

# City of Southgate

## Regular City Council Meeting

### April 1, 2020

A Regular Meeting of the Council of the City of Southgate was held on Wednesday, April 1, 2020 and was called to order at 7:00 PM by Council President John Graziani. **(DUE TO COVID-19 VIRUS, THIS MEETING WAS HELD VIA ZOOM, IN ACCORDANCE WITH GOVERNOR WHITMER'S EXECUTIVE ORDER)**

**This meeting began with the Pledge of Allegiance, followed by roll call.**

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Present: Bill Colovos, Karen George, Mark Farrah, John Graziani, Philip Rauch, Chris Rollet, Dale Zamecki

Absent:

Also Present: Mayor Joseph G. Kuspa, City Attorney Brandon Fournier, Assistant City Administrator/Finance Director David Angileri, Public Safety Director Jeff Smith, Police Chief Joe Marsh, Fire Chief Marc Hatfield, DPS Director Bob Tarabula, Building Inspections Director Bob Casanova and Parks & Recreation Director Julie Goddard.

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#### **Minutes:**

Moved by Colovos, supported Rauch, RESOLVED, that the minutes of the City Council Work Study Session dated March 18, 2020 be approved as presented. Carried unanimously.

Moved by Zamecki, supported by Farrah, RESOLVED, that the minutes of the Regular City Council Meeting dated March 18, 2020 be approved as presented. Carried unanimously.

Moved by Rollet, supported by Zamecki, RESOLVED, that the minutes of the Public Hearing dated March 18, 2020 be approved as presented. Carried unanimously.

#### **Bids:**

1. Memo from Administrator; Re: DPS Salt Storage Building, moved by Zamecki, supported by Rauch, RESOLVED that the Southgate City Council concurs with the Engineer's recommendation and awards the bid for a salt storage building and installation to C&S Construction Management (17779 Brinson, Wyandotte, MI 48192) in the amount of \$273,111.20, which includes a 15% contingency).

Motion carried unanimously.

#### **Communications "A":**

1. Memo from Administrator; Re: Bid extension for weed cutting, grass cutting & rubbish removal, moved by Rollet, supported by Rauch, RESOLVED that the Southgate City Council hereby extends the current contract for two (2) years for Weed Cutting, Grass Cutting & Rubbish Removal with US Lawns (15040 Dumay St, Southgate, MI 48195) at a 5% increase in fees.

Motion carried unanimously.

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### **Claims and Accounts:**

Moved by Farrah, supported by Zamecki, RESOLVED, that Claims and Accounts be paid as outlined on Warrant #1398 in the amount of \$6,404,775.62.

Motion carried unanimously.

### **Adjournment:**

Moved by Rauch, supported by George, RESOLVED, that this Regular Meeting of the Southgate City Council be adjourned at 7:08 P.M. Carried unanimously.

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John Graziani  
Council President

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Michelle Kessler  
Deputy City Clerk