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**WILLITS CITY COUNCIL  
MINUTES – SPECIAL MEETING  
THURSDAY, JANUARY 26, 2023**

Mayor Kanne called a special meeting of the City Council to order at 6:30 p.m. The meeting was preceded by the pledge to the flag.

**Roll Call:** Councilmembers Larry Stranske, Madge Strong, Saprina Rodrigues, Vice Mayor Gerardo Gonzalez and Mayor Greta Kanne were present.

Also present were staff members: Brian Bender City Manager; Cathy Moorhead, Assistant City Manager; Manuel Orozco; Finance Director, Dusty Duley, Community Development Director; Scott Herman, Public Works Director; Andres Trincado-Slater, Project Manager; Rod Wilburn, Contract City Engineer; and Delores Pedersen, City Clerk.

**2. PUBLIC COMMUNICATIONS.**

None presented.

**3. REVIEW OF THE 2021 ADOPTED GOALS**

a. The staff and City Council reviewed the progress of the goals that were adopted on April 28, 2021.

**Public Comment(s):** None presented.

**4. PROJECT PRIORITIZATION**

a. After discussion between the City Council and staff, the council identified the following projects they feel should take a higher priority for 2023:

- Helping to support local businesses.
- Environmentally Conscious (reduce the City's Carbon Footprint, codify an environmental policy).
- Water Security
- Pension Liability
- Infrastructure
- Revisit going back to holding Revit-ED meetings with one new topic being  
- Compose an Economic strategy plan.

**Public Comment(s):** None presented.

**5. ADJOURNMENT**

Mayor Kanne declared the meeting adjourned at 8:11 p.m.