and Cooper Aye. Carried. Council member Branstetter stated she feels the City should recommend to the Wallace School District that they close. Further discussion held regarding requiring businesses to close and what information to post of the City website.

There being no further business to come before the council, Council member Branstetter made the motion to adjourn at 4:20 p.m. Seconded by Council member Shaffer. All Ayes. Carried.

  
Lynn Mogensen, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
Kristina Larson  
City Clerk/Treasurer