

CITY OF HANCOCK
COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 20, 2021
6:00 PM VIA ZOOM

6:00 P.M.

Regular Meeting
Call to order and pledge of allegiance
Roll Call and verification of quorum

Present: Blau, Lytle, Freeman, LaBine, Rickard, Warstler, Haeussler
Absent: None

Also present: Grant Dossetto, Linda, Mary Miller, Josh Visser, Steve Walton, Michael Markham, Kevin Kalinec, Andy Lahti, and other members of the community.

Motion by Councilor Rickard and supported by Councilor Haeussler to approve agenda.

Yes: All
No: None
Motion Carried

Public Comment- Anyone wishing to address the council will be recognized by the Mayor at this time.

None

Communications

Bridgefest Committee
Copper Country Community Arts

Motion by Councilor Warstler and supported by Councilor Haeussler to accept and put-on file the communications.

Yes: All
No: None
Motion Carried

Review and Approval of Meeting Minutes

Motion by Councilor Rickard and supported by Councilor Warstler to approve the Regular City Council meeting minutes of January 6, 2021 and the Regular City Council meeting minutes of November 18, 2020 (revised).

Yes: All
No: None
Motion Carried

Council discussed and unanimously agreed to start including the Council Member comments that follow Public Comment # 2 in the meeting minutes effective January 13, 2021.

Review and acceptance of meeting minutes/reports

Motion by Councilor Rickard and supported by Councilor Haeussler to review and accept the meeting minutes of the DDA meeting minutes of November 2, 2020, the US-41.M-26 Corridor Meeting minutes of November 12, 2020, the PLWSA meeting minutes of December 8, 2020, the PLWSA Special meeting Minutes of December 21, 2020, and the Assessor's Report of January, 2021.

Yes: All
No: None
Motion Carried

Administrative Report

Zoning Ordinance Update
EDA Grant Update
Campground Update
Electronic Meetings until March 31, 2021
MEDC Programs
Bridge Closure Updates
Rental Ordinance

Old Business

Discussion by the Council on "Blight"

Motion by Councilor Blau and supported by Councilor Haeussler to table the approval of Resolution 21-01 to a Special Meeting next Tuesday @ 6:00pm.

Yes: All
No: None
Motion Carried

New Business

Motion by Councilor Rickard and supported by Councilor Warstler to approve the accounts payable in the amount of \$225,627.59.

Roll Call:
Yes: Haeussler, Warstler, Rickard, Labine, Freeman, Lytle, Blau
No: None
Motion Carried

Motion by Councilor Warstler and supported by Councilor Haeussler to accept with regret the resignation of Jordan Johnson from the DDA effective immediatley.

Yes: All

No: None

Motion Carried

Motion by Councilor Haeussler and supported by Councilor LaBine to accept with regret the resignation of Jeff Kelley from the Planning Commission and Recreation Commision effective 2/4/2021.

Yes: All

No: None

Motion Carried

Motion by Councilor LaBine and supported by Councilor Rickard to appoint Brooke Harris to the Planning Commission with a term ending February 15, 2024.

Yes: All

No: None

Motion Carried

Motion by Councilor Haeussler and supported by Councilor LaBine to approve the General Fund amended budget including revenue of \$3,198,885 and appropriations of \$2,695,353.

Roll Call:

Yes: Blau, Lytle, Freeman, LaBine, Rickard, Warstler, Haeussler

No: None

Motion Carried

Motion by Councilor Haeussler and supported by Councilor Rickard to approve request for proposal for property at 201 E. Franklin St.

Roll Call:

Yes: Haeussler, Warstler, Rickard, Labine, Freeman, Lytle, Blau

No: None

Motion Carried

Motion by Councilor LaBine and supported by Councilor Lytle to approve the return of Tezcuco Street parking to parallel parking.

Yes: All

No: None

Motion Carried

Public Comment- Anyone wishing to address the council will be recognized by the Mayor at this time.

None

Council Member Comments-

Haeussler- gave an update on the Houghton Country Recreation Authority.

Motion by Councilor Rickard and supported by Councilor Warstler to adjourn the meeting at 8:55 p.m.

Yes: All

No: None

Motion Carried



Paul LaBine, Mayor



Ashley Freeman, City Clerk