

Coralville City Council
Work Session
May 9, 2023
City Hall

Present: Mayor Meghann Foster, Council Members Hai Huynh, Laurie Goodrich, Keith Jones, Mitch Gross, Mike Knudson

Staff Present: City Administrator Kelly Hayworth, Deputy City Administrator Ellen Habel, City Attorney Kevin Olson, Director of Finance Melissa Christianson

Mayor Foster opened the meeting at 7:15 pm.

1. City Administrator's Time: City Administrator asked Deputy City Administrator Ellen Habel to provide an update on the Gather Iowa project. Habel reviewed the location, utility relocation, site plan, proposed elevations, site challenges, community spaces, and remaining acquisitions required. The next step was identified as property acquisition.

Councilors Knudson and Gross left the meeting at 7:45 pm.

Hayworth reviewed the map for RAGBRAI, including the civic campus, S.T. Morrison Park, Northwest Junior High, and Kirkwood Elementary spaces. Hayworth highlighted the campgrounds, concert, vendor, and information tent locations. He noted the quiet campgrounds will be located at Coralville Central and RVs will be parked at the Youth Sports Park. He also noted shuttles will provide transportation up and down 12th Avenue.

Councilor Gross returned at 8:00 pm.

Hayworth continued that two large charter groups will be in the riverfront park area and at the Biscuit Creek/Clear Creek confluence space. He noted that the Coralville Methodist Church and Coralville Community Food Pantry plan to provide a meal.

Adjourned at 8:15 pm.

Notes taken by Ellen Habel, Deputy City Administrator