

August 05, 2019

Gladwin, Michigan

The Regular Meeting of the Gladwin City Council was called to order by Mayor Darlene Jungman at 5:00 p.m.

Present: Bodnar, Caffrey, Crawford, Darlington, Gardner, Kile, Smith, Winarski

Absent: None

Staff Present: Chris Shannon, Kim Bruner, Bernie Weaver, Jim Volant, Brian Jungman

Also Present: Mayor Dee Jungman, Cristy Gutierrez, Kaitlin Thorne, Donna Alward, Kelly Gower, Benjamin Seago, Dan Svetcos, Chris Stornach

Mayor Jungman led the Pledge of Allegiance and Council Member Kile gave the invocation.

Motion by Council Member Caffrey, seconded by Council Member Darlington to recess the regular meeting and enter into the Public Hearing for Mosquito Ballot Proposal at 5:01 p.m. All ayes. Motion carried.

Benjamin Seago with APM North went over the 2 year proposal for the mosquito spraying to be placed on the ballot for the November election and he answered questions regarding the spraying.

The mayor read a letter submitted by Jeff Kaletto who could not be present as he is in favor of the spraying.

Motion by Council Member Darlington, seconded by Council Member Bodnar to adjourn the public hearing for the mosquito ballot proposal and resume the regular meeting at 5:16 p.m. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Council Member Gardner, seconded by Council Member Caffrey to approve the minutes from the July 15, 2019 for the regular City Council meeting as presented. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Council Member Caffrey, seconded by Council Member Crawford to approve warrant #20-003 in the amount of \$133,669.66, warrant #20-004 in the amount of \$70,722.37, and payroll for the period ending July 14, 2019 in the amount of \$60,117.17 and payroll for pay period ending July 28, 2019 in the amount of \$60,145.58. All ayes. Motion carried.

Hearing of Delegations:

None

Motion by Council Member Gardner, seconded by Council Member Kile to approve the agenda. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Council Member Caffrey, seconded by Council Member Kile to approve the Consent Agenda as follows: Communications: i.) Gladwin County Library June Statistics, ii.) DAR- Thank you, iii.) EGLE – Asset Management Program Approval, iv.) IRS-Defeasement of Arena bond, v.) Consumers Energy – Case No. U-20209. Meetings: i.) Gladwin County Commissioners Meeting – June 25, 2019, ii.) Gladwin City Housing Commission Meeting – July 09, 2019, iii.) Gladwin County Commissioners Meeting – July 09, 2019, iv.) Gladwin Airport Commission Meeting – July 11, 2019, v.) Gladwin County Trail Authority Meeting – July 11, 2019, vi.) Gladwin City Board of Review Meeting – July 16, 2019, vii.) Gladwin City Parks Commission Meeting – July 22, 2019, viii.) Gladwin Personnel/Finance Committee Meeting – July 29, 2019. All ayes. Motion carried.

Public Comment:

City Resident Chris Stornach was present to discuss ideas of things for the North Park and the Gladwin Community Picnic. He stated that he would like to see a 9 hole disc golf course put in and has been speaking to sponsors to help cover the cost of the course. He has had paint and cans donated to do a trash can painting and have the cans placed along the park trail and that way it would hopefully help keep the trail cleaner. He stated that North park is a great location to do outdoor movies and utilize the North Park more, we have beautiful parks and we need to take pride in our parks that we have.

Old Business:

Spoke about renovations at the North Park and the fact that the skate park equipment can not be sold due to it being part of a grant.

Much discussion of different ideas of what to do at the North Park location.

It was decided to table anything further until they know what the budget looks like for the parks.

New Business:

Motion by Council Member Caffrey, seconded by Council Member Smith to approve that the mosquito control language to be placed on the ballot. 6 ayes 2 nays. Motion carried.

Motion by Council Member Caffrey, seconded by Council Member Smith to approve Jim Volant was present on behalf of the American Legion to request the use of the North Park for the Legions monthly meetings, in return the Legion will help maintain the grounds and building and help with the utilities in exchange for the use.

Motion by Council Member Caffrey, seconded by Council Member Smith to approve the City to draft and enter into an agreement with the American Legion. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Council Member Kile, seconded by Council Member Caffrey to allow the City park to disconnect the water and close the park as of November 1st. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Council Member Gardner, seconded by Council Member Crawford to allow the City to seek proposals for the City Attorney position. All ayes. Motion carried.

Comments:

Mayor Jungman would like to express her gratitude to all veterans.

Council Member Winarski would like to thank Council Member Gardner for his comments on the park renovation project and for being budget Conesus with the park and she hopes to see everyone at the park picnic next week and hopes everyone brings their ideas on renovating the parks.

Council Member Kile would like to thank Ben Seago from APM for coming and speaking with the Council and to thank Chris Stornach for coming and sharing his comments and would like to thank Jim Volant for coming and for the interest in using the North Park building.

Council Member Bodnar would like to thank Administrator Shannon for seeing that the dead trees were taking down.

Council Member Caffrey just wanted to state that Airport has been very busy and that we still have the lowest fuel prices around.

Council Member Darlington stated that Mid Michigan College is putting in a disc golf park at the college.

Administrator Shannon gave a brief update on things happening in the City.

Motion by Council Member Caffrey, seconded by Council Member Bodnar to adjourn. All ayes. Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 6:08 p.m.

Darlene Jungman, Mayor

Kimberly Bruner, City Clerk