

CITY OF IRON MOUNTAIN*CITY COUNCIL*MARCH 1, 2021

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Regular Meeting of the City Council, City of Iron Mountain, County of Dickinson, Michigan held on Monday, March 1, 2021 at 6:00 p.m. via electronic meeting.

Presiding: Mayor Alessandrini

Present: Council Members Schinderle, Maule, Revord, Blomquist, Zemar & Clawson

Absent: None

Also Present: City Manager Stanchina & City Attorney Pirkola

Approval of Agenda

It was moved by Revord and supported by Maule to approve the agenda, as submitted.

Motion Prevailed Unanimously

Approval of Minutes

Stanchina explained that the minutes of January 18, 2021, need to be re-approved with a detailed list of the City's signatories rather than referring to the Chief Financial Officer's memo.

It was moved by Schinderle and supported by Zemar to approve the minutes of January 18, 2021, and February 15, 2021, as presented.

Motion Prevailed Unanimously

Public Comment

None

Old Business

Truck Shop LED Lighting Retrofit Bid Opening Re: Department of Public Works

Stanchina opened the bids to retrofit the truck shop with LED lighting as shown below:

	Truck	Offices	Total
G. Brooks Electric	\$7,100	\$2,412	\$9,512
M.J. Electric	\$13,770	\$6,094	\$19,290

The bids were discussed and referred to staff for evaluation.

No Action Taken

New Business

Establish a Public Hearing Re: Michigan Natural Resources Trust Fund Grant

Stanchina reviewed the grant application and stated that the required match for the grant is \$90,000.00.

It was moved by Alessandrini and supported by Schinderle to hold a public hearing to gather input on the Pewabic Hill Trail System Michigan Natural Resources Trust Fund Grant application at 6:00 P.M. on March 15, 2021.

Motion Prevailed Unanimously

Approval to Solicit Bids Re: DPW Shop Floor Grind and Polish

Stanchina imparted that bids would be opened at the March 15, 2021, regular City Council meeting.

It was moved by Revord and supported by Blomquist to solicit bids to grind and polish the shop floor at the Department of Public Works' facility with bids due at 4:00 P.M. and opened at 6:00 P.M. on March 15, 2021.

Motion Prevailed Unanimously

Approval to Submit a List of Delinquent Personal Property Bills to Circuit Court for Write-Off

Stanchina presented a request to move forward with the write-off process for the 2014 tax season's uncollectable delinquent personal property.

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2014
Total Delinquent Amount \$979.51

Uncollectable

051-500-743-00	\$735.21	Jackson Hewitt Tax Services
051-510-039-00	\$101.12	Trailer/adjoining personal property was demoed
051-510-050-00	\$109.78	Trailer/adjoining personal property was demoed
051-510-052-00	\$33.40	Trailer/adjoining personal property was demoed

	\$979.51	
To Be Written Off		2014

It was moved by Revord and supported by Zemar to authorize the writing-off of the 2014 tax season's uncollectable delinquent personal property via Circuit Court.

Roll-call vote was taken:

Aye: Schinderle, Blomquist, Clawson, Zemar, Alessandrini, Revord & Maule

Nay: None

Abstain: None

Motion Prevailed (Aye-7, Nay-0, Abstain-0)

Reports

Financial Reports

None

City Manager Reports

Stanchina reported on the City's current Redevelopment Ready Communities status, the DDA's Bird Scooter project feedback, Covid-19 vaccine being offered to the remainder of City employees, moving of garbage collection to the street due to spring thaw, closure of the dog park due to wet conditions and upcoming city-wide rubbish drop-off.

City Attorney Reports

None

Committee Reports

Stanchina stated that the Infrastructure Committee is reviewing the over-budget engineering charges for the W. C Street project.

Public Comment

None

Council Member Privilege

Department of Public Works supervisor, Scott Thomas, confirmed that the City's plowing budget is in excess of \$100,000 underbudget due to the mild winter.

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Adjournment

It was moved by Maule and supported by Schinderle to adjourn.

Motion Prevailed Unanimously

Meeting adjourned at 6:43 P.M.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Isaac P. Micheau". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial 'I'.

Isaac Micheau
Clerk-Treasurer