

**Falcon Heights Council Workshop Minutes**  
**June 6, 2012**

**Members present:** Mayor Lindstrom, Council Members Long, Harris, Gosline and Mercer-Taylor

**Members absent:**

**Others present:** City Administrator Bart Fischer, Public Works Director Tim Pittman

**LED Lighting Retro-Fit for City Decorative Light Fixtures**

Council and Staff heard a presentation from representatives from LightingHouse USA regarding retrofitting existing, exterior City light fixtures with LED bulbs and the cost savings associated with this. Staff will provide a cost analysis in the future for further discussion.

**Installation of State Fair No Parking Signs**

Council and Staff discussed the pros and cons of installing permanent “No Parking During State Fair” signs versus annually erecting and removing temporary signs. The discussion revolved around placing permanent signs on any existing sign poles, while still erecting temporary signs in areas where a permanent sign pole does not currently exist. Staff will provide an analysis on the number of permanent versus temporary signs to be erected.

**Miscellaneous Discussion Items**

Council and Staff had brief discussions relating to the following topics:

- The upcoming approval of the Fire Study Consultant at the June 13, 2012 Regular City Council Meeting.
- Rescheduling the July 4, 2012, Council Workshop to July 18, 2012.
- Scheduling of a possible Council mission/vision/goal setting workshop. Staff will coordinate.
- Scheduling a tour of TIES due to an invitation from TIES representatives. Staff will coordinate.
- Update on the Special Event Ordinance which the Planning Commission will take action on at their June 26, 2012, Regular Meeting.
- Discussion on a possible resident survey. Staff will follow up.
- Students from Falcon Heights Elementary will be at the June 27, 2012, Regular City Council Meeting to present and ask for approval of a Tobacco Free Parks Ordinance.

The workshop concluded at 9:10 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,  
Bart Fischer  
City Administrator