

**October 25, 2021**

A regular meeting of the Manistique City Council was held on Monday October 25, 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 October 25, 2021

**Moved by Councilmember Rohde, Seconded by Councilmember Johnson.**

**APPROVE the agenda of the Regular City Council meeting September 27, 2021.**

**Yes- Johnson, Rohde, Perilloux, Ecclesine, Shiner**

**No-None**

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

**Moved by Councilmember Ecclesine, Seconded by Councilmember Rohde.**

**APPROVE the minutes of the Regular City Council meeting from October 12, 2021, with corrections.**

**Yes- Ecclesine, Johnson, Perilloux, Rohde, Shiner**

**No-None**

- C. New Business

1. Citizen Comments Regarding Agenda Items Only.

Floor opened at 7:03pm

No Citizen Comments were made.

2. Special event request – Ladies Night Out

Discussion:

Aldrich – would be a good idea to have the event added to the list of annual events.

Alison Cook – Response has been great, and it does seem like an event that will continue.

**Moved by Councilmember Ecclesine, Seconded by Councilmember Rohde.**

**Accept the application for Special Event – Ladies Night Out on November 11, 2021.**

**Yes- Rohde, Shiner, Ecclesine, Johnson, Perilloux**

**No-None**

3. Dangerous Building violation 112 S Maple Street

Discussion:

Golat: It is a dangerous building and biohazard. County Building inspectors have condemned the building

**Moved by Councilmember Shiner, Seconded by Councilmember Johnson**

**Accept the resolution to approve the order issued by Schoolcraft County Building Inspector on October 7, 2021, to demolish the property located at 112 S Maple Street as a result of the building being a “Dangerous Building as defined by the Manistique City Code.**

Discussion:

Shiner – Thank You to Regan for the work that has been put into this.

Ecclesine – Thank you to the citizens that became aware and alerted the authorities.

**Yes - Rohde, Ecclesine, Shiner, Perilloux, Johnson `**

**No-None**

4. Social District Update

Discussion:

Aldrich: Have not been able to meet together but it is still on their radar and will meet in the next few weeks.

Perilloux: Businesses that are interested will need to go before council for approval. Do we have an adequate number of participants? Would like to not use any taxpayer money until we have at least two confirmed participating businesses. Still concerned with infrastructure abilities and limited hours of downtown shops.

Shiner: The businesses will come forward after council completes a maintenance plan.

Johnson: It's an opportunity for visitors to enjoy a beverage and explore the downtown area. Still concern of it getting repealed in the future. Small communities below the bridge are seeing success with it.

Motion made by Perilloux to only proceed if there is commitment from two businesses. No second was given.

Ecclesine – there has been support of the Merchants to make it happen.

Paul Walker – Social District will be beneficial to the special events that happen. Folk Fest and STC are willing to pitch in to offset the cost of signage required.

D. Redevelopment Ready Community.

Discussion:

Shiner – Meeting happening Monday November 1<sup>st</sup> in the afternoon.

E. Reports and Communications

Corey Barr – Our water has won the regional American Water Works Association taste off. 4 win in 9 years which qualifies us to compete at the state level. Thank you to past and current councils for making the tough decisions regarding water and sewer.

**Moved by Councilmember Shiner, seconded by Councilmember Rohde**

**APPROVE meeting to adjourn**

**Yes –Rohde, Shiner, Ecclesine, Johnson, Perilloux**

**No – None**

The regular meeting of the Manistique City Council adjourned at 7:28 P.M

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Kimberly Shiner, Mayor

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Shaun Peterson, Clerk