

**CITY OF DUBUQUE, IOWA
CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS
SPECIAL SESSION**

The Dubuque City Council met in special session at 5:30 p.m. on October 3, 2017 in Conference Room B at City Hall 50 West 13th Street.

Present: Mayor Buol; Council Members Connors (5:31 p.m.), Del Toro (5:31 p.m.), Jones, Lynch, Resnick, Rios (5:31 p.m.); City Manager Van Milligen, City Attorney Brumwell

Mayor Buol read the call and stated this is a special session of the City Council called for the purpose of conducting such business that may properly come before the City Council.

ACTION ITEMS

1. Proposed Federal Tax Policy Reform: Federal Historic Preservation Tax Credit and State and Local Tax Deductibility: City Manager recommending Mayor and City Council approval to adopt two resolutions related to the new proposal coming from the Congressional and Executive branches to reduce federal income taxes. Motion by Lynch to receive and file the documents and adopt Resolution No. 334-17 Resolution of the City Council of the City of Dubuque, Iowa Affirming Its Support of The Federal Historic Tax Credit Program; and Resolution No. 335-17 Resolution of the City Council of the City of Dubuque, Iowa Affirming its Support of the State and Local Tax (Salt) Deduction. Seconded by Resnick. Motion carried 7-0.

John Gronen, President of Gronen Properties, 900 Jackson Street; and Andrew Butler, President of SISCO & HealthCorp for Cottingham & Butler, 800 Main Street, spoke in support of the resolutions on behalf of a group of over 80 supporters present and responded to questions from the City Council about efforts to communicate the message to federal legislators.

There being no further business, upon motion the City Council adjourned at 5:44 p.m.

/s/Kevin S. Firnstahl, CMC
City Clerk