

December 30, 2019

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

A special meeting of the Kingsford city council was held Monday, December 30, 2019 at 4:00 p.m. in the council room in City Hall.

Roll Call: Present: Baldinelli, Remer, Flaminio, Groeneveld and Dixon-Miller

Absent: none

Also present was City Manager Anthony Edlebeck and KPS Director Brian Metras.

The pledge of allegiance was stated.

There were no minutes, invoices, public comment, communications, manager's report or old business presented at this meeting.

Under New Business, the theft of a private utility trailer held by the Public Safety Department was addressed. Director Metras provided a memo pertaining to a larceny of a privately-owned trailer from the Dickinson County Sheriff's impound yard and a proposed settlement with the owner. Edlebeck also provided a memo with additional comments.

A discussion took place regarding the initial details of how the impound yard was originally constructed and secured. Director Metras gave a detailed description why the trailer was being held, as well as the investigation of the impound yard theft. Edlebeck stated he consulted the City's Attorney and the City's insurance company in this matter.

Also discussed was alternative options to construct a new holding area [impound yard] to be utilized solely by the City of Kingsford. This will need to be revisited more specifically in the spring.

A motion was made by Councilmember Baldinelli and supported by Councilmember Groeneveld to authorize the Public Safety Committee, Director of Public Safety and the City Manager to generate a comprehensive plan for a potential impound lot to be under City control. The proposed plan will then be presented to the City Council for consideration.  
ALL AYES. NO NAYS. MOTION CARRIED.

A motion was made by Councilmember Flaminio and supported by Councilmember Remer to authorize the City to reimburse Mr. Bauman for his trailer in the amount of \$2650. In addition, the City shall take ownership of the trailer should it be recovered in the future; however, the City shall give Mr. Bauman the first opportunity to purchase it should he decide to.  
ALL AYES. NO NAYS. MOTION CARRIED.

Under Councilmember's Privilege, Councilmember Groeneveld wished everyone a Happy New Year. Mayor Baldinelli suggested a designated driver if needed during celebrations.

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

  
Mayor

  
Clerk