

**BUTTE-SILVER BOW COUNCIL OF COMMISSIONERS
SPECIAL MEETING
WEDNESDAY JUNE 8, 2022
AT 7:30 PM FOLLOWING THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE MEETING
IN COUNCIL CHAMBERS**

ROLL CALL 11 Present 1 Absent- Sorich

PRAYER AND PLEDGE

PUBLIC COMMENT ON ANY ITEM(S) ON THE AGENDA

Keith Seger: 1314 C Street, is concerned with the contract for the Civic Center is the impact it will have for the elections. He is worried about the security and that we have an open and secure election in November, and there are a wide variety of expenses and wants to make sure that the Council knows what the expenses will be.

CALL FOR SPECIAL MEETING

J.P. Gallagher, Chief Executive is calling for a Special Meeting of the Butte-Silver Bow Council of Commissioners for Wednesday, June 8, 2022, at 7:30 pm following the Committee of the Whole Meeting in the Council Chambers, Room 312 to authorize me to sign the contract with King Street Productions.

[2022-288 Contract](#)

Chief Executive: This contract is for the production of 1932, and we talked to the impacted events that were scheduled to be at the Civic Center. We are working with the financial impacts, and this is for the rent of the facility. We came up with a price for \$75,000.00 which is \$2500 per day to rent the facility. After that they will move to \$75,000 per month. We are looking at the mall for the general election in November. We will include the costs when we propose that to the production company. The Civic Center board approved this and the economic drive that it will have for our community will be great and will far outweigh the sacrifice for this one year to do this.

Michele Shea: She is concerned about the election in November as well. Has an issue with entering into an agreement with a proposal of how the production company will help us fund the relocation of the election, and wants to know what that will be ahead of time.

Gallagher: This is for the rental of the Civic Center, and we do not have a solid number for the different entities. We are in a time crunch as far as entering into this lease, they will be bringing stuff in on June 13th. They said to give them a number and they would be open to helping us out.

Andersen: We had a similar situation a couple of years ago and held a mail-in election. Would this be an option for this election in November?

Joyce: The state will now allow a mail-in election. We are looking for alternative locations for the election. Concerned of where they will store the hardware.

Fisher: thinks that this is an opportunity that will be really upbeat for the community and is totally in favor of this.

Riordan: This is one of the greatest opportunities that has come to Butte in years and allows us to share our treasures. We would be crazy not to grab this and thanks everyone who helped put this together.

Gallagher: Thanks Bill Melvin and his staff have worked hard for this to happen.

O'Neill: This is a great opportunity for our community, and it is as good as it gets. The amount of people who will come to Butte will help the economy.

Shea: Will the events that were scheduled be canceled?

Gallagher: None of the events will be canceled, only moved to other locations.

Callahan: when the productions people came to the Civic Center they were definitely dedicated to do their best for the community with so much positivity.

Gallagher: This is what Butte does for all the other impacted events they rallied and agreed to move their events.

Cindy Shaw makes a motion to concur and place on file 2022-288, Shawn Fredrickson seconds the motion.

12 yea 0 nay Motion Passes

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