

May 21, 2018

Minutes of the regular meeting of the city council of the City of Kingsford, County of Dickinson, and State of Michigan.

A regular meeting of the Kingsford city council was held Monday, May 21, 2018 at 6:30 p.m. in the council room in City Hall.

Roll Call: Present: Councilmember Baldinelli, Dixon-Miller, Groeneveld, Flaminio and Erickson
Absent: None

Also present were City Manager Anthony Edlebeck, City Attorney Bruce Brouillette, Public Safety Lieutenant Joseph Menghini, Public Works Superintendent Justin Wickman, Floyd Lindholm and Tanya Hiltonen.
The pledge of allegiance was stated.

A motion was made by Councilmember Flaminio and supported by Councilmember Baldinelli to approve the May 7, 2018 City Council Meeting minutes as presented.
ALL AYES. NO NAYS. MOTION CARRIED.

A motion was made by Councilmember Baldinelli and supported by Councilmember Groeneveld to approve the agenda as presented.
ALL AYES. NO NAYS. MOTION CARRIED.

A motion was made by Councilmember Flaminio and supported by Councilmember Groeneveld to approve the invoices for May 8, 2018 through May 21, 2018 in the amount of \$200,383.87.
ALL AYES. NO NAYS. MOTION CARRIED.

The consent agenda consisted of the following:

Public Safety Report
April Treasurer's Report

A motion was made by Councilmember Baldinelli and supported by Councilmember Dixon-Miller to receive and place on file the consent agenda.
ALL AYES. NO NAYS. MOTION CARRIED.

There was no Public Comment.

The only item under Communications was Public Service Commission Notice of Hearing for the Electric Customers of Upper Michigan Energy Resources Corporation (UMERC) Case No. U-20074 to be held on June 6, 2018 at 9:30am in Lansing, Michigan re: to consider UMEREC's March 27, 2018 application for approval of the reconciliation of power supply costs and revenues for the 12-month period ended December 31, 2017.

A motion was made by Councilmember Groeneveld and supported by Councilmember Dixon-Miller to receive and place on file the Public Service Commission Notice of Hearing Case No. U-20074.
ALL AYES. NO NAYS. MOTION CARRIED.

Copies of all communications are affixed to and made a part of the permanent record.

The Manager's Report was presented by Edlebeck.

- A copy of the 2018-2019 Appropriations Budget was included in the packet. Following the May 9th discussion, an addition was made for the paving of Woodward Avenue from Westwood Avenue to Balsam Street and the design & installing accommodations for the portable electric generator at KPS building.
- Included in the packet is information and request from DAEDA "Loyal to Local" Advertising Campaign. The Campaign is being organized by a core group of area businesses in an effort to leverage advertising dollars to promote shopping and utilizing local services from local businesses in lieu of online or out-of-town shopping. A \$250 advertising contribution is requested. A brief discussion took place.

A motion was made by Councilmember Groeneveld and supported by Councilmember Flaminio to approve a \$250 contribution to the "Loyal to Local" Advertising Campaign.
ALL AYES. NO NAYS. MOTION CARRIED.

- The Parcel Mapping Project is nearly complete. City Manager Edlebeck has utilized it for the past two weeks. A demonstration will be scheduled soon, and much of the information will be made available on the city's website for public use.
- The Brownfield Grant assisted environmental assessment project for the Lodal Property continues and is progressing.
- The City Hall and Public Works Facility will be closed Monday, May 28th in observance of Memorial Day. Garbage collection for the week will be one day later than normal [Tuesday through Friday].

A motion was made by Councilmember Dixon-Miller and supported by Councilmember Baldinelli to receive and place on file the May 21, 2018 Manager's Report.
ALL AYES. NO NAYS. MOTION CARRIED.

The only item under Old Business is the Scrap Tire Grant. A copy of the Daily News advertisement was provided for reference. Beginning Tuesday, May 29, 2018, residents of the cities of Kingsford, Iron Mountain & Norway and the townships of Norway & Breitung Township can drop off loose passenger tires at the Dickinson County Baler site located in Quinnesec. Kingsford received \$4000.00 in grant funds; the grant will accommodate 2000 tires at \$2.00/each. A property tax receipt and picture ID are needed to verify residency, and a signature will be required to attest that the tires came from the address as stated. The grant will run through November 1, 2018 or until the grant funds are depleted.

The only item under New Business was the Habitat for Humanity Request for Pavilion at Lodal Park. A request was received to utilize the pavilion at Lodal Park on Saturday, August 11, 2018 [7am-1pm] for their annual 5k road race. Participants will start and end at the pavilion on the west side of the park.


A motion was made by Councilmember Baldinelli and supported by Councilmember Flaminio to approve the use of Lodal Park as requested by Habitat for Humanity on Saturday, August 11, 2018.
ALL AYES. NO NAYS. MOTION CARRIED.

There were no Hearings.


There was no Public Comment.

Under Councilmember's Privilege, Councilmember Baldinelli feels DIISD should continue building homes in the area; and the DCCC supports continuing the program. A brief discussion took place.

There being no further business, a motion was made by Councilmember Baldinelli and supported by Councilmember Groeneveld to adjourn the meeting.
ALL AYES. NO NAYS. MOTION CARRIED.



Mayor



Clerk