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Special Called Council Meeting

The Nauvoo Town Council met for a Special Called Council Meeting on January 5, 2026 at 1:00 p.m. at the Nauvoo Town Hall. Mayor Burgett in the chair and clerk Nicole Garner acting as recording secretary. Mayor Burgett called the meeting to order at 1:01 pm. The following council members were present upon roll call: Olivia Allbritton, Deborah Barton, Denice Perry, and Terry Burgett. Council members Christian Dill and Melinda Wills were absent. Visitors present were Matt Sanford, Nik McDonald, and Drew Sanford.

Mayor Burgett explained that the meeting was being called to discuss the \$10,000 CAWACO grant that was previously awarded to the fire department. He then gave the floor to Fire Chief Matt Sanford. Sanford explained that the grant was being used to buy much needed turnout gear for some of the volunteers of the department. In total, \$12,153 worth of turnout gear is to be purchased, with \$10,000 coming from the grant and the additional \$2,153 coming from the fire departments fund. If all were to be purchased now, the fire department would be tight on funds, therefore, Sanford asked for the \$10,000 to be borrowed from the General fund in order to get the turnout gear ordered and then the fire department will pay back the General fund once the CAWACO grant is completed. Barton moved to allow the \$10,000 loan from the General fund to the Fire Department in order to get the needed turnout gear ordered. Allbritton seconded the motion and upon roll call vote was as follows: YEAS – Allbritton, Barton, Perry, Burgett; NAYS – None. Motion carried.

Barton moved to adjourn the meeting with Allbritton seconding the motion. All were in favor and the meeting adjourned at 1:29 pm.

Nicole Garner, Clerk