



MINUTES

Regular Meeting of Newaygo City Council

June 28, 2021

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Fedell called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM. The meeting was held at City Hall located at 28 N. State Road, Newaygo, MI 49337.

Presiding officer: Mayor Fedell

Secretary: Clerk, Kim Goodin

Roll Call: Present: Black, Burns, Ederer, Fedell, Johnson, Walerczyk
Absent: None

Motion by Johnson, second by Walerczyk to approve the agenda as presented. AIF/MC

PUBLIC COMMENTS

CONSENT AGENDA

Motion by Black, second by Burns to approve the Consent Agenda which includes the regular meeting council minutes from 06/14/2021 and accounts payable of \$21,945.69, \$13,150.53, \$950.00, and \$667.90. Roll Call: Yeas: Black, Burns, Ederer, Fedell, Johnson, Walerczyk Absent: None Nay: None. CARRIED

RESERVED TIME

Schneider went over the budget and proposed budget amendments in detail discussing some highlights and explaining some revenue and expenditures. He stated that the budget is overall right where it should be and explained a couple of fluctuations.

COMMITTEE & BOARD REPORTS

CITY MANAGER REPORT

Schneider stated that the Police Department received the Michigan Law Enforcement Accreditation and that Chief Andres would give more updates at the July meeting. He said that Council had already began the process for issuing the Capital Improvement Bonds for the M37 Watermain Project, but have to finalize in July once final pricing is determined. Schneider said that the Newaygo County Hazard Management Plan had been emailed to all Council Members to review and that the City would need to adopt the plan to be eligible for Hazard Mitigation Funding. He said that the Hazard Management Plan would be on the July Council Agenda. Schneider asked Council Members for future development ideas in the City stating that he met with Julie Burrell, Business Development Manager for Newaygo County from the Right Place, and a developer last week and the developer asked what the City would like to see in Newaygo in the future. Council Members discussed: larger rental units, entertainment venues (skating, trampoline, laser tag, etc), family restaurants, and lodging.

DEPARTMENT REPORTS

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

NEW BUSINESS

Motion by Burns, second by Ederer to approve Resolution 2021-23 to amend the City Budget for fiscal year 2020-2021. AIF/MC

Motion by Black, second by Burns to approve Resolution 2021-24 Designating Financial Depositories. AIF/MC

PUBLIC COMMENTS

COUNCIL MEMBER COMMENTS

Johnson and Schneider discussed side streets where M37 detour was occurring.

Black stated proud of Police Department for their hard work receiving accreditation.

Schneider stated that the City has been receiving numerous phone calls related to the Gypsy Moths and a high number of phone calls inquiring about non-city related items.

Motion by Walerczyk, second by Burns to adjourn the meeting. AIF/MC

Meeting adjourned at 7:58 PM.

Mayor – Ed Fedell

Clerk – Kim Goodin