

## REGULAR MEETING COMMON COUNCIL – August 25, 2020

The Common Council of the City of Huntington met on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of August 2020, at 6:45 a.m., in regular session and in accordance with all applicable requirements and notice.

**CALL TO ORDER:** Mayor Strick called the regular meeting of the Common Council to order.

**ROLL CALL:** Common Council Members present: Joe Blomeke, Charles Chapman, PJ Felton, Dave Funk, Seth Marshall, Jerry Meehan Jr., and Paul Pike.

**APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MINUTES:** Council Member Marshall moved to approve Council's August 11, 2020 meeting minutes as presented, seconded by Council Member Felton. Motion passed 7-0. Minutes signed.

### **PUBLIC COMMENT:**

Roger and Terra Finderson spoke in favor of the new Splash Pad. They had gathered data from a Facebook poll that stated the majority were in favor as well. They also stated that it was a good community project. Bob Caley also spoke in support of the splash pad project.

**REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES, BOARDS, OR COMMISSIONS:** None.

### **OLD BUSINESS:**

**Second and final reading of Ordinance 10-C-20: "Additional Appropriation - Park".** Park Superintendent Yoder spoke to Council in regard to the **new Splash Pad** explaining the details and the overwhelming community support of the project. Director of Engineering Adam Cuttriss presented the total cost for a new splash pad with a larger footprint, removable, and interchangeable water toys. He presented a timeline for the demolition and construction of the new footprint, if the project starts moving forward today best case it should be completed by the end of November 2020. The Mayor spoke explaining that the City has been preapproved for the use of CARES ACT funds for the recycling of the water usage to reduce the spread of COVID-19. He also reminded Council that for those funds to be reimbursed they must be expended before the end of 2020. After further discussion, Council Member Chapman made a motion to approve Ordinance 10-C-20, seconded by Council Member Pike. **Motion passed 6-1.** Ayes: Blomeke, Chapman, Felton, Funk, Marshall, and Pike. Nays: Meehan.

**NEW BUSINESS:** None.

### **MISCELLANEOUS:**

City Clerk-Treasurer McElhaney presented the City's 2021 Budget folders.

### **ADJOURNMENT:**

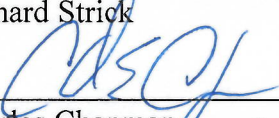
Council Member Felton moved to adjourn, seconded by Council Member Pike. Motion passed 7-0.

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APPROVED:

  
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Richard Strick As Mayor

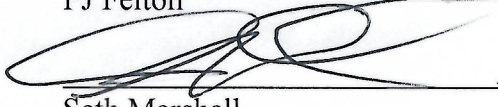
  
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Joseph E. Blomeke As Member

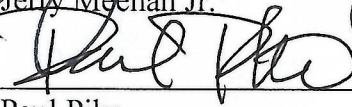
  
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Charles Chapman As Council  
President

  
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Dave Funk As Member

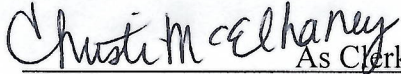
  
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PJ Felton As Member

  
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Jerry Meehan Jr. As Member

  
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Seth Marshall As Member

  
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Paul Pike As Member

Attest:

  
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Christi A. McElhaney As Clerk-Treasurer