

CITY OF MUSKEGON
CITY COMMISSION WORKSESSION

Monday, July 10, 2017
5:30 p.m.
Muskegon City Commission Chambers
933 Terrace Street, Muskegon, MI 49440

MINUTES

2017-55

Present: Gawron, Hood, Warren, German, Rinsema-Sybenga, Johnson, and Turnquist

Absent: None

Chase Hackley Piano Factory

Joe Weber, 1685 Garrett, representing a group, addressed the Commission with a request to make 2245 Lakeshore Drive a Historic District (Chase Hackley Piano Factory). Mike Franzak gave an overview of how to create a Historic District. Amanda Rhages, from the Michigan Historic Preservation Network, reviewed procedures to become a Historic District. Wes Eklund, a Pure Muskegon investor, addressed the Commission regarding the state of disrepair and the estimated amount required to restore the building which has not been used/occupied for several years.

Motion by Commissioner Turnquist, second by Commissioner Rinsema-Sybenga, to not appoint a Historic Study Committee for this project.

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

MOTION PASSES

Any Other Business

SAPPI STACKS

Don _____, Lakeshore Environmental described how the stacks will be taken down on the Sappi Property.

BUDGET

The Commission was apprised of a procedural error that occurred at the June 27, 2017 meeting – there was an affirmation vote but no motion to approve the budget. This will be addressed at the regular meeting.

LC WALKER ARENA

Frank Peterson, City Manager, explained the request for replacement of the dasher boards at the LC Walker Arena.

NEW PSALMTREES MOBILE BOTIQUE

New Psalmtrees Mobile Botique is requesting Commission approval to sell various items from a mobile concession. Commission discussion took place and the consensus is that the best place for a mobile boutique is the Flea Market which is open each Wednesday. Pere Marquette vendors are geared more toward food and beach items.

Adjournment – Moved by Vice Mayor Hood, second by Commissioner Johnson, to adjourn the meeting at 7:45 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Ann Marie Meisch, MMC
City Clerk

