

**City of Marquette**  
**Regular Council Meeting**  
**Marquette City Hall**  
**Tuesday October 13, 2020 @ 6:00 p.m.**

Mayor Weipert called the meeting to order at 6:00 PM with roll call and pledge of allegiance. Gilman, Halvorson, Schneider, Young present. Ries absent. **Motion** by Schneider, second by Young to approve the consent agenda to include: agenda, 09/08/2020 minutes, bills & claims from 9/09/20 – 10/13/2020 of \$68,716.84, September bank reconciliations, treasurer’s report, budget report with \$76,172.14 in revenue and \$50,793.53 in expenses, and contract pay requests from Eagle Point Solar for \$90,909.00 and \$30,303.00. Roll call vote: all ayes; motion carried.

No Public comment. Committee Reports: Chief Millin provided written call reports. Chamber president Audrey Posten reported that Director Kishman has resigned. Chamber is accepting applications until Nov. 15<sup>th</sup> and are looking for financial support for ability to negotiate suitable pay. Chamber Board members Diane Malcom & Joe Brooks provided additional comments. City Council will review Chamber financial support during budget discussions.

Council reviewed recommendations from Dock Commission for Maiden Voyage Tours lease. After discussion, **motion** by Halvorson, second by Gilman to approve Amendment to Waterfront Use Commercial Licensing Agreement that increases annual fee by 1%, allows a limited menu restaurant, and encourages cars to use other city parking. Roll call vote: all ayes; motion carried. Housing Committee presents a Request for Proposal to solicit Senior/Affordable Housing projects. **Motion** by Halvorson, second by Gilman to approve Request for Proposal for Senior/Affordable Housing Development due December 31, 2020. Roll call vote: all ayes; motion carried.

**Motion** by Schneider, second by Halvorson to approve the final reading and passage of **Ordinance 412** amending **Chapter 55 Animal Protection and Control**. Roll call vote: all ayes; motion carried. **Motion** by Young, second by Gilman to approve the final reading and passage of **Ordinance 413** amending **Chapter 56 Dangerous and Vicious Animals**. Roll call vote: all ayes; motion carried. **Motion** by Gilman, second by Halvorson to approve the second reading of **Ordinance 414** creating **Chapter 57 Pet Licensing**. Roll call vote: all ayes; motion carried. **Motion** by Gilman, second by Halvorson to approve the final reading and passage of **Ordinance 414** creating **Chapter 57 Pet Licensing**. Roll call vote: all ayes; motion carried. **Motion** by Gilman, second by Young to approve the final reading and passage of **Ordinance 416** updating **Chapter 62 General Traffic Regulations**. Roll call vote: all ayes; motion carried. **Motion** by Halvorson, second by Schneider to approve the first reading of **Ordinance 417** updating **Amending Tobacco Regulations**. Roll call vote: all ayes; motion carried. **Motion** by Schneider, second by Gilman to waive additional readings and approve the final reading and passage of **Ordinance 417** updating **Amending Tobacco Regulations**. Council discussed parking violations and plan to increase general parking violations to \$25 and implement a \$100 fine for parking on the dike. Final draft of Ordinance 418 will be considered next month. Urban Renewal report was presented. **Motion** by Schneider, second by Halvorson to approve **Resolution 20-26** FY 2020 Urban Renewal Report. Roll call vote: all ayes; motion carried.

Halloween will be left up to discretion of parents at same hours as previous years (4PM-7PM). please turn off your outside lights if you choose not to participate. Mayor reported that DNR employee discussed with Dock Commission the parking situation at the riverfront. Bass tournaments that stay in PDC but launch in Marquette and empty boat trailers with no vehicles being left on the weekends. **Motion** was made by Gilman, second by Halvorson to adjourn at 7:04 PM. All ayes, motion carried.

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Stephen Weipert, Mayor

Attest:

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Bonnie Basemann, City Clerk