

CITY OF SHEBOYGAN
FIFTH REGULAR COMMON COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
Monday, June 05, 2023

OPENING OF MEETING

1. Roll Call

Alderspersons present: Ackley, Dekker, Felde, Filicky-Peneski, Heidemann, Mitchell, Ramey, and Rust – 8.
Alderspersons excused: Perrella and Salazar – 2.

2. Pledge of Allegiance

3. Approval of Minutes

Fourth Regular Council Meeting held on May 15, 2023

MOTION TO APPROVE MINUTES FROM THE FOURTH REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING HELD MAY 15, 2023

Motion made by Dekker, Seconded by Rust.

Voting Yea: Ackley, Dekker, Felde, Filicky-Peneski, Heidemann, Mitchell, Ramey, Rust – 8.

4. Resignation

Natasha L. Torry as Sheboygan Area Municipal Judge effective July 31, 2023.

MOTION TO ACCEPT AND FILE

Motion made by Dekker, Seconded by Rust.

Voting Yea: Ackley, Dekker, Felde, Filicky-Peneski, Heidemann, Mitchell, Ramey, Rust – 8.

5. Resignations

Karen Kober from the Senior Services Commission effective immediately.

Carolyn Miesfeld from the Mayor's International Committee effective immediately.

MOTION TO ACCEPT AND FILE

Motion made by Dekker, Seconded by Rust.

Voting Yea: Ackley, Dekker, Felde, Filicky-Peneski, Heidemann, Mitchell, Ramey, Rust – 8.

6. Confirmation of Mayoral Appointments

Jeanne Pfeiffer as the Sheboygan Area School District's trustee to Mead Public Library Board

MOTION TO CONFIRM

Motion made by Dekker, Seconded by Rust.

Voting Yea: Ackley, Dekker, Felde, Filicky-Peneski, Heidemann, Mitchell, Ramey, Rust – 8.

7. Public Forum

Limit of five people having five minutes each with comments limited to items on this agenda. No one spoke.

8. Presentation

LUCAS Devices (AFG FEMA Grant purchase)

9. Mayor's Announcements

Upcoming Community Events, Proclamations, Employee Recognitions

CONSENT

10. Motion to Receive and File all R.O.'s, Receive all R.C.'s and Adopt all Resolutions and Ordinances

Motion made by Dekker, Seconded by Rust.

Voting Yea: Ackley, Dekker, Felde, Filicky-Peneski, Heidemann, Mitchell, Ramey, Rust – 8.

11. R. O. No. 7-23-24 by Board of Water Commissioners submitting a copy of the 2022 Wisconsin Public Service Commission of Wisconsin Annual Report on the Sheboygan Water Utility.

MOTION TO RECEIVE AND FILE THE R. O.

Motion made by Dekker, Seconded by Rust.

Voting Yea: Ackley, Dekker, Felde, Filicky-Peneski, Heidemann, Mitchell, Ramey, Rust – 8.

12. R. O. No. 14-23-24 by Mead Public Library Board of Trustees submitting a Resolution in recognition of the service of Amanda Salazar to Mead Public Library.

MOTION TO RECEIVE AND FILE THE R. O.

Motion made by Dekker, Seconded by Rust.

Voting Yea: Ackley, Dekker, Felde, Filicky-Peneski, Heidemann, Mitchell, Ramey, Rust – 8.

13. R. O. No. 13-23-24 by Mead Public Library Board of Trustees submitting a Resolution in memory of the late Chris Campe and her 10 years of service to Mead Public Library.

MOTION TO RECEIVE AND FILE THE R. O.

Motion made by Dekker, Seconded by Rust.

Voting Yea: Ackley, Dekker, Felde, Filicky-Peneski, Heidemann, Mitchell, Ramey, Rust – 8.

14. R. O. No. 10-23-24 by City Clerk submitting an application for private well permit from Dennis Beske located at 2612 Mill Road.

MOTION TO RECEIVE AND FILE THE R. O.

Motion made by Dekker, Seconded by Rust.

Voting Yea: Ackley, Dekker, Felde, Filicky-Peneski, Heidemann, Mitchell, Ramey, Rust – 8.

15. R. C. No. 20-23-24 by Licensing, Hearings, and Public Safety Committee to whom was referred R. O. No. 6-23-24 by City Clerk submitting various license applications; recommends granting the license application with caveats.

MOTION TO RECEIVE AND FILE THE R. C. AND GRANT THE APPLICATION WITH CAVEATS

Motion made by Dekker, Seconded by Rust.

Voting Yea: Ackley, Dekker, Felde, Filicky-Peneski, Heidemann, Mitchell, Ramey, Rust – 8.

16. R. C. No. 21-23-24 by Public Works Committee to whom was referred Gen. Ord. No. 2-23-24 by Alderpersons Dekker and Rust creating a no parking zone on the east side of South 12th Street north of Kentucky Avenue; recommends adopting the Ordinance.

MOTION TO RECEIVE THE R. C. AND ADOPT THE RESOLUTION

Motion made by Dekker, Seconded by Rust.

Voting Yea: Ackley, Dekker, Felde, Filicky-Peneski, Heidemann, Mitchell, Ramey, Rust – 8.

17. R. C. No. 22-23-24 by Licensing, Hearings, and Public Safety Committee to whom was referred pursuant to R. O. No. 3-23-24 by City Clerk submitting various license applications; recommends granting the license applications listed with caveats.

MOTION TO RECEIVE AND FILE THE R. C. AND GRANT THE APPLICATIONS WITH CAVEATS

Motion made by Dekker, Seconded by Rust.

Voting Yea: Ackley, Dekker, Felde, Filicky-Peneski, Heidemann, Mitchell, Ramey, Rust – 8.

REPORT OF OFFICERS

18. R. O. No. 15-23-24 by City Clerk submitting a Summons and Complaint in the matter of Bank United, N.A. vs. Joseph P. Champeau et al. REFER TO FINANCE AND PERSONNEL COMMITTEE
19. R. O. No. 9-23-24 by City Clerk submitting a Notice of Injury from Jacobs Injury Law, S.C. regarding alleged injuries to their client, Robert Autman. REFER TO FINANCE AND PERSONNEL COMMITTEE
20. R. O. No. 8-23-24 by City Clerk submitting a Summons and Complaint in the matter of Wisconsin Consumer Credit vs. Eduardo Angel Hernandez et. al. REFER TO FINANCE AND PERSONNEL COMMITTEE
21. R. O. No. 16-23-24 by City Clerk submitting various license applications. REFER TO LICENSING, HEARINGS, AND PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE
22. R. O. No. 12-23-24 by City Clerk submitting a Petition for Review received from the State of Wisconsin Tax Appeals Commission in the matter of Georgia-Pacific Corrugated, LLC v. Wisconsin Department of Revenue. REFER TO FINANCE AND PERSONNEL COMMITTEE
23. R. O. No. 11-23-24 by City Clerk submitting a Petition, Notice, and List of Tax Liens of Sheboygan County being foreclosed in the matter of the Foreclosure of Tax Liens under Wis. Stat. 75-521 by Sheboygan County, List of Tax Liens for 2018 and 2019. REFER TO FINANCE AND PERSONNEL COMMITTEE

RESOLUTIONS

24. Res. No. 17-23-24 by Alderpersons Dekker and Salazar authorizing the appropriate City officials to authorize payment to the State of Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection for provision of weights and measures inspection services.

MOTION TO SUSPEND THE RULES AND ADOPT THE RESOLUTION

Motion made by Dekker, Seconded by Rust.

Voting Yea: Ackley, Dekker, Felde, Filicky-Peneski, Heidemann, Mitchell, Ramey, Rust – 8.

25. Res. No. 14-23-24 by Alderperson Dekker amending the boundaries of the James Madison Neighborhood Association and renaming it as the James Madison-Veterans Park Neighborhood Association. LAYS OVER
26. Res. No. 15-23-24 by Alderpersons Salazar and Felde approving the 2023 Mercury Racing Midwest Challenge and waiving the speed restrictions outlined in 2023 Sheboygan Municipal Code § 60-68 for motorboats during their participation in race activities. REFER TO LICENSING, HEARINGS, AND PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE
27. Res. No. 18-23-24 by Alderpersons Dekker and Rust authorizing the Director of Public Works to take necessary actions to receive a grant from Alliant Energy and a grant from Restoration of Our Trees

Sheboygan for the purchase and planting of municipal trees and authorizing an adjustment to the 2023 budget. REFER TO PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE

28. Res. No. 16-23-24 by Alderpersons Mitchell and Perrella authorizing an amendment to the Offer to Purchase regarding 1214 South 11th Street approved by council via Res. No. 133-22-23. REFER TO FINANCE AND PERSONNEL COMMITTEE

REPORT OF COMMITTEES

29. R. C. No. 14-23-24 by Finance and Personnel Committee to whom was referred Res. No. 9-23-24 by Alderpersons Dekker and Salazar authorizing a budget amendment and establishing an internship budget item in the Mayor's office; recommends adopting the Resolution.

MOTION TO RECEIVE THE R. C. AND ADOPT THE RESOLUTION

Motion made by Dekker, Seconded by Mitchell.

Voting Yea: Ackley, Dekker, Felde, Filicky-Peneski, Heidemann, Mitchell, Ramey, Rust – 8.

30. R. C. No. 15-23-24 by Finance and Personnel Committee to whom was referred Direct Referral Res. No. 11-23-24 by Alderpersons Mitchell and Filicky-Peneski authorizing the appropriate City officials to enter into a Redevelopment Agreement with Partners for Community Development, Inc. for the rehabilitation of 14 residential buildings for low-income housing and authorizing the Finance Director to issue a \$200,000 payment to Partners for Community Development, Inc. to assist in the rehabilitation efforts; recommends adopting the Resolution.

MOTION TO RECEIVE THE R. C. AND ADOPT THE RESOLUTION

Motion made by Mitchell, Seconded by Filicky-Peneski.

Voting Yea: Ackley, Dekker, Felde, Filicky-Peneski, Heidemann, Mitchell, Ramey, Rust – 8.

31. R. C. No. 16-23-24 by Finance and Personnel Committee to whom was referred Direct Referral Res. No. 12-23-24 by Alderpersons Mitchell and Filicky-Peneski supporting the waiver of certain judgment liens filed on behalf of the City against properties owned by William Sukowaty; recommends adopting the Resolution.

MOTION TO RECEIVE THE R. C. AND ADOPT THE RESOLUTION

Motion made by Mitchell, Seconded by Filicky-Peneski.

Voting Yea: Ackley, Dekker, Felde, Filicky-Peneski, Heidemann, Mitchell, Ramey, Rust – 8.

32. R. C. No. 17-23-24 by Finance and Personnel Committee to whom was referred Direct Referral Res. No. 13-23-24 by Alderpersons Mitchell and Filicky-Peneski authorizing an adjustment to the 2023 budget to fund a KM International asphalt hotbox reclaimer; recommends adopting the Resolution.

MOTION TO RECEIVE THE R. C. AND ADOPT THE RESOLUTION

Motion made by Mitchell, Seconded by Filicky-Peneski.

Voting Yea: Ackley, Dekker, Felde, Filicky-Peneski, Heidemann, Mitchell, Ramey, Rust – 8.

33. R. C. No. 18-23-24 by Licensing, Hearings, and Public Safety Committee to whom was referred Gen. Ord. No. 3-23-24 by Alderpersons Salazar and Felde adopting, enacting, and republishing the Code for the Code of Ordinances of Sheboygan, Wisconsin; providing for the repeal of certain ordinances not included therein; providing a penalty for the violation thereof; providing for the manner of amending such Code; and providing when such Code and this ordinance shall become effective; recommends adopting the Ordinance.

MOTION TO RECEIVE THE R. C. AND ADOPT THE ORDINANCE

Motion made by Felde, Seconded by Dekker.

Voting Yea: Ackley, Dekker, Felde, Filicky-Peneski, Heidemann, Mitchell, Ramey, Rust – 8.

34. R. C. No. 19-23-24 by Licensing, Hearings, and Public Safety Committee to whom was referred Direct Referral Res. No. 10-23-24 by Alderpersons Salazar and Felde establishing a Joint Municipal Court Advisory Committee to identify qualified candidates for interim appointment as the Sheboygan Area Municipal Court Judge; recommends adopting the Resolution.

MOTION TO RECEIVE THE R. C. AND ADOPT THE RESOLUTION

Motion made by Felde, Seconded by Dekker.

Voting Yea: Ackley, Dekker, Felde, Filicky-Peneski, Heidemann, Mitchell, Ramey, Rust – 8.

GENERAL ORDINANCES

35. Gen. Ord. No. 5-23-24 by Alderpersons Dekker and Rust repealing various ordinances so as to remove the one-way street designation for South 19th Street, South 20th Street, South 21st Street, South 22nd Street, South 23rd Street, and South 24th Street between Indiana Avenue and Georgia Avenue; removing parking on the west side of South 19th Street, South 20th Street, South 21st Street, South 22nd Street, and South 24th Street between Indiana Avenue and Georgia Avenue; and removing parking on the east side of South 23rd Street between Indiana Avenue and Georgia Avenue.

MOTION TO SUSPEND THE RULES AND ADOPT THE ORDINANCE

Motion made by Dekker, Seconded by Rust.

Voting Yea: Ackley, Dekker, Felde, Filicky-Peneski, Heidemann, Mitchell, Ramey, Rust – 8.

36. Gen. Ord. No. 4-23-24 by Alderpersons Dekker and Rust amending Section 8-16 of the 2023 Sheboygan Municipal Code relating to allowing pets in parks and on public grounds. REFER TO PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE
37. Gen. Ord. No. 6-23-24 by Alderpersons Dekker and Rust repealing portions of Section 21 of Subs. of Gen. Ord. 28- 14-15, relating to certain parking restrictions on the east side of the 2200 block of North 5th Street and the 400 block of Euclid Avenue. REFER TO PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE
38. Gen. Ord. No. 7-23-24 by Alderpersons Dekker and Rust repealing Section 11 of Subs. of Gen. Ord. 28- 14-15 and Gen. Ord. 25-03-04, relating to parking restrictions on the north side of the 1600 block of Illinois Avenue. REFER TO PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE

OTHER MATTERS AUTHORIZED BY LAW

39. R. O. No. 17-23-24 by City Clerk submitting various license applications. REFER TO LICENSING, HEARINGS, AND PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

ADJOURN MEETING

40. Motion to Adjourn

MOTION TO ADJOURN AT 6:31 PM

Motion made by Dekker, Seconded by Rust.

Voting Yea: Ackley, Dekker, Felde, Filicky-Peneski, Heidemann, Mitchell, Ramey, Rust – 8.

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