

**CITY COUNCIL WORKSHOP MEETING  
Monday, February 24, 2014  
7:00 p.m.  
Andover Central Park Lodge  
Minutes**

Members present:

Mayor Ben Lawrence, City Council Members Clark Nelson, Sheri Geisler, Kris Estes, Byron Stout IV, and Troy Tabor. Council Member Caroline Hale was absent.

Staff in attendance:

City Administrator Sasha Stiles, City Clerk Susan Renner, Chief Financial Officer Donna Davis and Assistant City Administrator Jennifer McCausland.

Guests:

Sami Halaseh, Beth King of King MERJ Public Relations, Kathy Erickson and Marcia Wood of Martin Pringle.

**Mayor Ben Lawrence called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.**

**Sami Halaseh Institute and Aveda Salon**

Beth King presented information regarding a proposed Aveda Salon and School. A \$2.5 million project that would bring 20-30 jobs to Andover. Mr. Halaseh has proposed the purchase of land in the Andover Business Park and if the property can be purchased he requests the Council consider Industrial Revenue Bond financing for construction of the facility.

The Council discussed the project and Mayor Ben Lawrence will continue working with Mr. Halaseh prior to bringing a proposal to Council for consideration.

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Mayor Ben Lawrence asked the Council to provide their priorities on the summary of capital improvement projects. There are fifteen projects listed with costs from \$22,000 up to \$3.5 million scheduled over the next five years. Council needs to determine how to raise the monies for the projects.

A motion was made by Council Member Kris Estes, seconded by Council Member Troy Tabor, at 8:10 p.m. to adjourn. Motion carried 5/0

Respectfully Submitted by

Susan Renner

City Clerk

Approved this 11<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2014, by the City Council, City of Andover, Kansas.