

MINUTES OF THE MARYSVILLE CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING HELD ON  
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 2019 AT 7:32 P.M. IN THE JOSEPH S. JOHNS COUNCIL CHAMBERS,  
AT 1111 DELAWARE AVENUE, MARYSVILLE, MICHIGAN 48040

Pledge of Allegiance led by Mayor Pyden

ROLL CALL:

PRESENT: Mayor Pyden, Mayor Pro-Tem Hayman, Council Members Barber, Shirkey, Badley,  
Wessel and Winston  
ABSENT: None  
VISITORS: J. Vokes and T. Beers  
ADMIN: R. Fernandez, A. Francis, B. Kreiner, T. Konik, M. Booth, B. Wrubel, A. Ratliff  
and R. Stoia

AGENDA AMENDMENTS: None

COMMUNICATIONS/PRESENTATIONS:

1. Public Safety Chief, Tom Konik thanked the entire community for the support that was received, along with Justin Reeves and wife Lisa for their tremendous work to secure a new vehicle for K-9 Officer Heiko through the Vested Interest K-9 organization.

CITIZENS TO BE HEARD: None

CONSENT AGENDA:

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

1. Approve minutes of the Regular Meeting held on Monday, October 28, 2019.  
Motion passed unanimously.

ACTION AGENDA:

1. Moved by Council Member Wessel, supported by Mayor Pro-Tem Hayman to approve bills in the amount of \$286,248.90 and payroll for November 15, 2019. Motion passed unanimously.
2. Moved by Council Member Badley, supported by Council Member Barber to approve payments to Shirkey Electric in the amount of \$2,322.77 for services at the Library and Wastewater Plant.  
Yes – Mayor Pyden, Mayor Pro-Tem Hayman, Council Members Barber, Badley, Wessel and Winston.  
Abstained – Council Member Shirkey  
Motion passed.
3. Moved by Council Member Wessel, supported by Council Member Shirkey to approve Resolution to adopt “Conditions for Acceptance of Dog Park Grants”. Motion passed unanimously.

4. Moved by Council Member Shirkey, supported by Mayor Pro-Tem Hayman to approve recommendation to accept the lowest cost responsive quote in the amount of \$10,200.88 from USA Bluebook of Gurnee, IL to purchase fall protection equipment at the Water Plant and Wastewater Treatment Plant. Motion passed unanimously.

#### FOLLOW UP BUSINESS:

1. Council Member Shirkey inquired about the floors at the Public Safety Building.

#### MAYOR & COUNCIL/MANAGER COMMENTS:

Officer Reeves and Heiko stated the Vested Interest K9 Grant they received was a victory by the whole community; are grateful for the anonymous donation made and everyone's support and help was very much appreciated.

Legal Counsel Al Frances welcomed back Mayor Pyden; thanked the city for the reappointment of their firm and making Gary as Chief Negotiator. He is looking forward to working with council and continuing the great relationship.

City Manager Fernandez congratulated Mayor Pyden and Council Members; acknowledged veterans and on behalf of the city he extended a thank you to Officer Reeves, his wife, the whole community and the anonymous donor for their support in the Vested Interest K-9 grant and voting for Heiko.

DPW Director Barry Kreiner informed residents that the leaves and snow situation is beyond our control and Emterra is doing their best to get all leaves picked up.

Council Member Badley thanked Barry Kreiner for addressing the leaf situation; welcomed new Council Member Winston, Mayor Pyden and returning members Hayman and Wessel; he is looking forward to working with this council; wished everyone a happy Veteran's Day and thanked them for serving. He also gave a special thank you to his wife who is a veteran and made note that he is sporting a Michigan tie tonight, Go Blue!

Council Member Wessel congratulated Shawn Winston and hopes he enjoys the next five years; congratulated Mayor Pro-Tem Hayman and Mayor Pyden. Being a veteran himself, he thanked all veterans who served and are currently serving.

Council Member Winston thanked the community for its support and he is honored to be a part of the team. He congratulated the Girls' Varsity Volleyball team on winning districts and congratulated Mayor Pro-Tem Hayman and Council Member Wessel on their re-election. He also thanked all veterans for serving our country.

Council Member Barber stated that if you have the freedom to hear his voice, think of a veteran. To those sworn in tonight, congratulations, roll up your sleeves it's time to get to work.

Council Member Shirkey thanked all veterans; congratulated Mayor Pyden and council members and thanked voters for coming out and making their voices heard.

Mayor Pro-Tem Hayman thanked the citizens for her re-election; congratulated Shawn Winston and Paul Wessel; welcomed back Mayor Pyden; wished deer hunters good luck and to be safe; stated her father was a veteran and thanked all veterans. She stated that we have the best Department of Public Works who deserve our respect and kindness also wished them luck and patience.

Mayor Pyden gave a heartfelt thank you to the voters who elected him mayor, to his best friend and wife Jeanette who supported and encouraged him without hesitation or ever questioned why, to his daughters Amy and Jessica and son-in-law Aaron for their support and efforts, to his green and white shirt brigade – grandsons Logan and Sawyer, granddaughter Lauryn and her friend Kailey and family, and great grandchildren Vanna and Landan. He is looking forward to serving as mayor the next three years, congratulated Paul and Kathy on their re-election and welcomed Shawn aboard. Mayor Pyden gave a very personal thank you to Home Depot Associate, Michael Higgins for hand crafting this special gavel, he will use it proudly. Mayor Pyden is looking forward to the coming weekend – GO GREEN!

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Rene' Stoia, Deputy City Clerk

8:15 p.m. on motion, City Council adjourned.