

**City of Marquette
Council Meeting
Marquette City Hall
Tuesday, August 10, 2021, at 6:00PM**

Mayor Weipert called the meeting to order at 6:00 PM with roll call and pledge of allegiance. In attendance: Gilman, Schneider, Young. Absent: Halvorson, Ries. Motion by Gilman, second by Young to approve the consent agenda to include: agenda, 07/13/2021 minutes, bills & claims from 07/14/21-08/10/21 of \$55,314.73, July bank reconciliations, treasurer's report, and budget report with \$74,418.49 in revenue and \$96,147.12 in expenses. Roll call vote, all ayes, motion carried. No public comment.

Committee Reports: Police provided July call log and reported July was busiest month this year. Officer Ceynar will attend academy to begin end of August. Personnel Committee interviewed applicants for the Public Works position. After discussion, motion by Young, second by Schneider to offer the position to candidate A at \$19/hr., with an alternate candidate B, if candidate A does not accept the offer. Roll call vote, all ayes, motion carried. Motion by Young, second by Gilman to donate \$250 to MFL Booster Club. Motion by Schneider, second by Young to support Wetland Centre Interpretive Panel grant application to UMGC. Roll call vote, all ayes, motion carried.

Motion by Schneider, second by Gilman to approve up to \$9500 purchase of computers for city and police use as part of the CARES Act funded program for cities. Roll call vote, all ayes, motion carried. Motion by Young, second by Gilman to set Blink suggested charges for the electric vehicle station of .39/kWh for members and .49/kWh for guests. Roll call vote, all ayes, motion carried. Council agreed to solicit bids to update the Comprehensive Plan.

Mayor reported that solar continues to save about \$2000/mo. The sewer plant produced more energy than it used in July. Progress is being made on the senior housing project and reminded Council of the upcoming election in November. Motion by Gilman, second by Schneider to adjourn at 6:22 PM. All ayes, motion carried.

Attest:

Stephen Weipert, Mayor

Bonnie Basemann, City Clerk