

**VILLAGE OF SCHOOLCRAFT
COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS
January 20, 2020**

The Regular Meeting of the Village Council held at 442 N. Grand Street was called to order by President Gunnett at 7:00 p.m.

The Prayer and Pledge of Allegiance were led by President Gunnett.

ROLL CALL:

Present: President Gunnett, Trustees Rochholz, Mastenbrook, Barnes, Stodola, and Carlin.
Absent: Trustee Spears.
Also Present: Village Manager Cheri Lutz, Clerk Theresa O'Leary, Finance Director/Assistant Manager Tammi Youngs, Officer in Charge Sergeant Jamie Edwards, Scott Boling, Joe Beck, Deb Christiansen, Kirk Bergland, John Gisler, Drew Johnson from South County Community Services, Max Hutchison, and Jaclyn Brohl

APPROVAL OF AGENDA:

Motion by Rochholz, seconded by Barnes, to approve the agenda as presented. All aye.

APPROVAL OF CONSENT AGENDA:

Motion by Carlin, seconded by Mastenbrook to approve the Consent Agenda as presented. All aye.

CITIZEN'S ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS:

Kalamazoo County Commissioner John Gisler announced that Craig Williams is the new director of the Kalamazoo/Battle Creek Airport.

PUBLIC HEARINGS:

None.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

None.

NEW BUSINESS:

- a) President Keith Gunnett introduced the new Chief of Police for the Village of Schoolcraft, Scott Boling. He will begin his duties in Schoolcraft on April 20, 2020.
- b) Drew Johnson from South County Community Services discussed services offered in 2019 and possible new services that will be offered in 2020.

Motion by Rochholz, seconded by Barnes to approve funding to the South County Community Service in the amount of \$3,100. All aye.

- c) Deb Christiansen had the following statements:
 - She stated that there will be a Historical Home Tour in December of this year.
 - She stated she is organizing a Art Hop in Schoolcraft for May 1, 2020.
 - She stated that during the Art Hop, art work from high school students will be on display at the Schoolcraft Community Library.
 - She stated that on July 27, 2020 Margaret O'Brian will be talking about Women's Suffrage.

TABULATION OF BIDS:

None.

COMMUNICATIONS:

None.

STATEMENTS FROM CITIZENS AND MUNICIPAL OFFICIALS:

President Keith Gunnett had the following statements:

- He stated the Finance Committee met earlier today. Plans to get an audio system for the Council Chambers have been cancelled.
- He stated there is going to be a special meeting with the Council to discuss the timeline from Wightman regarding sanitary sewer.

Trustee Mastenbrook had the following statement:

- She stated that it is a good idea to participate in the Mitigation plan and there is a time restriction on participating.

Village Manager Cheri Lutz provided a brief update on the status of Bud's Bar.

OTHER BUSINESS:

None.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 7:37 p.m.

Keith F. Gunnett, President

Theresa O'Leary, Clerk