

**City of Marquette  
Regular Council Meeting  
Marquette City Hall  
Thursday, July 11, 2019 @ 6:00 p.m.**

Mayor Weipert called the meeting to order at 6:00 PM with roll call and the pledge of allegiance. Halvorson, Ries, Soulli, and Young present. Brodie-Fitzgerald absent. **Motion** by Young, second by Halvorson to approve the consent agenda to include: agenda, 6/11/2019 meeting minutes, bills & claims from June 12 – July 9 for \$82,317.18 that excludes payment to Wolf Machine for Depot sign frame, June financial reports with \$940,152.56 in revenue and \$928,567.46 for expenses, and Depot Phase III pay request to Matt Construction for \$11,683.20. Roll Call vote: all ayes; motion carried. Public comments were made that Cobblestone guests are parking on North St. They should be parking under the bridge or at the casino lot. Cobblestone will be contacted for discussion on parking. Mr. Shaw was in attendance to discuss a nuisance letter for his property at 211 North St. City Council would like to see improvement and review progress in 90 days.

Joe Ludvik has completed his 90-day probation period and acquired his CDL for his Parks/Streets position. Motion by Halvorson, second by Young to approve a wage increase of \$.50/hr for Joe Ludvik. Roll Call vote: all ayes; motion carried. Committee reports were presented by Police and Public Works. Written report was received by the Chamber of Commerce. Jeff Moses has submitted a request for Council to rescind the \$100 penalty for building in the city without a permit. Mr. Moses had his property surveyed to prove he built outside of city limits on an adjoining lot. After discussion, motion by Halvorson, second by Soulli to rescind the \$100 penalty. Roll Call vote: all ayes; motion carried.

The purchase of a mower was included in the 2019/2020 budget. Motion by Ries, second by Halvorson to approve purchase of 2019 Gravely mower from M&M Lawn for \$10,674.00. Roll Call vote: all ayes; motion carried. Motion by Ries, second by Young to advertise the sale of the 2010 John Deere mower for a minimum bid of \$3,000.00. Roll Call vote: all ayes; motion carried. The DNR lease for the Boardwalk expires December 31, 2019. A new lease application was presented for approval. No action taken. Motion by Ries, second by Halvorson to prepay \$5,000.00 to Three Rivers FS for reduced rate propane contract. Roll Call vote: all ayes; motion carried. Mayor gave his report. **Motion** was made by Halvorson, second by Soulli to adjourn at 6:43PM. Roll call vote: all ayes, motion carried.

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Stephen Weipert, Mayor

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Bonnie Basemann, City Clerk