

CITY OF MUSKEGON

CITY COMMISSION MEETING

AUGUST 9, 2016

CITY COMMISSION CHAMBERS @ 5:30 P.M.

MINUTES

The Regular Commission Meeting of the City of Muskegon was held at City Hall, 933 Terrace Street, Muskegon, MI at 5:30 p.m., Tuesday, July 12, 2016.

Pastor Matthew Sharpe, Evanston Avenue Baptist Church, opened the meeting with prayer, after which the Commission and public recited the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

ROLL CALL FOR THE REGULAR COMMISSION MEETING:

Present: Mayor Stephen Gawron, Vice Mayor Eric Hood, Commissioners Debra Warren, Willie German, Jr., Dan Rinsema-Sybenga, Byron Turnquist, and Ken Johnson, City Manager Franklin Peterson, City Attorney Will Meyer, and City Clerk Ann Meisch.

2016-62 INTRODUCTIONS/PRESENTATION:

A. Presentation of 2016 Beautification Awards

Mayor Gawron recognized residents for their participation in the Neighborhood Associations' Yard Beautification Awards program for 2016.

B. Veteran's Memorial Park Presentation by Muskegon County Department of Veteran's Affairs and Northside Lions

Lupe Alviar addressed the Commission thanking the city for supporting the improvements at Veteran's Memorial Park, especially the efforts and assistance of the City's engineer, Mohammed Al-Shatel. The City was also presented with a beautiful framed photograph of Veteran's Memorial Park.

2016-63 CONSENT AGENDA:

A. Approval of Minutes City Clerk

SUMMARY OF REQUEST: To approve the minutes of the July 11, 2016 Worksession and the July 12, 2016 regular City Commission meetings.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION: Approval of the minutes.

Motion by Commissioner Rinsema-Sybenga, second by Commissioner German, to approve the Consent Agenda as presented with the exception of Item B.

ROLL VOTE: Ayes: German, Rinsema-Sybenga, Turnquist, Johnson, Gawron, Hood, and Warren

Nays: None

MOTION PASSES

2016-64 ITEMS REMOVED FROM THE CONSENT AGENDA:

**B. Approval of Bid Award for 2112 Sampson Community &
Neighborhood Services**

SUMMARY OF REQUEST: To approve the bids and award the building contract for the construction for a single family dwelling at 2112 Sampson to Mike Murphy for the City of Muskegon's HOME Program through CNS.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION: To award Mike Murphy the building construction contract for 2112 Sampson, in the amount of \$166,855, for the Community and Neighbor Services office.

Motion by Commissioner Turnquist, second by Commissioner Rinsema-Sybenga, to award Mike Murphy the building construction contract for 2112 Sampson, in the amount of \$166,855, for the Community and Neighborhood Services Office.

ROLL VOTE: Ayes: Rinsema-Sybenga, Turnquist, Johnson, Gawron, Hood, Warren, and German

Nays: None

MOTION PASSES

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION: Public Comments were received.

ADJOURNMENT: The City Commission adjourned at 5:54 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Ann Marie Meisch, MMC, City Clerk