

The regular meeting of the Harrisville City Council was held on November 8, 2021 at the City Office.

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 P.M. by Mayor Gehring and the Pledge of Allegiance was said.

Present: Mayor Gehring, Treasurer Luenberger, Clerk Pierce, Council Members: Peterson, Kaiser, Schwanz, Mason, Bean, City Attorney Cook and guests. Absent: Bauermeister.

Motion by Kaiser, support by Schwanz, to approve the minutes of October 11, 2021. Motion carried 5-0.

Motion by Bean, support by Peterson to pay the bills in the amount of \$53,601.87. Motion carried 5-0.

Mayor Gerhing updated council on the progress of the playground project. The excavations are complete and the sidewalks and concrete work are in. Delivery of the playground equipment is dependent on delivery dates to the installer.

Mayor Gehring asked to set the Budget Hearing for the 2022 Water/Sewer Budget, for December 13, 2021 at 7:15 PM.

Motion by Schwanz, support by Mason to set the budget hearing for the 2022 Water/Sewer Budget for December 13, 2021 at 7:15 PM. Motion carried: 5-0.

As decreed by Mayor Gehring, Holiday Office Closures shall be:

Thanksgiving: November 25 and 26, 2021. Christmas: December 23, 24, 2021. New Year: December 30th, December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2021. The city office will reopen Monday, January 3, 2022.

## REPORTS

Harbor Commission Chair Lukasiewicz states that the harbor is in the process of being winterized with fueling capabilities still available. The harbor books are to be audited soon as the harbor commission is transitioning to a new treasurer and bookkeeper.

Planning Commissioner Schwanz reports that the commission is very close to finishing the revision of the Master Plan and is working on amendments to several zoning ordinances. The next Planning Commission meeting is Wednesday, November 10, 2021 at 6:30 PM.

Fire Department-Mayor Gehring reports there were a few Medical First Responder calls and no structure fires for the month of October.

County Commissioner Thompson reports that members of the Fair Board will be attending a Fair Board Convention. The Alcona County Fair will be August 9-13, 2022. It will be the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the fair. A Bump and Run and a Demolition Derby is scheduled for March 5, 2022.

Comment Cards: Warner Vanderheuel addressed the council with his concerns about the 45 MPH speed limit at the north end of town. Dr. Bob Turek presented a copy of a resolution in "Support of Vaccine Mandates". Council will discuss and vote at the December 13, 2021 council meeting as to adoption of the resolution and/or declaration.

Councils Last Comments Alderman Schwanz reported that an in-person presentation by a representative of the "Green Initiative" will be at the January 10, 2022 council meeting to speak about the city earning a "Green City" designation.

Motion to adjourn by Mayor Gehring. Adjourned at 7:37 P.M.

Next regularly scheduled City Council meeting is Monday, December 13, 2021 at 7:00 PM.

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Mayor \_\_\_\_\_

Clerk \_\_\_\_\_