

CITY OF COOPERSVILLE
REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY OF COOPERSVILLE CITY COUNCIL
CITY HALL, 289 DANFORTH ST.; COOPERSVILLE, MICHIGAN

JANUARY 28, 2013

Mayor Pro Tem Vander Kolk called the meeting to order at 7:00 P.M.

Correction: Mayor Pro Tem Vander Kolk was not serving as Mayor Pro Tem at this meeting. Correction requested and approved 2/11/13.

Present:

Council member Crandle	Council member Vander Kolk
Council member Lloyd	Council member Ward
Council member Meintsma	Mayor Bush

Absent:

Council member Fisher

Motion by Council member Vander Kolk with second by Council member Lloyd to excuse the absence of Council member Fisher. Motion carried. (2013-014)

Agenda

There were no additions or corrections to the agenda.

City Council Meeting Minutes

Motion by Council member Vander Kolk, with second by Council member Lloyd, to approve the minutes of the January 14, 2013 regular City Council meeting. Motion carried. (2013-015)

Scheduled Guests None

Citizen Input & Suggestions

Ryan Bennett, Representative of West Michigan Plumbers, Fitters & Service Trade - Local Union 174 addressed Council members regarding CS Facilities. Mr. Bennett stated that CS Facilities is hiring contractors from out of State and even out of the Continent to perform work at their facility instead of hiring locally. Mr. Bennett requested for Council to create a written policy that would require businesses in the City that are getting tax abatements to hire local contractors.

Petitions & Communications

Motion by Council member Vander Kolk, with second by Council member Lloyd, to approve payment on checks written for period ending January 28, 2013 totaling \$363,333.80. Motion carried. (2013-016)

Motion by Council member Crandle, with second by Council member Meintsma to receive and file the second quarter FY 2012-2013 revenue and expenditure reports. Motion carried. (2013-017)

City Manager, Steven Patrick updated Council members on the Infrastructure Improvements Summary. Mr. Patrick discussed the possibility of a large cost savings to upgrade the booster station, by combining the booster station and the lift station together on the north side of the road.

Mr. Patrick also suggested that a special meeting or workshop will need to be scheduled in the near future in order to prepare a master plan for the infrastructure projects. Discussion was also held on the current capacity being used at the Wastewater Treatment Plant, and the capacity we are projected to be at when all facilities, at CS Facilities are in full production.

City Manager's Report

City Manager Steven Patrick informed Council members that MEDC recently awarded \$900,000.00 to CS Facilities.

City Manager's Report continued

Mr. Patrick also informed Council members that the Planning Commission is working on the Master Plan. Mr. Patrick stated that the Office Staff has begun updating the format by using the Census 2010 data and the data from all public meetings held in regards to the Master Plan.

Adjournment

Motion by Council member Vander Kolk, with second by Council Member Lloyd, to adjourn meeting. Motion carried. (2013-018)

Meeting adjourned at 7:39 P.M.

Kenneth L. Bush, Mayor

Kimberly Borgman, City Clerk