

STATE OF ILLINOIS
COUNTY OF WHITESIDE
CITY OF MORRISON
OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS

June 27, 2022

The Morrison City Council met in Regular Session on June 27, 2022, at 7:00 p.m. in the Morrison Community Room, 307 S Madison St., Morrison, IL. Mayor Vandermyde called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. City Clerk Hemmer was absent. City Administrator Dykhuizen recorded the minutes.

Aldermen present on roll call were Kruse, Mahaffey, Zuidema, Welding, Tervelt, West, Bruckner Jr, and Deets. Absent: None. Other City officials present were City Administrator Dykhuizen, Public Services Director Matlack, City Treasurer Jones, and Police Chief Melton.

Consent Agenda – Ald Kruse requested #4 be removed from the Consent Agenda. Ald Zuidema moved. Ald Mahaffey 2nd to approve Consent Agenda. All ayes. After discussion regarding appointments to the HPC, Deets moved Mahaffey 2nd to approve. All ayes.

Action #1

Joe Robbins, representing Morrison Jr High School, requested permission to place signage in Academic Drive right-of-way to honor student achievement at state-level events. Ald Welding moved. Ald Kruse 2nd. All ayes.

Action #2

Ald Zuidema expressed concerns about affordability and necessity of a new International Dump Truck. Ald Tervelt moved to table pending further review, 2nd Zuidema. All ayes except Kruse who abstained.

Action #3

Ald Zuidema moved to approve 2nd by Ald Welding to approve purchase of Gator and mower. All ayes

DISCUSSION ITEMS

- Council discussed expansion of rec programming and with specific attention to providing tournaments at the complex. Council will act on Job Description at next council meeting.
- Council discussed deteriorating condition of traffic signals at Rt 30 and Genesee. Mayor Vandermyde will evaluate options with IDOT regarding the removal of the signals and the impact on traffic patterns.
- CA provided update on Public Services Building and challenges related to financing and material costs.
- Council reviewed removal of interior of cul-de-sac on Greenland and merits of paving interior or adding rock in strategic locations.

Motion to adjourn Ald Deets, 2nd Ald Mahaffey. All ayes 8:20pm

Approved:



Scott Vandermyde, Mayor



Michael Hemmer, City Clerk