



CITY COUNCIL

June 24, 2019

A special meeting of the City of Petoskey City Council meeting was held in the City Hall Council Chambers, Petoskey, Michigan, on Monday, June 24, 2019. Roll was called at 5:30 P.M. and the following were:

Present: John Murphy, Mayor
Kate Marshall
Suzanne Shumway
Grant Dittmar
Lindsey Walker (arrived at 5:40 P.M.)

Absent: None

Also in attendance were City Manager Robert Straebel, Clerk-Treasurer Alan Terry and Public Works Director Michael Robbins.

Recess to Closed Session – Resolution No. 19312

City Council was being asked to adopt a resolution that would recess to a closed session pursuant to Section 8(c) of the Michigan Open Meetings Act, to consider strategy and negotiations of a collective bargaining agreement.

City Councilmember Marshall moved that, seconded by City Councilmember Shumway adoption of the following resolution:

WHEREAS, the City Manager has requested that the City Council recess to a closed session, pursuant to Section 8(c) of the Michigan Open Meetings Act, to consider strategy and negotiations of a collective bargaining agreement, at the City Council's special meeting of June 24, 2019:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council does and hereby authorizes to recess to a closed session, to consider strategy and negotiations of a collective bargaining agreement.

Said resolution was adopted by the following vote:

AYES: Marshall, Shumway, Dittmar, Murphy (4)
NAYS: None (0)

Recessed to closed session at 5:33 P.M.

Reconvened into open session at 5:45 P.M.

Approve Teamsters 214 Collective Bargaining Agreement – Resolution No. 19313

The City Manager reviewed that after months of negotiation, union members of Teamsters State, County and Municipal Workers Local 214 ratified a contract for the proposed period of June 24, 2019 through March 31, 2022. The City Manager reviewed highlights of the proposed contract including hours of work, vacation eligibility, safety devices, lineman training program, term of agreement and wage schedules.

City Councilmember Dittmar moved that, seconded by City Councilmember Marshall adoption of the following resolution:

WHEREAS, certain Department of Public Works unionized staff members are represented by the Teamsters State, County and Municipal Workers Local 214; and

WHEREAS, City and bargaining unit representatives negotiated provisions of a proposed agreement for full-time Public Works staff members; and

WHEREAS, the City Manager now has reported that a tentative agreement has been reached with the full-time Teamsters State, County and Municipal Workers Local 214 for the period of June 24, 2019 through March 31, 2022:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Manager be and is hereby directed to execute on behalf of the City an employment agreement with full-time Department of Public Works staff members who are represented by the Teamsters State, County and Municipal Workers Local 214.

Said resolution was adopted by the following vote:

AYES: Marshall, Shumway, Dittmar, Walker, Murphy (5)

NAYS: None (0)

There being no further business to come before the City Council, this June 24, 2019, meeting of the City Council adjourned at 5:47 P.M.

John Murphy, Mayor

Alan Terry, Clerk-Treasurer