

**PROCEEDINGS OF THE REGULAR WYOMING CITY COUNCIL MEETING  
HELD AT CITY HALL, APRIL 3, 2023 AT 7:00 P.M.**

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Vanderwood.

The Invocation was given by Pastor Wayne Ondersma, The Pier Church.

Present: Councilmembers Arnoys, Brann, DeKryger, Hill, Postema, Postler and Mayor Vanderwood.

The minutes of the March 20, 2023 Regular Meeting were approved by unanimous consent.

Acting/Interim City Manager McCarter asked that Resolution H be removed from the agenda. McCarter also asked that property acquisition be added to the closed session agenda.

Councilmember DeKryger moved, seconded by Councilmember Postema, to approve the agenda as amended.

Motion carried: 7 Yeas 0 Nays

**PUBLIC HEARINGS**

Mayor Vanderwood opened the hearing at 7:06 p.m. to receive comment on the necessity of an aerial insecticide spray for a spongy moth suppression program, Special Assessment Rolls #23-814 and #23-815. There was no public comment. Mayor Vanderwood closed the hearing at 7:07 p.m.

**PUBLIC COMMENT ON AGENDA ITEMS**

**PRESENTATIONS AND PROCLAMATIONS**

**PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS**

**REPORTS FROM CITY OFFICERS**

At the request of the Mayor, with consent from the City Council, the following City Manager Reports were taken under one motion:

City Manager's Report No. 23-01 recommended acceptance of a temporary permit for 1100 Gezon Parkway SW (Samco Land, LLC).

City Manager's Report No. 23-02 recommended acceptance of a temporary permit for 1200 – 56<sup>th</sup> Street SW (Paragon Partners, LLC).

City Manager's Report No. 23-03 recommended acceptance of an easement for 500 – 54<sup>th</sup> Street SW (Rollins Leasing Corporation).

Councilmember Postema moved, seconded by Councilmember Arnoys, to approve City Manager's Reports No. 23-01, 23-02 and 23-03.

Motion carried: 7 Yeas 0 Nays

**BUDGET AMENDMENTS**

**CONSENT AGENDA**

RESOLUTION NO. 27657

RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION TO HUNG NGUYEN FOR HIS SERVICE AS A MEMBER OF THE WKTU COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF WYOMING

RESOLUTION NO. 27658

RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL TO ATTEND THE MICHIGAN MUNICIPAL LEAGUE 2023 CAPITAL CONFERENCE

Councilmember Postler moved, seconded by Councilmember DeKryger, to adopt the Consent Agenda.

Motion carried: 7 Yeas 0 Nays

**RESOLUTIONS**

RESOLUTION NO. 27659

RESOLUTION TO SET A PUBLIC HEARING FOR THE PROPOSED 2023-2024 BUDGET FOR THE CITY OF WYOMING (MAY 1, 2023 AT 7:03 P.M.)

Councilmember DeKryger moved, seconded by Councilmember Postema, that the above Resolution be adopted.

Motion carried: 7 Yeas 0 Nays

At the request of the Mayor, with consent from the City Council, the following Resolutions were taken under one motion:

RESOLUTION NO. 27660

RESOLUTION TO CONFIRM SPECIAL ASSESSMENT ROLL #23-814 FOR THE SPONGY MOTH SUPPRESSION PROJECT

RESOLUTION NO. 27661

RESOLUTION TO CONFIRM SPECIAL ASSESSMENT ROLL #23-815 FOR THE SPONGY MOTH SUPPRESSION PROJECT

Councilmember Postler moved, seconded by Councilmember Postema, that the above Resolutions be adopted.

Motion carried: 7 Yeas 0 Nays

RESOLUTION NO. 27662

RESOLUTION TO APPROVE AND AUTHORIZE THE CITY CLERK TO SIGN A FACILITIES USE AGREEMENT WITH THE GRAND VALLEY ARMORY

Councilmember Arnoys moved, seconded by Councilmember DeKryger, that the above Resolution be adopted.

Motion carried: 7 Yeas 0 Nays

RESOLUTION NO. 27663

RESOLUTION TO APPROVE AND AUTHORIZE THE INTERIM CITY MANAGER TO SIGN A PROVIDER AGREEMENT FOR PROJECT FUNDING WITH KENT COUNTY

Councilmember DeKryger moved, seconded by Councilmember Hill, that the above Resolution be adopted.

Motion carried: 7 Yeas 0 Nays

RESOLUTION NO. 27664

RESOLUTION TO AWARD THE BID FOR THE 2023 WYOMING RESURFACING PROGRAM AND TO AUTHORIZE THE MAYOR AND CITY CLERK TO EXECUTE THE CONTRACT (BUDGET AMENDMENT NO. 63)

Councilmember Postema moved, seconded by Councilmember Arnoys, that the above Resolution be adopted.

Motion carried: 7 Yeas 0 Nays

RESOLUTION NO. 27665

RESOLUTION FOR AWARD OF BID AND TO AUTHORIZE THE MAYOR AND CITY CLERK TO SIGN THE CONTRACT

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Councilmember Postler moved, seconded by Councilmember Postema, that the above Resolution be adopted.

Motion carried: 7 Yeas 0 Nays

**ORDINANCES**

The Deputy Clerk introduced Ordinance 5-23:

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 90-515 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES BY ADDING SUBSECTION (136) TO REZONE 1141 COLRAIN STREET SW FROM R-2 AND FBC-CU TO FBC-CN (Final Reading)

Councilmember DeKryger moved, seconded by Councilmember Postler, that the above Ordinance be adopted and that the Ordinance be published in the Official Newspaper of the City.

Motion carried: 7 Yeas 0 Nays

The Deputy Clerk introduced Ordinance 6-23:

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 90-515 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES BY ADDING SUBSECTION (137) TO REZONE 2244 PORTER STREET SW FROM R-2 TO R-4 (Final Reading)

Councilmember Arnoys moved, seconded by Councilmember DeKryger, that the above Ordinance be adopted and that the Ordinance be published in the Official Newspaper of the City.

Motion carried: 7 Yeas 0 Nays

The Deputy Clerk introduced Ordinance 7-23:

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 90-515 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES BY ADDING SUBSECTION (138) TO REZONE A 0.96 ACRE PORTION OF 2222 44<sup>TH</sup> STREET SW LOCATED JUST SOUTH OF 2330 44<sup>TH</sup> STREET SW FROM R-1 RESIDENTIAL TO B-1 LOCAL BUSINESS (First Reading)

Councilmember Postler moved, seconded by Councilmember Hill, that the above Ordinance be considered for its first reading, that the Ordinance be considered as read and that the first reading be designated in the minutes as they are published in the Official Newspaper of the City.

Motion carried: 7 Yeas 0 Nays

The Deputy Clerk introduced Ordinance 8-23:

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 90, ARTICLES 3 AND 5, OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES BY AMENDING SECTIONS 90-320 AND 90-508 TO UPDATE LANGUAGE REGULATING OUTDOOR EQUIPMENT STORAGE AND DRIVE OPENINGS AT AUTOMOBILE SERVICE STATIONS (First Reading)

Councilmember Postler moved, seconded by Councilmember Hill, that the above Ordinance be considered for its first reading, that the Ordinance be considered as read and that the first reading be designated in the minutes as they are published in the Official Newspaper of the City.

Motion carried: 7 Yeas 0 Nays

### **INFORMATIONAL MATERIAL**

### **ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF VISITORS**

At 7:43 p.m., Postema moved, seconded by Councilmember Postler, to hold a closed session of the City Council to discuss pending litigation and property acquisition.

Motion carried: 7 Yeas 0 Nays

There was a brief recess. The City Council went into closed session at 7:50 p.m. The City Council reconvened the regular session at 8:10 p.m.

The meeting adjourned at 8:10 p.m.

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Rhonda L. Galligan  
Deputy City Clerk