

The Morrison City Council met in Regular Session on September 13, 2021 at 7:00 p.m. in the Morrison Community Room, 307 S Madison St., Morrison, IL. Mayor Scott Vandermyde called the meeting to order. City Clerk Michael Hemmer recorded the minutes.

Aldermen present on roll call were Greg Kruse, Sidonna Mahaffey, Mick Welding, Harvey Zuidema, Vernon Tervelt, Josh West, Kevin Bruckner, Jr, and Arlyn Deets. Absent: None.

Other City officials present were City Administrator Barry Dykhuizen, City Treasurer Margaret Jones, Public Services Director Lori Matlack and Police Chief Brian Melton.

### Consent Agenda

Alderman Deets moved to approve Consent Agenda items consisting of the following: Regular Session Minutes August 23, 2021; Bills Payable; July 31, 2021 Treasurer's report; Planning & Zoning Commission Minutes August 25, 2021; Historic Preservation Commission Minutes September 7, 2021; Ordinance #21-17 409 W Winfield Variance; Ordinance #21-18 401 S Cherry St Variance; Pay Request #1 Elm/Jackson Project and Main Street Holiday Decorations Purchase. Alderman Bruckner seconded. On a roll call vote of 8 ayes (Kruse, Mahaffey, Welding, Tervelt, West, Bruckner, and Deets) and 1 nay (Zuidema); the motion carried.

Items Removed From Consent Agenda (For Discussion And Possible Action). None.

### Items For Consideration And Possible Action

No action was taken on the approval of Ordinance #21-22 Regulating headstones on new section of cemetery.

Alderman Kruse moved to approve Ordinance #21-23 Agricultural Livestock. Alderman Deets seconded. On a roll call vote of 6 ayes (Kruse, Mahaffey, Zuidema, Tervelt, West, and Bruckner) and 2 nays (Welding and Deets); the motion carried.

Alderman Tervelt moved to approve Ordinance #21-24 Increase number of Class D liquor licenses. Alderman Zuidema seconded. On a roll call vote of 5 ayes (Mahaffey, Welding, Zuidema, Tervelt, and Deets) and 3 nays (Kruse, West, and Bruckner); the motion carried.

Alderman Welding moved to approve Block Party: Main Street from Base to Cherry September 18<sup>th</sup>. Alderman Kruse seconded. On a roll call vote of 8 ayes (Kruse, Mahaffey, Welding, Zuidema, Tervelt, West, Bruckner, and Deets) and 0 nays; the motion carried.

Alderman Welding moved to approve Event – Lynn Kenady, Wendy Gallentine, Diane Martin – Liquor License – September 18<sup>th</sup>. Alderman Welding Deets. On a roll call vote of 8 ayes (Kruse, Mahaffey, Welding, Zuidema, Tervelt, West, Bruckner, and Deets) and 0 nays; the motion carried.

Alderman Welding moved to approve Main Street Project Pay Request #4. Alderman Zuidema seconded. On a roll call vote of 8 ayes (Kruse, Mahaffey, Welding, Zuidema, Tervelt, West, Bruckner, and Deets) and 0 nays; the motion carried.

Other Items For Consideration, Discussion & Information

Council discussed Right of Way Tree Height & Enforcement Procedures.

Council reviewed State of Illinois Executive Order 2021-20 (Covid-19 Executive Order No. 87) effective 8/30/2021 Indoor mask mandate.

Mayor Vandermyde read out loud the American Legion's email of August 23, 2021 thanking the Council for its approval of the Legion's ramp.

Morrison Area Development Corporation (MADC) invited a Council member to its meetings. Alderman West and Mahaffey volunteered. Mayor Vandermyde will submit both names to MADC.

Mayor Vandermyde asked about council's position regarding a proclamation by the Route 30 Commission. Council felt it was too early to form an opinion and looked forward to additional details and an IDOT study on the matter.

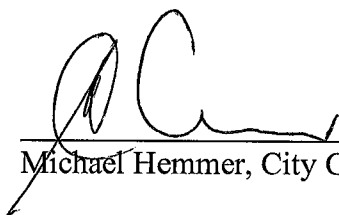
Police Chief Melton discussed his department's Monthly Report September 2021.

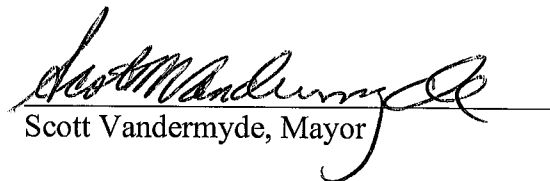
CA Dykhuizen informed Council that the Main Street contractor offered to add on a fifth block to the City's project (\$350,000.00). The City would need to pay for materials now and the labor once the project was completed. Council had several questions that would be reviewed.

Motion to adjourn was made by Alderman Zuidema and seconded by Alderman Deets. Meeting adjourned at 7:50 p.m.

Alderman Kruse asked how an alderman can add items to the agenda. Mayor Vandermyde said to contact him or the City Administrator.

Approved:

  
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Michael Hemmer, City Clerk

  
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Scott Vandermyde, Mayor