

November 20, 2017

A special meeting of the Manistique City Council was held on Monday, November 20, 2017, at 8:00 a.m. Present were Councilmembers Shiner, Hollister, Walker, Hill, and Jeffcott. Also present was City Manager Aldrich.

A. New Business.

1. Citizen Comments Regarding Agenda Items Only.

There were no citizen comments.

2. Marquette Avenue Road Construction.

Manager Aldrich memo. We have been working for several months with a potential business that is going to be relocating from Colorado to Manistique. The business is a saw and planing business and will be employing 20+ people. The business will be located south of Elk and north of Marquette Ave.

Marquette Ave has been platted but undeveloped through this parcel. Please see the conceptual of the future street supplied by Coleman Engineering. We are being asked to develop Marquette Ave for this business to access the property. The city has the sand and gravel to develop the street and would then apply for a grant to pave Otter St. and the new portion of Marquette Ave extended. This street would be added to our inventory and we would receive Act 51 dollars for plowing, maintenance and upkeep.

I am requesting Council authorize the City to move forward with surveying, engineering, permitting, and construction of the extension of Marquette Ave.

This is a very welcome opportunity for Manistique to add a new business and 20+ jobs to our area.

Discussion.

Moved by Councilmember Hollister, seconded by Councilmember Hill

AUTHORIZE the City to move forward with surveying, engineering, permitting, and construction of the proposed extension of Marquette Avenue and contract Coleman Engineering to oversee the project as presented.

Yes – Councilmembers Hollister, Hill, Shiner, Walker, Jeffcott

No – None

3. Citizen Comments.

There were no citizen comments.

The regular meeting of the Manistique City Council adjourned at 8:07 a.m.

Janet Jeffcott, Mayor

Jeffrey L. King, City Clerk