

CITY OF COOPERSVILLE
REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL

CITY HALL, 289 DANFORTH ST.; COOPERSVILLE, MICHIGAN

November 22, 2010

Mayor Ken Bush called the meeting to order at 7:00 P.M.

Present: Council member Allen Council member Crandle
 Council member Lloyd Council member Meinstma
 Council member Vander Kolk Council member Whitman
 Mayor Ken Bush

Absent: None

There were no additions or corrections to the agenda.

Motion by Council member Whitman with second by Council member Meinstma to approve the minutes of the regular City Council meeting of November 8, 2010. Carried unanimously. (2010-239)

Motion by Council member Lloyd with second by Council member Meinstma to approve the minutes of the special City Council meeting of October 25, 2010. Carried unanimously. (2010-240)

Citizen Input & Suggestions:

- 1) Tom Muller inquired as to the possibility of the city installing electric plug in meters for the electric cars somewhere within the city, preferably in the downtown district. Mr. Muller also discussed the possibility of the city applying for a grant to help fund the expense involved.
- 2) Tom Toogood informed the Council that he had met with the MDNRE in regards to the culvert issue at 56th Avenue and Cleveland Street. Mr. Toogood stated that the inspector from the MDNRE had informed him that there is distress of the watershed upstream and downstream and cleanup needed to take place around the culvert. Mr. Toogood stated that a letter had been sent to the City Manager, Steven Patrick on November 19, 2010.
- 3) Citizen of the Year for 2010, Shelby Meinstma, addressed Council members informing them that she was "thankful" for volunteers and presented the Council members with a treat.
- 4) Todd Adams addressed the Council members in regards to the ordinance that pertains to street frontage that is used as a factor in calculating the allowable sizes of accessory buildings. Mr. Adams recommended that the Council review this ordinance for a possible change.
- 5) Chamber of Commerce Director Cindy Timmerman reported on the following; Christmas Parade that will be held on December 3, 2010 at 7:00 P.M.

Motion by Council member Lloyd with second by Council member Vander Kolk to approve payment on invoices from Law Weathers for general municipal \$480.30, sewer project 2009-2010 \$511.50, and ordinance enforcement \$586.80, totaling \$1,578.60. Carried unanimously. (2010-241)

Motion by Council member Whitman with second by Council member Allen to approve payment on invoice from Michigan Department of Natural Resources and Environment for annual water supply fee totaling \$977.10. Carried unanimously. (2010-242)

Motion by Council member Allen with second by Council member Vander Kolk to approve payment on invoices from OMM Engineering for sewer improvements on Spring Street and 64th Avenue (design engineering to service CS Facilities) \$13,292.70, site plan review (various) \$835.00, upgrading the Wastewater Treatment System \$46,994.21, and Randall Street improvements from 68th Avenue to CS Facilities driveway \$7,641.65, totaling \$68,763.56. Carried unanimously. (2010-243)

Motion by Council member Crandle with second by Council member Meinstma to approve payment on invoice from Ottawa County for October policing services totaling \$41,122.74. Carried unanimously. (2010-244)

Motion by Council member Vander Kolk with second by Council member Lloyd to approve payment on checks written for period ending November 22, 2010 totaling \$341,385.00. Carried unanimously. (2010-245)

Motion by Council member Vander Kolk with second by Council member Lloyd to adopt the ordinance to amend Section 1046.07(c) in reference to the sewer and water rates of the Coopersville codified ordinances. Carried unanimously. (2010-246)

Motion by Council member Allen with second by Council member Vander Kolk to receive and file the council information packet which consists of: Charter 11/12/10 correspondence re channel lineup change; Coopersville Area Community Foundation Recreation year to date fund statement; Draft Downtown Authority minutes of 11/9/10; Draft Planning Commission minutes of 11/15/10; Draft Zoning Board of Appeals minutes of 11/11/10. Carried unanimously. (2010-247)

City Manager Steven Patrick's Report:

- Reported that the engineers are preparing what the expenses will be to install sidewalks on 64th Avenue and Cleveland and East Streets. Information should be available by December 3, 2010.
- Reported that Prein and Newhoff are inspecting the culvert and drain issues at East Street and Cleveland Street.

City Treasurer Keri Rogers informed Council members that she is setting up a meeting with MERS so they may give a presentation on the pension plan.

Motion by Council member Vander Kolk with second by Council member Lloyd to adjourn meeting. Carried unanimously. (2010-248)

Meeting adjourned at 7:30 P.M.

Kenneth L. Bush, Mayor

Kimberly Borgman, City Clerk