A Pre-Meeting of the City Council was held on Tuesday the 20th day of December 2016.

Present were Councilmen Barks, Carsrud, Jerred, Kuntz, McGrath, Montgomery, and Mayor Carter-King; City Administrator Napier; Attorneys Anderson and Davidson; Directors Boger, Glover, Hamilton, Hloucal, Pitlick, Wilde; Managers Palazzari and Davidsmeier; and City Clerk Abelseth.

Also present was Councilman Elect Lundvall.

Warm Up Items

Councilman Kuntz reported that Steve Beasel, Good Times, has extended an invitation to Council to celebrate his newly remodeled business. Administrator Napier reported that a request has been made to leave the Christmas lights in the trees through February/March. Staff is researching the cost; Mr. Napier also reported that Cloud Peak Energy would like to partner with the City, and donate \$20,000 to build a stage pad for the Donkey Creek Festival, and have the stage pad called "Cloud Peak Energy Stage Facility."

Introduction of Recommended Citizen Advisory Board Members

Administrator Napier introduced the recommended Citizen Advisory Board Members.

Audit Discussion

Ryan Gemar, CPA, Bennett, Weber & Hermstad, LLP, provided the Council with the Comprehensive Annual Financial Report for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016.

Student Housing Planned Unit Development Discussion

Director Hamilton provided a power point presentation regarding the Gillette College Student Housing, Phase I & Phase II Ownership Units.

Gillette College Update Discussion

Mark Englert, Vice President & CEO, Gillette College, provided an update of past and upcoming statistics regarding student registration and retention.

2017 Capital Projects Update Discussion

Director Hamilton provided an update of 2017 Capital projects.

Review December 20th Agenda

The group reviewed the upcoming agenda items.

<u>Adjournment</u>

There being no further business to come before the Council, the meeting adjourned at 7:05 p.m. An audio recording of this meeting is available in the City Clerk's Office.

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ATTEST:

Karlene Abelseth, City Clerk Publish date: December 28, 2016

Louise Carter-King, Mayor