

MINUTES OF THE MARYSVILLE CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING HELD ON
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 2018 AT 7:30 P.M. IN THE JOSEPH S. JOHNS COUNCIL CHAMBERS,
AT 1111 DELAWARE AVENUE, MARYSVILLE, MICHIGAN 48040

Pledge of Allegiance led by Mayor Damman

ROLL CALL:

PRESENT: Mayor Damman, Mayor Pro-Tem Hayman, Council Members Barber, Badley,
Hendricks, Shirkey and Wessel
ABSENT: None
VISITORS: J. Cramer, T. Osentoski, J. VanDeCreek, J. Morreale and T. Beers
ADMIN: R. Fernandez, A. Francis, B. Kreiner, T. Konik, B. Wrubel and R. Warnke

AGENDA AMENDMENTS:

1. D. Weymouth asked for an agenda amendment regarding leadership in the city. Council Member Barber made a motion to not add leadership to the agenda and Council Member Hendricks supported the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

COMMUNICATIONS/PRESENTATIONS:

1. HRC representatives Jesse VanDeCreek and Jennifer Morreale gave an update on the SAW Grant project which ends in November 2019.

CITIZENS TO BE HEARD:

1. D. Weymouth, P.O. Box 160, Marysville, MI commented that he had been treated unfairly and there is corruption in the city.

CONSENT AGENDA:

Moved by Council Member Hendricks, supported by Mayor Pro-Tem Hayman to approve the Consent Agenda.

1. Approved minutes of the Regular Meeting held on Monday, September 10, 2018 and minutes of the Goal Setting Session held on Monday, September 17, 2018.
2. Approved introduction of Ordinance No. 472 to amend the Marysville City Code Title II, Chapter 23 City Water Utility, Section 2.58 Prohibited Deposits in Sanitary and Combined Sewer.
Motion passed unanimously.

ACTION AGENDA:

1. Moved by Council Member Wessel, supported by Council Member Badley to approve bills in the amount of \$271,951.81, payroll for October 5, 2018, and electronic payments in the amount of \$1,362,590.47.
Yes – Mayor Pro-Tem Hayman, Council Members Barber, Badley, Hendricks, Shirkey and Wessel
No – Mayor Damman
Motion passed 6-1.

2. Moved by Council Member Hendricks, supported by Mayor Pro-Tem Hayman to approve moving funds for Fringe Benefits – Retiree Healthcare in the amount of \$425,000 from the committed fund balance to the general fund unassigned fund balance. Motion passed unanimously.
3. Moved by Council Member Barber, supported by Council Member Wessel to approve ECT proposals to develop a master plan for Marysville Veteran’s Memorial Park and Morton Park in a revised amount not to exceed \$24,280.
Yes – Mayor Damman, Mayor Pro-Tem Hayman, Council Members Barber, Badley, Hendricks and Wessel
No – Council Member Shirkey
Motion passed 6-1.

FOLLOW UP BUSINESS:

1. Council Member Barber asked about the monthly administrative reports and commented on social media posts regarding the Homecoming Parade and the condition of Marysville roads. He stated that the City is very concerned about the roads and will continue to look for funding to repair roads.

MAYOR & COUNCIL/MANAGER COMMENTS:

Council Member Wessel thanked all of the men that volunteered at the golf course to aerate the greens.

Council Member Badley thanked Chief Konik and DPW Director Kreiner for the good job in blocking the intersections during the Homecoming Parade.

Council Member Hendricks is encouraged by the PASER Ratings being done for the roads, the SAW Grant progress and the upcoming park plans. She has received many complaints about the availability of the school and is hoping for some resolution to this. She also reminded everyone of Christmas in the Park.

Mayor Pro-Tem Hayman encouraged everyone to vote on November 6th; to register to vote if they haven’t and as always citizens can vote absentee if they qualify. She wished her husband Doug a happy 36th anniversary.

Council Member Barber asked about the annual food drive, management responded. He also announced Beacon Wealth Group’s Open House to be held October 2 from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

City Manager Fernandez announced that the new public safety boat should be arriving Tuesday and that there are grants for major roads but not for local roads.

Mayor Damman congratulated Hannah Winston on being named drum major and crowned Homecoming Queen. Mayor Damman spoke to a DNR representative about coyotes in the city and found that there have been no reported attacks of a coyote against a human in the state of Michigan. Mayor Damman is trying to organize a debate amongst the 4 candidates for the 10th District Representative in Congress and possibly a gubernatorial candidate meet and greet.

Renae Warnke, City Clerk

9:05 p.m. on motion, City Council adjourned