

A. CALL TO ORDER

A meeting of the Palmer City Council was held on October 16, 2007, at 4 p.m. in the council chambers, Palmer, Alaska.

Mayor Pro-Tempore Vanover called the meeting to order at 4:03 p.m.

B. ROLL CALL

Comprising a quorum of the Council, the following were present:

Tony Pippel Ken Erbey Katherine Vanover
Richard Best Michael Chmielewski

The following members were absent and excused by the council:

John Combs Brad Hanson

Also in attendance were the following:

Bill Allen, City Manager
Janette Bower, City Clerk

C. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Council Member Erbey.

D. AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION

John Leiner:

- commented on the transaction with Wilder Construction;
- expanded on the Anchorage Daily News article regarding Tom Anderson;
- spoke of the Mayor's lack of response regarding his previously posed questions; and
- commented on the City's Manager's receipt of an award at the Matanuska-Susitna Borough.

E. NEW BUSINESS

Item 1 – 2008 Fiscal Year Budget (Action may be taken by the Council following the Committee of the Whole):

MOVED BY:	Pippel	To enter into a committee of the whole to discuss the 2008 Fiscal Year budget
SECONDED BY:	Erbey	

VOTE ON MOTION: Carried by unanimous voice vote.			
	Yes:		No:
Pippel	Erbey	Chmielewski	
Best	Vanover		

The Council entered into the committee of the whole at 4:07 p.m. and exited at 5:37.

F. ADJOURNMENT

With no further business before the council, the meeting adjourned at 5:38 p.m.

Approved this thirteenth day of November, 2007.

/s/

Kathrine Vanover, Mayor Pro-Tempore

/s/

Janette M. Bower, CMC, City Clerk