**City of Bloomer**

**Regular Meeting of the Common Council**

1503 Main Street

Bloomer, WI 54724

August 11th, 2021, 5:15 p.m.

Pursuant to due call and notice thereof a regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of Bloomer was called to order on Wednesday, August 11th, 2021, at 5:15 p.m. at City Hall, 1503 Main Street – Mayor Koehler presiding.

Roll call was taken: Mayor Koehler, Aldermen Baribeau, Meinen, Reischel, Zwiefelhofer, and Administrator Frion were all present. Attorney Gierhart was absent.

All present gave pledge to the flag.

Reischel made a motion to approve the minutes from the July 28th, 2021 Council meeting as presented. Zwiefelhofer seconded the motion and all present voted aye.

Baribeau made a motion to approve all claims against the City and Utilities as presented. Zwiefelhofer seconded the motion and all present voted aye. The claims were in the amounts listed below:

 Checks Numbered: 87532 - 87600

 General Fund: $ 92,327.95

 Electric Fund: $ 24,071.82

 Water Fund: $ 4,252.51

 Sewer Fund: $ 13,816.85

 Payroll $ 83,441.00

 TOTAL $ 217,910.13

Dave Reischel, 1920 Chippewa Rd., spoke of concerns with the speed of traffic that is traveling Hwy Q. Reischel would like to see a speed radar put out in front of his house to help deter speeders.

Alderman Meinen thanked all the volunteers that assisted with holding the Bloomer Community Fair, the National Night Out, and the K-9 Fundraiser events. Alderman Reischel concurred with Meinen’s comment. Mayor Koehler stated the mural on Duncan Rd. has been completed and thanked Chuck Babbitt and volunteers along with MaryAnn Gumness and the art students for doing a great job.

Motion by (Baribeau/Zwiefelhofer) to accept a bid from Kevin Meinen in the amount of $19,500 for parcel #23009-0924-62460101A located on Edward Street. Roll Call Vote – Meinen, abstained; Zwiefelhofer, aye; Baribeau, aye; Reischel, nay. Motion carried with Mayor Koehler voting aye.

Motion by (Baribeau/Meinen) to approve the bid in the amount of $2,730 from Geissler Plumbing for a new water fountain out at the North Park to be expended with the 2022 budget. All present voting aye, motion carried.

Motion by (Reischel/Baribeau) to approve donating $25,000, using ARPA Funds, to the Sportsman Club to put towards the purchase of a kayak launch at North Park. All present voting aye, motion carried.

Motion by (Reischel/Meinen) to adjourn. All present voting aye. Motion carried.

Sandra L. Frion

City Administrator