

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE  
COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WATERVLIET  
THURSDAY, APRIL 20th, 6:00 P.M.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Patricelli 6:00 P.M.

Roll call showed that Mayor Patricelli, Councilwoman Diamond, and Councilman Daus were present.

Also present from City Administration were City Manager Joe LaCivita, Brian Kremer of Goldberger & Kremer and Deputy City Clerk Dave Wheatley

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mayor Patricelli.

Councilwoman Diamond made a motion to dispense with the reading of the minutes from the 4-06-2023 Council Meeting which was seconded by Councilman Daus. A vote was taken to approve the meeting minutes which passed 3-0.

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**Before the Reports of Officers and Committees a Moment of Silence was observed in memory of Watervliet Police Sargent Marc Langlais who passed away on April 19<sup>th</sup>.**

**REPORT OF OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES**

General Manager Joe LaCivita updated the council on the following items:

- Work being done on the ADA compliant ramp at the Community Center.
- Maintenance work needed for the city's street sweeper.
- Installation of docks at Hudson Shores Park
- New refuse & recycling truck has been registered with DMV.
- New police officer Vincent Nischo will be sworn in at 2pm Friday by Mayor Patricelli.
- Sargent Matt Cusson has left the Watervliet Police Department to join the FBI.
- Work being done on entrances to City Hall.
- School Resource Officer status with the school district.
- Water line project.
- Paving project.
- New Castle Paving to fix sewer drains on 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue.
- Progress on the rut in the road on 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue and Broadway.

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## **OLD BUSINESS**

**NONE**

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## **NEW BUSINESS**

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**RESOLUTION NO. 30 for 2023** – A Resolution awarding a contract for the installation of an air conditioning system at Watervliet City Hall and authorizing Mayor Charles V. Patricelli to execute all required documents regarding same.

*Upon a motion by Councilman Daus which was seconded by Councilwoman Diamond this Ordinance passed 3-0*

**RESOLUTION NO. 31 for 2023** – A Resolution authorizing and approving the transfer of up to \$30,000 from the Equipment Reserve (HRA) to be used for repairs to the 2012 Elgin Sweeper.

*Upon a motion by Councilwoman Diamond which was seconded by Councilman Daus this Ordinance passed 3-0*

**RESOLUTION NO. 32 for 2023** - A Resolution amending the agreement with Flatley Read, Inc. for Asbestos inspection services under the Community Development Block Grant – Housing Rehabilitation and authorizing Mayor Charles V. Patricelli to execute an agreement for same

*Upon a motion by Councilman Daus which was seconded by Councilwoman Diamond this Ordinance passed 3-0*

**RESOLUTION NO. 33 for 2023** – A Resolution approving the purchase of four spuds with engineering plans and four gangways from Rusty Anchor, Inc.

*Upon a motion by Councilwoman Diamond which was seconded by Councilman Daus this Ordinance passed 3-0*

**RESOLUTION NO. 34 for 2023** - A Resolution awarding a contact for the repair and replacement of emergency doors and windows at City Hall and authorizing Mayor Charles V. Patricelli to execute all required documents regarding same.

*Upon a motion by Councilman Daus which was seconded by Councilwoman Diamond this Ordinance passed 3-0*

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## **APPROPRIATIONS AND ACCOUNTING**

**None**

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**Prior to the public comment Mayor Patricelli spoke on the following items with the council:**

- Keep Vliet Neat Day will be held on Saturday, April 22<sup>nd</sup> from 9:00AM to 3:00PM
- City-Wide Garage Sale will be held two weekends in June. They will be June 2,3 and 4 and June 9 and 11.
- The city is working on setting up an Electronics Recycling Day in June.
- The city will provide residents with a tour of the city Hydro Plant on Saturday, June 10<sup>th</sup>. There are 66 spots available and participants must pre-register with the mayor's office.
- "Cars Along the Hudson" event will be held at Hudson Shores Park on Saturday, May 13 from 9:00AM to 3:00PM.

## **PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD**

**NONE**

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Councilman Daus made a motion to adjourn the meeting, which was seconded by Councilwoman Diamond. The motion passed 3-0.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:15 PM

**Next Meeting: Thursday, May 4th, 2023, 6:00 P.M.  
The meeting will be held at the Watervliet Senior Center**