

COMMON COUNCIL
Regular Session
July 11, 2017

Present: Alderman Gressler, Alderman Shaffer, Alderwoman Jodway, Alderman Welyczko, Alderman Ruffing, Alderman Regan, Alderman Atutis, Alderman Carter, City Attorney Jennifer Chrisman, Mayor Mark Blask, and City Clerk Kira Andrilla

Absent: City Treasurer David Petkovsek

Comments from the floor:

Mr. Bill Bennett gave the city workers a lot of credit with all their hard work through all the devastation that has happened within the City the last week.

Minutes:

The minutes of the June 6, 2017 Regular Session were approved as printed and placed on file in the City Clerk's office on motion of Alderwoman Jodway and seconded by Alderman Shaffer.

All in favor: Gressler, Shaffer, Welyczko, Ruffing, Regan, Atutis, Carter, Jodway

Bills:

Bills for the period of June 6, 2017 through July 11, 2017 in the amount of \$ **Current Check numbers , prepaid Check numbers** were approved as audited on motion of Alderman Carter and seconded by Alderman Ruffing

Roll Call: Gressler, Shaffer, Jodway, Welyczko, Ruffing, Regan, Atutis, Carter

Monthly Report:

The report of the City Clerk and Court Clerk for the month of June 2017 was accepted and placed on file on motion by Alderman Regan and seconded by Alderman Shaffer.

All in favor: Gressler, Shaffer, Jodway, Welyczko, Ruffing, Regan, Atutis, Carter

RESOLUTION #35

July 11, 2017

RESOLUTION No. 35 OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LITTLE FALLS

WHEREAS, the City of Little Falls has received notice of a dangerous condition existing at the premises known as 32 Church Street, Little Falls, NY ; and

WHEREAS, the property owner has failed to remedy said dangerous condition; and

WHEREAS, the Common Council has deemed the dangerous condition located at 32 Church Street, Little Falls to be a public emergency pursuant to Little Falls City Code 49-13 and General Municipal Law §103 (4); and

WHEREAS, the City of Little Falls has received a proposal to complete the demolition of the premises at 32 Church Street, Little Falls NY

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Common Council authorizes the financing of said demolition project pursuant to Little Falls City Code 49-113 and General Municipal Law §103 (4).

This resolution shall take effect upon passing hereof by the Common Council.

Dated: July 11, 2017

Codes Officer Phil Green was present to explain to the Council the situation. He was available to answer any questions.

Motion: Alderwoman Jodway

Second: Alderman Regan

Roll Call: Gressler, Shaffer, Jodway, Welyczko, Ruffing, Regan, Carter, Atutis

Comments from the floor:

Residents from Argonne Place expressed their concerns with their property and the damage on Furnace Street. After a brief discussion the Mayor suggested that after the meeting they meet to set a time to do a walkthrough of their property.

New Business:

Alderwoman Jodway also expressed what a great job the City Workers did the past week. Alderman Gressler also talked about the new signs in Burke and Ward Park. The signage was a project for the Historical Society. Alderman Gressler gave a little background how the signs were purchased. He also asked the Council for approval to look into a new historic entry into the City. The Council requested that he brings in a drawing to show what the Historical Society plans are.

Mayor:

Mayor Blask thanked all the departments for a job well done during a tough week for the City. Mayor also updated everyone on the sink hole on Furnace Street from the storm

Adjournment:

Meeting was adjourned at 7:37 p.m. with the motion made by Alderman Shaffer and seconded by Alderman Ruffing with all in favor.

Next meeting will be August 1, 2017. Bills will be at 6:30 pm with a regular session of the Common Council at 7:00 pm. **Any questions please contact City Clerk.**

Thank you