

July 26th, 2021

A regular meeting of the Manistique City Council was held on Monday, July 26th, 2021, at 7:00 p.m. Present were Councilmembers: Ecclesine, Rohde, Johnson, Perilloux and Shiner. Also, present was City Manager Aldrich and City Attorney Bruce Plackowski.

- A. Agenda of the City Council Meeting of July 26th, 2021, with an amendment to the agenda adding Update from EPA as Item #3.

Moved by Councilmember Shiner, Seconded by Councilmember Johnson.

APPROVE the agenda of the Regular City Council meeting from July 27th, 2021, along with amend the agenda adding Item 3: Update from the EPA.

**Yes- Shiner, Johnson, Perilloux, Rohde, Ecclesine
No-None**

- B. Minutes of the Regular City Council meeting on July 12th, 2021.

Moved by Councilmember Rohde, Seconded by Councilmember Ecclesine

APPROVE the minutes of the Regular City Council meeting from July 12th, 2021

**Yes- Rohde, Ecclesine, Perilloux, Johnson, Shiner
No-None**

- C. New Business

1. Citizen Comments Regarding Agenda Items Only.

➤ There were no citizen comments.

2. Army Corp Dredging Project.

Alicia Knuth from the Army Corp spoke at the meeting to bring City Council up to date on the dredging project in the harbor. She provided a background of the Manistique River Project, the history of all the maintenance, and brought them up to date on the work that is taking place. Alicia also told City Council about their goals for the project.

Discussion.

3. Update from the EPA

Mark Miles from the EPA updated City Council on the work they are doing in our Great Lakes and along the river. They are here to monitor the sediment, water, bugs, fish, and spiders. This will start a new baseline after the current dredging project. They will be doing monitoring for 6-10 years.

4. Sidewalk Replacement on Maple Street.

City Manager, Sheila Aldrich presented to Council information that Maple Street sidewalk needs replaced to accompany ADA needs. It would be west of Maple between Elk and Elm Street. She informed them that it is a high traffic area, so it is exceptionally hard for anyone who is disabled or handicapped to navigate leading them to have to use the street. Manager Aldrich asked City Council permission to move forward with this project using Major Street Funds. She also stated that this project would be inhouse or bidding it out if times becomes and issue.

Moved by Councilmember Johnson, Seconded by Councilmember Rohde

APPROVE moving forward with sidewalk replacement on Maple Street.

**Yes- Johnson, Rohde, Ecclesine, Shiner, Perilloux
No-None**

- D. Redevelopment Ready Community.

- Corey Barr informed City Council that there will be a change in dates for the Planning and Zoning Meeting. It is scheduled for Thursday July 29th at 7:00 P.M. The meeting will take place at City Hall.

E. Reports and Communications

- Council Member Rohde reminded everyone of the Schoolcraft County Fair taking place July 31st and all admission and wrist bands will be free due to a generous donation.
- Paul Walker spoke about Voices on Cemetery Hill.
- Corey Barr updated City Council on cyber threats that are continuing to attack City Hall.
- Manager Aldrich informed City Council on the Hyke Vison replacement waiver that we will have to fill out due to the government requiring a change in service.

Moved by Councilmember Rohde, seconded by Councilmember Shiner

APPROVE meeting to adjourn

Yes –Rohde, Shiner, Ecclesine, Johnson, Perilloux

No – None

The regular meeting of the Manistique City Council adjourned at 7:43 P.M

Kimberly Shiner, Mayor

Kalyssa Beebe, Interim City Clerk