

**City of Marquette
Council Meeting
Marquette City Hall
Tuesday, September 14, 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, Halvorson, Schneider. Absent: Ries, Young. Motion by Gilman, second by Halvorson to approve the consent agenda to include: agenda, 08/10/2021 minutes, bills & claims from 08/11/21-9/14/21 of \$49,497.67, August bank reconciliations, treasurer's report, and budget report with \$124,813.51 in revenue and \$46,490.95 in expenses, Casey's liquor license renewal, and Adventurer's Outpost new liquor license. Roll call vote, all ayes, motion carried. No public comment.

Committee Reports: Police provided August call log reports. Chief is on medical leave until 10/7/21 with shifts being covered by Kwilinski, part-time officers, and sheriff's department. New radar sign will be installed in October, and E911 is planning for communications network upgrades. Mayor reported that our new public works employees is doing well. DAWC reported the afterschool program has started and DAWC was awarded a \$3000 3M grant for operations. Marquette already meets criteria for Bird Friendly City status and DAWC requests we apply. Motion by Halvorson, second by Schneider to apply for Bird Friendly City consideration. Roll call vote, all ayes, motion carried.

Motion by Halvorson, second by Gilman to approve \$500 to Mar Mac Chamber for GRRRR sponsorship. Roll call vote, all ayes, motion carried. Motion by Schneider, second by Gilman to approve Iowa Safety Education Program agreement through IAMU for staff training. Roll call vote, all ayes, motion carried. Motion by Schneider, second by Gilman to approve Comprehensive Plan Proposal for \$7,732 with Upper Explorerland RPC. Roll call vote, all ayes, motion carried. Motion by Halvorson, second by Schneider to approve Resolution 2021-15 to add Community Savings Bank in Garnavillo, Iowa as a financial institution. Roll call vote, all ayes, motion carried. Motion by Gilman, second by Schneider to approve Resolution 2021-16 assigning Community Savings Bank as a depository and designating authorized signers. Roll call vote, all ayes, motion carried.

Motion by Gilman, second by Halvorson to approve Resolution 2021-17 to approve Annual Financial Report for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2021. Roll call vote, all ayes, motion carried. Motion by Halvorson, second by Gilman to approve Resolution 2021-18 to approve Street Financial Report for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2021. Roll call vote, all ayes, motion carried. Motion by Halvorson, second by Gilman that Fall Clean Up be Saturday, October 23, 2021. Roll call vote, all ayes, motion carried.

Mayor reported that the EV charging station is back in operation and that people have chosen to stay in Marquette because they can charge their vehicle. City Hall will be closed Thursday 9/16/21 for continuing education and Depot may have reduced hours on Monday 9/20/21. Motion by Schneider, second by Halvorson to adjourn at 6:29PM. All ayes, motion carried.

Attest:

Stephen Weipert, Mayor

Bonnie Basemann, City Clerk