

**Zilwaukee City Council Meeting**  
**Zilwaukee City Hall**  
**June 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2013**

Mayor Eugene Jolin called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

Roll Call: C/Bohnsack, C/Comstock and M/ Jolin.

Absent: C/Boese and C/Luplow.

The mayor offered the invocation and the pledge.

A motion was made by Bohnsack and supported by Comstock to accept the minutes of the May 6, 2013 meeting. The motion passed. Voting aye: Bohnsack, Comstock and M/Jolin. Voting nay: None

A motion was made by Bohnsack and supported by Comstock to approve the bills for May. The motion passed. Voting aye: Bohnsack, Comstock and M/Jolin. Voting nay: None.

Bohnsack made a motion to accept the agenda. The motion was supported by Comstock. The motion passed. Voting aye: Bohnsack, Comstock and M/Jolin. Voting nay: None.

**Audience Participation**

George Dembinski --4591 Bradington -- Questioned the Blight Ordinance and the enforcement of it. He mentioned some very unsightly areas in his neighborhood. Mayor Jolin suggested G. Dembinski fill out a formal complaint in the office. He mentioned that sometimes the blight ordinance is hard to enforce as one persons treasure is junk to someone else.

**Department Head Reports**

**Police:** Chief King was not present at the meeting as he was on vacation. He sent a memo stating he will send his monthly incident report to Council when he returns.

**Fire:** Chief Raasch Reported: Training-- day training for June will be pump operations and a drivers course. Night training will be hazmat at Saginaw Township Fire Dept. Incident reports -- During May ZFD responded to 16 incidents. DNR Grant -- ZFD has ordered the fire equipment requested in the 2012 grant. ZFD will apply for another grant for additional equipment. Special Events -- During May ZFD hosted the Saginaw County Fire Association monthly meeting. ZFD co-ordinated the public safety equipment toured by the students of Zilwaukee International Studies School. Fire Station -- The lighting problems at the fire station have been corrected by the contractor.

C/Comstock questioned if there were any new applicants for fire fighters. Chief Raasch stated there is one possible applicant and there are presently 14 active members.

**DPW:** E. Mahan is on vacation and M/Jolin reported for him. The two newly hired seasonal employees are working out well. The Inflow and Infiltration (I&I) team is underway. Brush pick up went well. Three trees have been cut down. Two sewer jobs have been done and two new meters have been installed.

**AGENDA**

**A. First Reading “ Code of Ordinances”**

Mayor Jolin read the “code of ordinances”. The second reading will be at the July council meeting.

**B. Resolution of Adoption of Grant Agreement**

Mayor Jolin read the Michigan Trust Fund Recreation Grant Resolution of Adoption of Grant Agreement. It was mentioned the inkind fund of the grant (actual costs) is \$19,000. A motion to accept adoption of the grant agreement was made by Comstock, supported by Bohnsack. The motion passed. Voting aye: Bohnsack, Comstock and Mayor Jolin. Voting nay: None.

**C. City Hall Fence**

The estimate for \$3,420.00 from Sullivan Fence was considered. It was mentioned the shrubs would be removed by our DPW and the area cleaned up for installation of the fence. The fence will be installed by Sullivan Fence as there is no guarantee if the city installs it. The amount budgeted was \$5,000.00 so this project is under budget. A motion to accept the bid from Sullivan Fence for \$3,420.00 for a fence at 319 Tittabawassee was made by Comstock, supported by Bohnsack. The motion carried. Voting aye: Comstock, Bohnsack and M/Jolin. Voting nay: None.

M/Jolin mentioned Wendy Kernstock is presently working on the City web site and doing a great job.

C/Bohnsack mentioned there is a lot of standing water at the pool park. He questioned if the work mosquito control had done in the area should have helped with this. M/Jolin stated the work had been in the ditch area and he will check out the water and contact mosquito control if needed.

A motion was made by Comstock and supported by Bohnsack to adjourn. The motion passed. Voting aye: Bohnsack, Comstock and M/Jolin. Voting nay: None.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:25 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Deputy Clerk, Carole Inman

