

**MINUTES
CITY OF NEGAUNEE REGULAR MEETING
MARCH 11, 2021**

A Regular Meeting of the Negaunee City Council was held on Thursday at 7:00 p.m. with the City Council in person at the Negaunee Ice Arena and the public via teleconference.

Members Present: Council Members Maino, Karki, Flohe, LaLonde, Stagliano, Ilmonen

Members Absent: Mayor Wallner

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

A motion was made by Council Member Stagliano, supported by Council Member Maino and unanimously carried to approve the agenda as presented.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Rhonda Huffman addressed the Council regarding her Bed & Breakfast application history with the Planning Commission and Zoning Board of Appeals.

PUBLIC HEARING

Mayor Pro Tem LaLonde opened the public hearing. No one from the public wished to comment. The Public Hearing was closed.

A motion was made by Council Member Maino, supported by Council Member Karki and unanimously carried to approve the 2nd Reading and adopt the #606 Animal Control Ordinance.

MASTER PLAN

Ryan Soucy, CUPPAD was present via teleconference to give a brief update to the Master Plan process.

A motion was made by Council Member Maino, supported by Council Member Karki and unanimously carried to appoint Council Members Stagliano and LaLonde to the Master Plan committee.

RADIO PURCHASE – POLICE DEPARTMENT

A motion was made by Council Member Karki, supported by Council Member Stagliano and unanimously carried to authorize the purchase of the radios from ELCOM Systems in the amount of \$37,737.36 with monies coming from the Police Department Capital Outlay and the Equipment Millage.

TASER PURCHASE – POLICE DEPARTMENT

A motion was made by Council Member Ilmonen, supported by Council Member Karki and unanimously carried to authorize the purchase of the tasers and accessories from AXON in the amount of \$5,999.18 with monies coming from the Police Department Capital Outlay.

ZAMBONI HOT WATER HEATER – EMERGENCY PURCHASE

A motion was made by Council Member Maino, supported by Council Member Ilmonen and unanimously carried to make the (emergency purchase) pay the invoice to Beauchamp's for the Zamboni Hot Water Heater in the amount of \$13,450 with monies coming from Parks Capital Outlay, Ice Arena Repairs and the use of fund balance in the Parks and Recreation millage.

2020 BUDGET ADJUSTMENTS

A motion was made by Council Member Flohe, supported by Council Member Maino and unanimously carried to make the budget adjustments and any additional adjustments as deemed necessary to bring the 2020 budget into compliance with State law.

CONSENT AGENDA

A motion was made by Council Member Stagliano, supported by Council Member Karki and unanimously carried to approve the Consent Agenda as follows: February 11, 2021 Regular Minutes, Claims and Accounts in the amount of \$558,311.55 (checks #81727-8855), Revenue/Expenditure Trial Balance Reports, Jackson Mine Park Sign and Landscaping purchase, Appointments to ZBA and Library Boards.

PUBLIC COMMENT

No one from the public wished to comment.

COUNCIL COMMENTS

Council Member Karki commented on the equipment replacements, summer project and that the ski jumps went well.

Council Member Ilmonen commented on the businesses in town following the covid restrictions.

Council Member Stagliano commented on the Teal Lake project.

Council Member LaLonde commented on the snow melting and new downtown businesses.

CITY MANAGER

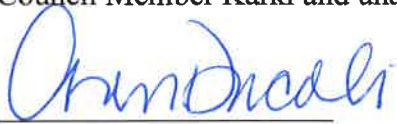
City Manager Heffron commented on the Interlocal Agreement with Ishpeming, City Manager Evaluations, activity in downtown.

CITY ATTORNEY

Attorney Pickens commended everyone in the City on COVID safety and protocols.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to discuss a motion was made by Council Maino, supported by Council Member Karki and unanimously carried to adjourn the meeting at 7:37 p.m.



Ann Duoli
Deputy Clerk