

**PUBLIC HEARING – Jake Forsman Car Show and Burnout Competition
February 07, 2018**

Call to Order:

Mayor Novak opened the Public hearing at 5:30pm in the City Hall Council Chambers.

PRESENT: Council members A.Forsman, Kess, Debeltz, Omerza, D.Forsman and Mayor Novak
Planning and Zoning Commissioners: Mike Banovetz, George Burger, Mauro Caruso, Alan White, Scott Mills, and P&Z Admin Tim Riley.

ABSENT: Council Member Callen and P&Z Commissioner Jerritt Johnson

Purpose:

Jake Forsman Memorial Car Show and Burnout Competition.

The event is scheduled for Saturday October 20, 2018 from 8am until 6pm.

The permit request is to close Chapman Street from 2nd Avenue East to 4th Avenue East and to close 3rd Avenue East from Harvey Street to Sheridan Street. Subject to permit approval these sections of roadway would be closed to vehicle traffic during the event.

The Ely Public Library parking lot would also be closed to vehicle traffic and utilized by this event on Saturday October 20th, 2018 from 8am until 6 pm.

Al Forsman coordinator of the event stated that last year's inaugural event exceeded all expectations. They had approximately 80 car show participants, the burnout competition went off safely, and the downtown businesses saw an increase in business for a normally slow weekend of the year.

Al Forsman stated that this year they are going to use more traffic barriers as a double barrier around the burnout competition.

Al Forsman stated that the money raised from the event goes to the Jake Forsman Scholarship fund for students interested in the trades field.

Mike Forsman stated that he had six vehicles in the car shop and was very happy at how this event went off. Mike Forsman stated that as a "car guy" this was one of his favorite events.

Mike Banovetz, Planning and Zoning Commissioner, stated that the planning and zoning commission has reviewed this event and they have found no issues with approving the Interim Use Permit for this event.

Tim Riley, Planning and Zoning Administrator, indicated that 146 letters were mailed out to the property owners in the area of this event. Riley received 2 comments in favor of the event from DeaWhitten and Angie Mikulich.

Adjourn

Mayor Novak adjourned the meeting at 5:40pm without objection.

Casey Velcheff
Deputy Clerk