

**PROCEEDINGS OF THE MANISTEE CITY COUNCIL – MARCH 17, 2014**

A regular meeting of the Manistee City Council was called to order by her Honor, Mayor Pro Tem Catherine Zaring on Monday, March 17, 2014 at 7:00 p.m. in the City of Manistee Council Chambers, 70 Maple Street, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

PRESENT: Edward Cote, Robert Hornkohl, Chip Goodspeed, Catherine Zaring, Mark Wittlieff, and Eric Gustad.

ABSENT: Colleen Kenny

ALSO PRESENT: City Manager – Mitch Deisch, City Attorney – George Saylor, City Deputy Clerk – Mary Bachman, and Director of Public Safety – Dave Bachman.

**CITIZEN COMMENTS ON AGENDA RELATED ITEMS.**

No citizen comments received.

**CONSENT AGENDA.**

Minutes - March 4, 2014 - Regular Meeting  
March 11, 2014 - Work Session

Payroll - no report

Notification Regarding Next Work Session.

A Council Work Session has been scheduled for Tuesday, April 8, 2014 at 7 p.m. A discussion will be conducted on the 2014-2015 Budget Recommendations; and such business as may come before the Council.

MOTION by Hornkohl, second by Cote to take action to approve the Consent Agenda as presented.

With a roll call vote this motion passed unanimously.

AYES: Cote, Hornkohl, Goodspeed, Zaring, Wittlieff, and Gustad.

NAYS: None

**A REPORT FROM THE MANISTEE AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.**

A regular part of each Council meeting is a report from a cooperating agency,

organization or department.

Ms. Stacie Bytwork reported on the activities of the Manistee Area Chamber of Commerce and responded to questions the Council had regarding their activities.

**CITIZEN COMMENT.**

Ed Seng - 448 E. Kott Road, Owner and Operator of Seng Trucking made reference to the March 6, 2014 Planning Commission Meeting at which he made a request for a Zoning Amendment. He requested to either be placed on the Work Session Agenda or sit down and speak with Administration and some Council Members. Discussion followed.

**OFFICIALS AND STAFF.**

None received.

**COUNCILMEMBERS.**

Cote wished everyone a Happy St. Patrick's Day.

Hornkohl stated that he will be gone for the April 1, 2014 Council Meeting.

Goodspeed stated that he will also be gone for the April 1, 2014 Council Meeting.

MOTION to adjourn was made by Goodspeed, second by Cote. Meeting adjourned at 7:40 p.m.

Mary Bachman, CMC/MMC, LIA  
Deputy City Clerk/Payroll & Benefits