

**REGULAR MEETING OF THE COMMON COUNCIL
July 6, 2021**

The Common Council of the City of Richland Center, Wisconsin, met in person on Tuesday, July 6, 2021 commencing at 7:30 PM with Mayor Todd Coppernoll presiding via telephone. Alderpersons Susan Fruit, Chelsey Walters, Ryan Cairns, Karin Tepley, Carson Culver, Melony Walters, John Colins, and Scotty Wallace were present. Mayor Coppernoll ascertained from the Clerk that the meeting was properly noticed.

Fruit motioned to waive the reading and approve the minutes of the June 15, 2021 council meeting as presented. Second by Wallace. Motion carried unanimously.

Wallace requested removing 7a from agenda. M. Walters motioned to approve the agenda as amended. Second by Culver. Motion carried unanimously.

MAYOR AND ALDERPERSONS CONCERNS TO BE DISCUSSED AT A FUTURE MEETING: None. Mayor reported that he is dealing with symptoms of a concussion.

CITY AND UTILITY DEPARTMENT HEAD CONCERNS: Dave Fry reported that there was an AC problem at the Community Center. The roof unit had a plugged pipe and broken wire which was repaired. AC is now working properly.

TREASURE'S REPORT

Motion by Tepley to approve the treasurer's report as read. Collins seconded the motion. Motion carried 8-0.

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS (Wallace):

CONSIDER AND POSSIBLE ACTION ON LIMITING PARKING AT THE CORNER OF MAIN AND EIGHTH STREETS: Citizen and Utility complaints of visibility and hazard to motorists due to vehicles parked on the southeast corner of Main and 8th streets. Motion by Wallace to approve painting yellow line on curb eliminating 2 parking spaces. Fruit seconded the motion. Motion carried 8-0.

FINANCE COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS (Cairns):

CONSIDER AND POSSIBLE ACTION ON BIDDING FOR STORM SEWER REPAIR ON SEMINARY AT MAIN STREET: Due to frost and winter, the concrete for the storm grates is deteriorating. Motion by Cairns for Vierbacher Assoc. for engineering services in the amount of \$9,740. Collins seconded the motion. Motion carried 8-0.

APOINTMENTS TO COMMITTEES, COMMISSIONS, BOARDS, AND CONFIRM APOINTMENTS: None

PAYMENT OF MONTHLY BILLS: Cairns makes motion to pay bills as presented. M. Walters seconded the motion. Motion carried 8-0.

PUBLIC COMMENTS: Sharon Schmitz shared an update from the Ambulance Committee. Richland County approved 4-1 to proceed purchasing the REC building. Simpson still on board with project. Rod Perry reported a traffic and speed issue for Haseltine St. Trucks hauling

gravel and sand. Speed is a safety concern along with the volume of traffic, especially the high number of dump trucks.

MAYOR AND ALDERPERSONS – COMMITTEE/COMMISSION/BOARD REPORTS AND COMMENTS:

Aldersperson Tepley – Library Board encourages the community to see the many activities occurring at the library by viewing the Facebook page.

Mayor Coppernoll reported that several people have contacted him in regards to the weeds growing in the downtown sidewalks. Property owners are responsible for removal.

City Clerk Joyce announced the Board of Review and Open Book Dates.

DEPARTMENTS AND UTILITY REPORTS: None

ADJOURN: Tepley makes motion to adjourn. C. Walters seconded the motion. Motion carries unanimously at 7:55 PM.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Aaron Joyce, City Clerk/Treasurer