

MINUTES, REGULAR MEETING
CITY COUNCIL, CITY OF LA CRESCENT, MINNESOTA
JUNE 8, 2020

Pursuant to due call and notice thereof, the first meeting of the City Council of the City of La Crescent for the month of June was called to order by Mayor Mike Poellinger at 5:30 PM in the La Crescent City Hall, La Crescent, Minnesota, on Monday, June 8, 2020.

Pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 13D.021 and due to the COVID-19 pandemic, members of the City Council and City Staff were given the option to attend the meeting by telephone. Upon a roll call taken and tallied by the City Administrator, the following members were present: Members Ryan Hutchinson (via telephone), Cherryl Jostad, Teresa O'Donnell-Ebner, Dale Williams and Mayor Mike Poellinger. Members absent: None. Also present was City Administrator Bill Waller, City Attorney Skip Wieser, City Engineer Tim Hruska, City Building/Zoning Official Shawn Wetterlin, and City Administrative Assistant Angie Boettcher.

Mayor Poellinger asked if anyone wished to take action to change the agenda as presented. There were no changes requested.

ITEM 1 – CONSENT AGENDA

At this time, the Mayor read the following items to be considered as part of the Consent Agenda for this regular meeting:

- 1.1 MINUTES – MAY 26, 2020
- 1.2 BILLS PAYABLE THROUGH JUNE 4, 2020

At the conclusion of the reading of the Consent Agenda, Mayor Poellinger asked if the Council wished to have any of the items removed from the Consent Agenda for further discussion. It was recommended by Member Jostad to amend the May 26, 2020 Minutes to include in the attendance by telephone for the Board of Appeal/Equalization Meeting paragraph that an unidentified commercial appraiser from the Houston County Assessor's Office also appeared by telephone. Following discussion, Member Williams made a motion, seconded by Member Hutchinson, as follows:

A MOTION TO APPROVE THE CONSENT AGENDA AS PRESENTED INCLUDING AN AMENDMENT TO MAY 26, 2020 MINUTES TO INCLUDE IN THE ATTENDANCE BY TELEPHONE FOR THE BOARD OF APPEAL/EQUALIZATION MEETING PARAGRAPH THAT AN UNIDENTIFIED COMMERCIAL APPRAISER FROM THE HOUSTON COUNTY ASSESSOR'S OFFICE ALSO APPEARED BY TELEPHONE.

Upon a roll call vote taken and tallied by the City Administrator, the following Members voted in favor thereof, viz;

Ryan Hutchinson	Yes
Cherryl Jostad	Yes
Teresa O'Donnell-Ebner	Yes
Dale Williams	Yes
Mike Poellinger	Yes

and none voted against the same. The motion was declared duly carried.

ITEM 3.1 – BICYCLE/PEDESTRIAN BRIDGE

City Engineer Hruska reviewed with City Council information regarding the bicycle/pedestrian bridge along with projections regarding the on-going maintenance costs associated with each of the bridge alternatives that he presented at the last City Council meeting. As has been discussed, the COVID-19 health pandemic has significantly altered the meetings of the past two months, and the public comment that the City had intended to receive during that time frame. For City Council information, the City has a \$2.5 million grant agreement with the Minnesota DNR that has a project completion date of December 31, 2021. In order that the project may continue to move forward, it was recommended that the City Council select one of the three alternatives so that WHKS can prepare the plans and specifications for the project. Following discussion, Member O’Donnell-Ebner made a motion, seconded by Member Williams, as follows:

MOTION TO MOVE FORWARD WITH PLAN IV.A – TRUSS BRIDGE OUTLINED IN THE WAGON WHEEL TRAIL PEDESTRIAN BRIDGE CROSSING OVER TH 61 REPORT DATED MAY 11, 2020.

Upon a roll call vote taken and tallied by the City Administrator, all Members present voted in favor thereof, viz;

Ryan Hutchinson	Yes
Cherryl Jostad	Yes
Teresa O’Donnell-Ebner	Yes
Dale Williams	Yes
Mike Poellinger	Yes

and none voted against the same. The motion was declared duly carried.

ITEM 3.2 – STOP SIGN REQUESTS

City Engineer Hruska reviewed with City Council two requests to install stop signs in the City, along with two Resolutions approving the installation of the stop signs. The first request reviewed was from an Agenda Request Form to install a stop sign at the north end of Juniper Street where it intersects with Birch Street. Following review and discussion, Member Williams introduced the following resolution and moved its passage and adoption

RESOLUTION NO. 06-20-21

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A STOP SIGN AT THE INTERSECTION OF JUNIPER STREET AND BIRCH STREET IN THE CITY OF LA CRESCENT, MINNESOTA

WHEREAS, the City of La Crescent received a request for a Stop Sign at the intersection of Juniper Street and Birch Street;

WHEREAS, the City of La Crescent's City Code § 70.23 authorizes the City Council by Resolution to designate any intersection as a stop intersection in order to prevent accidents and shall cause appropriate signs to be erected; and

WHEREAS, the City of La Crescent finds it is in the best interest of the residents of the City to install a Stop Sign at the intersection described above.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the La Crescent City Council:

1. That the City of La Crescent hereby authorizes the installation of a Stop Sign at the intersection of Juniper Street and Birch Street in the City of La Crescent.

ADOPTED this 8th day of June, 2020.

SIGNED:

Mayor

ATTEST:

City Administrator

The motion for the adoption of the foregoing resolution was duly seconded by Member Jostad and upon a roll call vote taken and tallied by the City Administrator, all Members present voted in favor thereof, viz;

Ryan Hutchinson	Yes
Cherryl Jostad	Yes
Teresa O'Donnell-Ebner	Yes
Dale Williams	Yes
Mike Poellinger	Yes

and none voted against the same. The motion was declared duly carried and the resolution duly passed and adopted.

The second request reviewed was from a resident requesting a stop sign on the corner of Honey Gold Court and Red Apple Drive. Following review and discussion, Member Hutchinson introduced the following resolution and moved its passage and adoption

RESOLUTION NO. 06-20-22

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A STOP SIGN AT THE INTERSECTION OF HONEY GOLD COURT AND RED APPLE DRIVE IN THE CITY OF LA CRESCENT, MINNESOTA

WHEREAS, the City of La Crescent received a request for a Stop Sign at the intersection of Honey Gold Court and Red Apple Drive;

WHEREAS, the City of La Crescent’s City Code § 70.23 authorizes the City Council by Resolution to designate any intersection as a stop intersection in order to prevent accidents and shall cause appropriate signs to be erected; and

WHEREAS, the City of La Crescent finds it is in the best interest of the residents of the City to install a Stop Sign at the intersection described above.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the La Crescent City Council:

1. That the City of La Crescent hereby authorizes the installation of a Stop Sign at the intersection of Honey Gold Court and Red Apple Drive in the City of La Crescent.

ADOPTED this 8th day of June, 2020.

SIGNED:

Mayor

ATTEST:

City Administrator

The motion for the adoption of the foregoing resolution was duly seconded by Member O’Donnell-Ebner and upon a roll call vote taken and tallied by the City Administrator, all Members present voted in favor thereof, viz;

Ryan Hutchinson	Yes
Cherryl Jostad	Yes
Teresa O’Donnell-Ebner	Yes
Dale Williams	Yes
Mike Poellinger	Yes

and none voted against the same. The motion was declared duly carried and the resolution duly passed and adopted.

ITEM 3.3 – STORM SEWER REPAIRS

City Engineer Hruska reviewed with City Council quotes for the North 4th Street Storm Water Repair project. The project will repair approximately 15 joints in the storm sewer pipe between Elm Street and Park Street. It will also fill the existing sink holes with black dirt and seed them. The City received the following quotes: Gerke Excavating, Inc. of Tomah, WI for \$19,333.00; Zenke Inc of La Crescent, MN for \$23,520.00; and Generation X Construction of Rushford, MN did not submit a quote. It was recommended to City Council to award the project to Gerke Excavating, Inc. as they were the low responsive, responsible bidder. Following discussion, Member Jostad made a motion, seconded by Member Williams, as follows:

MOTION TO ACCEPT THE PROPOSAL FROM GERKE EXCAVATING, INC. IN THE AMOUNT OF \$19,333.00 FOR THE NORTH 4TH STREET STORM WATER REPAIR PROJECT AND TO AMEND THE BUDGET TO REFLECT THIS EXPENDITURE.

Upon a roll call vote taken and tallied by the City Administrator, the following Members voted in favor thereof, viz;

Ryan Hutchinson	Yes
Cherryl Jostad	Yes
Teresa O'Donnell-Ebner	Yes
Dale Williams	Yes
Mike Poellinger	Yes

and none voted against the same. The motion was declared duly carried.

ITEM 3.4 – PLANNING COMMISSION MINUTES – JUNE 2, 2020

City Building/Zoning Official Wetterlin reviewed with City Council the Planning Commission Minutes from the June 2, 2020 meeting. The Planning Commission is recommending to the City Council that the Administrative Subdivision (property line adjustment) application for 558/550 Red Apple Drive be approved, with the following conditions (including discussed revision in #1) and findings of fact for City Council to consider:

Conditions:

1. The applicant shall record the accompanying survey and deed in the office of the County recorder within ninety (90) days.
2. The Applicant will abide by all representations made by the Applicant or their agents made during the permitting process, to the extent those representations were not negated by the Planning Commission or City Council and to the extent they are not inconsistent with the spirit or letter of explicit conditions of the conditional use permit.
3. The Applicant complies with all applicable federal, state, and local regulations.
4. 554 Red Apple Drive, Winona County, parcel number 33.005.0050 would no longer be a buildable lot.

Findings of Fact:

1. The Administrative Subdivision conforms to all requirements for lots within a R-IA Low Density Residential District and the applicant has demonstrated by survey that they comply with the requirements.
2. The request is in harmony with the general purposes and intent of the ordinance and consistent with the comprehensive plan.
3. The property owner proposes to use the property in a reasonable manner permitted by the zoning ordinance.
4. The lot boundary line adjustments/lot split will not alter the essential character of the locality.

Following discussion, Member O'Donnell-Ebner made a motion, seconded by Member Williams, as follows:

MOTION TO APPROVE THE ADMINISTRATIVE SUBDIVISION (PROPERTY LINE ADJUSTMENT) APPLICATION FOR 558/550 RED APPLE DRIVE WITH THE ABOVE STATED CONDITIONS, INCLUDING REVISION TO #1, AND TO ADOPT THE FINDINGS STATED ABOVE AND AS STATED IN THE JUNE 2, 2020 PLANNING COMMISSION MINUTES.

Upon a roll call vote taken and tallied by the City Administrator, the following Members voted in favor thereof, viz;

Ryan Hutchinson	Yes
Cherryl Jostad	Yes
Teresa O'Donnell-Ebner	Yes
Dale Williams	Yes
Mike Poellinger	Yes

and none voted against the same. The motion was declared duly carried.

ITEM 3.5 – HAZARDOUS BUILDING DETERMINATION

City Attorney Wieser and City Building/Zoning Official reviewed with City Council a hazardous building located at 226 3rd Street N in the City of La Crescent. City Council also reviewed a correspondence sent to the property owner and a proposed Resolution. The purpose of the Resolution would be to provide the property owner a notice to comply with the City's requests. If the property owner does not comply with the City's requests, the City will have the option of seeking a Court Order to enforce the Council's action. The City Building Official is recommending that the City Council declare the building to be a hazardous building and that the City Council adopt the Resolution. Attorney Jason Kuboushek from the Iverson Reuvers Condon Law Firm was present by telephone. It was also recommended to City Council for the City to use Iverson Reuvers Condon to avoid a conflict claim. Following review and discussion, Member O'Donnell-Ebner introduced the following resolution and moved its passage and adoption

RESOLUTION NO. 06-20-23

CITY OF LA CRESCENT

**RESOLUTION ORDERING THE RAZING OF A HAZARDOUS BUILDING
LOCATED AT 226 3RD STREET NORTH, LA CRESCENT, MINNESOTA**

WHEREAS, pursuant to Minn. Stat. §§ 463.16 and 463.161, the City Council of La Crescent finds the building located at 226 3rd Street North, La Crescent, Minnesota, and shown on the Exhibits herein, to be a hazardous building for the following reasons:

1. The building is unoccupied.
2. The building is badly deteriorated.
3. The building roof system is failing.
4. There are numerous holes in walls and ceilings.

5. There appears to be mold growth inside the building.
6. The building has many damaged or destroyed windows and window sashes.
7. Inadequate maintenance creating a hazard to the public safety and welfare.
8. Soffits and fascia are rotten and deteriorating.
9. Increased fire hazard as the building is unoccupied and has been broken into once.
10. City maintenance staff has been cutting grass/weeds/brush.
11. Neighbors have seen rodents entering the building.

WHEREAS, the conditions listed above are more fully documented in the photographs prepared by Building Official Shawn Wetterlin on November 21, 2019 and February 7, 2020, copies of which are attached as Exhibits A and B.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF LA CRESCENT, MINNESOTA, AS FOLLOWS:

1. That pursuant to the foregoing findings and in accordance with Minn. Stat. §§ 463.16 and 463.161, the Council orders the record owner of the above hazardous building or their representatives to make the following corrections on the property at 226 3rd Street North, La Crescent, Minnesota:

- a. Secure the vacant, hazardous building, including but not limited to, installation of locks, repairing and replacing of windows and doors, boarding windows and doors, posting “no trespassing” signs, fencing the property, and installing an alarm or other security system consistent with Minn. Stat. § 463.251.
- b. Repair the roof system.
- c. Repair holes in walls and ceilings.
- d. Remove all mold in the building.
- e. Repair or replace damaged or destroyed windows and window sashes.
- f. Repair or replace the deteriorating soffits and fascia.
- g. Maintain the property by cutting grass/weeds/brush.
- h. Contract with an extermination company to rid the property of rodents.

2. That the repairs listed above must all be made within thirty (30) days after the order is served upon the property owner. The repairs must be completed in compliance with all applicable codes and regulations, pursuant to proper permits from the City.

3. That if repairs are not made within the time provided in paragraph 2, the building is ordered to be razed, the foundations filled, and the property left free of debris, in compliance with all applicable codes

and regulations, pursuant to proper permits from the City. This must be completed within thirty (30) days after the initial time period provided in paragraph 2 has expired.

4. That a motion for summary enforcement of the order will be made to the District Court of Houston County in which the hazardous building or property is situated unless corrective action is taken, or unless an answer is filed within the time specified in Minn. Stat. § 463.18, which is twenty (20) days.

5. That in accordance with Minn. Stat. § 463.24, the owner or occupant must remove all personal property and/or fixtures that will reasonably interfere with the work within thirty (30) days. If the property and/or fixtures are not removed and the City enforces this order, the City may sell personal property, fixtures and/or salvage materials at a public auction after three days posted notice.

6. That if the City must take actions to enforce this order, all enforcement costs will be specially assessed against the property and collected in accordance with Minn. Stat. §§ 463.22, 463.161 and 463.21.

7. That the City Attorney, or his assigns, is authorized to serve this order upon the owner of the premises at 903 S Highway #44/76, Caledonia, MN 55921, and all lienholders of record.

8. That the City Attorney, or his assigns, is authorized to proceed with the enforcement of this order as provided in Minn. Stat. §§ 463.16 and 463.161.

Adopted by the City Council of the City of La Crescent on June 8, 2020.

Approved:

Mayor

Attested:

City Administrator

The motion for the adoption of the foregoing resolution was duly seconded by Member Jostad and upon a roll call vote taken and tallied by the City Administrator, all Members present voted in favor thereof, viz;

Ryan Hutchinson	Yes
Cherryl Jostad	Yes
Teresa O'Donnell-Ebner	Yes
Dale Williams	Yes
Mike Poellinger	Yes

and none voted against the same. The motion was declared duly carried and the resolution duly passed and adopted.

ITEM 3.6 – PERSONNEL COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS

City Administrator Waller reviewed with City Council the following recommendations from the Personnel Committee:

1. The Personnel Committee is recommending that the City Council accept the resignation/retirement of Ed Tlougan from the La Crescent Fire Department. City Council reviewed a letter from the Fire Chief regarding this recommendation.
2. The Personnel Committee is recommending that the City Council authorize the advertisement/recruitment of Fire Fighters and Emergency Medical Responders. A hiring recommendation would then be presented at a future City Council meeting. City Council reviewed a letter from the Fire Chief regarding this recommendation.

Following discussion, Member Williams made a motion, seconded by Member Jostad, as follows:

MOTION TO ACCEPT THE RESIGNATION/RETIREMENTS OF ED TLOUGAN FROM THE LA CRESCENT FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Upon a roll call vote taken and tallied by the City Administrator, the following Members voted in favor thereof, viz;

Ryan Hutchinson	Yes
Cherryl Jostad	Yes
Teresa O'Donnell-Ebner	Yes
Dale Williams	Yes
Mike Poellinger	Yes

and none voted against the same. The motion was declared duly carried.

Following discussion, Member Williams made a motion, seconded by Member O'Donnell-Ebner, as follows:

MOTION TO AUTHORIZE THE ADVERTISEMENT/RECRUITMENT OF FIRE FIGHTERS AND EMERGENCY MEDICAL RESPONDERS AND THAT A HIRING RECOMMENDATION BE PRESENTED AT A FUTURE CITY COUNCIL MEETING.

Upon a roll call vote taken and tallied by the City Administrator, the following Members voted in favor thereof, viz;

Ryan Hutchinson	Yes
Cherryl Jostad	Yes
Teresa O'Donnell-Ebner	Yes
Dale Williams	Yes
Mike Poellinger	Yes

and none voted against the same. The motion was declared duly carried.

ITEM 3.7 – EVALUATE BOARD OF APPEALS PROCESS

City Attorney Wieser reviewed with City Council a proposed correspondence to the Houston County Administrator and Board of Commissioners regarding the City’s displeasure of the recent Board of Appeals and Equalization meetings. The meetings the past two years have demonstrated a lack of transparency and communication between Houston County Officials towards City Staff. Following discussion, Member O’Donnell-Ebner made a motion, seconded by Member Jostad, as follows:

MOTION TO APPROVE FORWARDING THE CORRESPONDENCE TO THE HOUSTON COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR AND COPYING THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS REGARDING THE CITY’S DISPLEASURE OF THE RECENT BOARD OF APPEALS AND EQUALIZATION MEETINGS.

Upon a roll call vote taken and tallied by the City Administrator, the following Members voted in favor thereof, viz;

Ryan Hutchinson	Yes
Cherryl Jostad	Yes
Teresa O’Donnell-Ebner	Yes
Dale Williams	Yes
Mike Poellinger	Yes

and none voted against the same. The motion was declared duly carried.

ITEM 3.8 – COVID-19

City Council reviewed the following items relating to the current COVID-19 pandemic:

1. A resolution to grant regulatory flexibility to local businesses.
2. An updated memo regarding the City's 2020 Park & Recreation season based on the input received at the last City Council meeting.
3. Information on the City's 2020 recreation programming.
4. The Governor's Emergency Executive Order 20-63.

City Attorney Wieser reviewed with City Council the proposed Resolution granting regulatory flexibility to local businesses. Following review and discussion, Member Williams introduced the following resolution and moved its passage and adoption

RESOLUTION NO. 06-20-24

AUTHORIZING THE GRANTING OF REGULATORY FLEXIBILITY TO LOCAL BUSINESSES

WHEREAS, the President of the United States and the Governor of the State of Minnesota have declared states of emergency as a result of the spread of COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, on March 23, 2020, the City Council acted by Resolution declaring a local emergency; and

WHEREAS, the City Council recognizes this emergency has had a devastating effect on local businesses required to close pursuant to the Governor’s orders, particularly restaurants and other businesses that were the last to be allowed to reopen; and

WHEREAS, businesses are required to have a plan in place to safely reopen to the public that reflects social distancing requirements and complies with limits imposed on the number of customers that may be served at one time; and

WHEREAS, the Governor’s office has encouraged local governments to be creative in working with businesses as they reopen, particularly restaurants who are initially limited to outdoor service only; and

WHEREAS, in order to support the continued viability of local businesses, maximize the number of customers allowed to access businesses in light of the state’s operating restrictions, and to exercise the creativity encouraged by the Governor’s office, the City Council determines it is in the best interest of the City to allow the granting of regulatory flexibility as part of an approved plan submitted by each business seeking such flexibility; and

WHEREAS, it is not practical under the circumstances of this emergency to require businesses to pursue approvals and to obtain the flexibility they need now to safely reopen their businesses; and

WHEREAS, delegating authority to the City Administrator, Chief of Police, and City Attorney (collectively referred to as “City Staff”) to grant flexibility to local regulations as part of a plan a business submits to the City Administrator for approval is the only workable solution for expeditiously providing the assistance local businesses need as they start to reopen and put their employees back to work.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the La Crescent City Council as follows:

1. The City Staff is hereby delegated the authority to grant, on behalf of the City, flexibility in City regulations as they determine is appropriate to support the operations of local businesses as they reopen to the customers and resume operations under the limitations imposed by the Governor’s emergency orders. Regulatory flexibility may only be granted as part of a written plan the City Staff approves for a particular business entity.
2. For the purposes of this Resolution, the “regulatory flexibility” the City Staff is authorized to grant includes, but is not limited to, the following:
 - (a) Allow the expansion of the licensed “premises” of a business holding an on-sale liquor license to allow the service and consumption of alcohol in an expanded area identified in the approved plan;
 - (b) Allow the expansion of existing business operations without requiring amendments to existing zoning approvals or new zoning approvals;
 - (c) Allow a business to use adjacent City property (under this Resolution, City property shall be interpreted to include public right-of-way under the jurisdiction of the City) for customer

seating, the display of its products for sale, or for other similar uses upon entering into a license or use agreement with and/or obtaining an appropriate permit from the City; and

- (d) Such other flexibility in the City’s regulations and the enforcement of those regulations as the City Staff determines is appropriate under the particular circumstances of the business to reasonably allow it to conduct its business in a manner that maximizes its operations while complying with its plan, the Governor’s emergency orders, and applicable guidelines.
3. The City Staff has the discretion to deny any request for regulatory flexibility. If approved, the City Staff shall place such conditions on the approval as the City Staff determines are reasonable under the circumstances. The City Staff may immediately repeal any approved regulatory flexibility if the City Staff determines the business violated the scope of the regulatory flexibility, any conditions placed on the granted flexibility, or the expanded business operations interfere with public safety or unreasonably obstructs the use of public property.
 4. The regulatory flexibility allowed under this Resolution is intended to temporarily allow a business to overcome local regulatory hurdles that interfere with its efforts to implement its plans to reopen and operate in accordance with social distancing and other federal and state safety requirements. This Resolution, and regulatory flexibility granted hereunder, does not exempt a business from:
 - (a) Complying with all applicable federal and state laws, rules, regulations, and emergency orders;
 - (b) Fully implementing its COVID-19 Preparedness Plan;
 - (c) Complying with local regulations not directly related to the regulatory flexibility granted in the plan approved by the City Staff; or
 - (d) Immediately returning to full compliance with all applicable local regulations upon the expiration or termination of the regulatory flexibility.
 5. The authority delegated herein to the City Staff shall take effect immediately and shall continue through October 1, 2020.
 6. Such approvals granted pursuant to this Resolution shall expire upon a date to be determined by the City Council as it reviews and responds further to the local emergency declaration.
 7. The City Staff shall submit an update to the City Council from time to time regarding flexibility approved under this Resolution.

ADOPTED this 8th day of June, 2020.

SIGNED:

Mayor

ATTEST:

City Administrator

The motion for the adoption of the foregoing resolution was duly seconded by Member O'Donnell-Ebner and upon a roll call vote taken and tallied by the City Administrator, the following Members present voted in favor thereof, viz;

Ryan Hutchinson	Yes
Teresa O'Donnell-Ebner	Yes
Dale Williams	Yes
Mike Poellinger	Yes

and Member Cheryl Jostad voted against the same. The motion was declared duly carried by a 4-1 vote and the resolution duly passed and adopted.

City Administrator Waller reviewed with City Council an updated Memo regarding the 2020 Park and Recreation Season recommendations, information on the 2020 Summer Recreation programming and Governor Tim Walz' Emergency Executive Order 20-63 and Order 20-74. Executive Order 20-74 updates and replaces Order 20-63. The new Order is effective June 10, 2020 and includes the following: Restaurants can be open with indoor seating at 50% capacity; the City pool can be open at 50% capacity which would be 246 (pool capacity is 493) with entrance restricted to residents of the School District and to open on Saturday, June 13. The Executive Orders are constantly changing and evolving. These items were informational, and no action was taken.

ITEM 5.1 – MAYOR'S COMMENTS

Mayor Poellinger acknowledged Marty Holub who addressed the City Council to ask support for a resolution in opposition of Governor Walz' Executive Order. At the request of Mr. Holub, this item will be added to the agenda for the June 22, 2020 City Council Meeting.

ITEM 8 – CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Sarah Dohnalik of the La Crescent Chamber of Commerce reported that the Block Party on Main is cancelled with the possibility of alternative-modified events. Applefest is also cancelled including the Arts & Crafts and Flea Market.

There being no further business to come before the Council at this time, Member Jostad made a motion, seconded by Member Williams, to adjourn the meeting. Upon a roll call vote taken and tallied by the City Administrator, the following Members present voted in favor thereof, viz;

Ryan Hutchinson	Yes
Cherryl Jostad	Yes
Teresa O'Donnell-Ebner	Yes
Dale Williams	Yes
Mike Poellinger	Yes

and none voted against the same. The motion was declared duly carried and the meeting duly adjourned at 6:52 PM.

APPROVAL DATE: _____

SIGNED:

Mayor

ATTEST:

City Administrator