



**SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES OF THE  
CITY OF NEOGA  
HELD IN THE CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS, MUNICIPAL BUILDING  
533 CHESTNUT AVENUE, NEOGA, IL  
MARCH 2, 2016, AT 8:15 P.M.**

**CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting was called to order at 8:15 p.m. by Mayor Kepp. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited. Those present were: Commissioners Lindley, Hartke, Stokes, Mayor Kepp, and City Clerk Evans. Also present were Police Chief Andy Schabbing, and City Attorney Tracy Willenborg.

**EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Commissioner Hartke made a motion to move into executive session for personnel section 2 (c) (1) – employee hiring, firing, compensation, discipline and performance at 8:20 p.m. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Stokes. Ayes, Commissioner Hartke, Stokes, Lindley, and Mayor Kepp. Nays, none. Motion carried. 4-0.

**RECONVENED AND ROLL CALL**

The meeting was reconvened at 8:40 p.m. on a motion from Commissioner Hartke. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Stokes. Those present for roll call were: Commissioners Hartke, Stokes, Lindley, and Mayor Kepp.

**DISCUSSION AND APPROVAL DISCIPLINARY ACTION**

Commissioner Hartke made a motion to discharge John Dilger, effective immediately, for allegations of criminal misconduct and/or other actions which a normally prudent employee would recognize as improper. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Lindley. Ayes, Commissioner Hartke, Stokes, Lindley, and Mayor Kepp. Nays, none. Motion carried. 4-0.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Commissioner Hartke made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 9:20 p.m. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Edwards. Ayes, Commissioners Hartke, Stokes, Lindley, Edwards, and Mayor Kepp. Nays, none. Motion carried. 4-0.

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Brenda Evans, City Clerk

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Date