**City of Bloomer**

**Regular Meeting of the Common Council**

1503 Main Street

Bloomer, WI 54724

September 8th, 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, September 8th, 2021, at 5:15 p.m. at City Hall, 1503 Main Street – Mayor Koehler presiding.

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

All present gave pledge to the flag.

Zwiefelhofer made a motion to approve the minutes from the August 25th, 2021, Council meeting as presented. Baribeau seconded the motion and all present voted aye.

Meinen 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: 87647-87700

 General Fund: $ 114,498.22

 Electric Fund: $ 376,670.01

 Water Fund: $ 2,327.34

 Sewer Fund: $ 20,105.15

 Payroll $ 81,608.76

 TOTAL $ 595,209.48

 Housing Rehab: $ 12,045.00

Matt Hartman, 9026 157th Ave., spoke in favor of the sidewalk installation on 17th Avenue from the Bloomer Aquatic Center to Priddy Street.

Frion provided an update on the proposed local restricting stating that there are some individuals that were in Ward 3 and may be moved to Ward 2. The City has historically been in one County Board supervisory district as well and with the proposed plan, the City will now be in two supervisory districts. The final plan will have to be adopted prior to nomination papers being circulated December 1st.

Motion (Reischel/Zwiefelhofer) to approve moving forward with the services from CBS2 for designing and surveying for the 2nd phase of sidewalk installation on 17th Avenue from the Bloomer Aquatic Center to Priddy Street. Motion carried.

Motion (Meinen/Baribeau) to approve contracting with Ehler’s to provide a comprehensive Water Utility Rate Study and a Sewer Fund Long-Range Cash Flow analysis. Motion carried.

Motion (Baribeau/Meinen) to sell the City owned land located at the corner of Smith Street and 16th Avenue prior to the 2022 road reconstruction project to the highest bidder with a minimum bid of $47,500 with the buyer being responsible for the utility installation costs to the lot. Motion carried with Reischel voting nay.

Motion (Meinen/Reischel) to approve a bid from Northwest Roofing Co. in the amount of $24,200 for replacement of the rubber roofing at the Electric Department. Motion carried.

Motion (Meinen/Baribeau) to approve a street use permit from 17th Avenue to 13th Avenue on Main Street as well as Larson Street to Main Street on 14th Avenue for Saturday, October 9th from 8am – 3pm with a live music license from 11 am – 2 pm and drone usage during the event. Motion carried.

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

Sandra L. Frion

City Administrator