March 25, 2024

Mayor Sharrard opened the regular meeting of the Gaylord City Council with a prayer by Councilmember Ouellette at 7:00PM on Monday, March 25, 2024. The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United State of America followed the invocation. The meeting was held in the City Council Chambers, located at City Hall, 305 East Main Street, Gaylord, Michigan.

Members Present: Sharrard, Awrey, Ouellette, Jaques, Witt, Wilson and Ryan.

Motion by Witt, supported by Jaques to dispense with the reading of the minutes from the March 11, 2024 meeting and accept them as presented.

Ayes: Unanimous. Motion Carried.

Public Comment:

Mr. Maddox spoke during public comment.

New Business:

Motion by Witt, supported by Wilson to approve the following resolution Approving Annexation of Property to the City of Gaylord (Community Financial Credit Union):

On October 23, 2013, the Township of Livingston entered into a Contract For Transfer Of Property Pursuant To P.A. 1984 No. 425 with the City of Gaylord and the owners of the property subject to the agreement. The Township of Livingston agreed that, upon the termination or expiration of that contract, that it would resolve to permit the annexation of the property to the City of Gaylord under MCL 117.9(8). The Livingston Township Clerk has received a Petition signed by every qualified voter residing in the property subject to the contract and signed by the legal and/or equitable owners who collectively hold more than one-half of the area of the land subject to the contract. That Petition requests that the Livingston Township Board approve the annexation of the property to the City of Gaylord. The Livingston Township Treasurer has, at least ten (10) days prior to the date of this Resolution, notified the owners of all real property in the territory to be annexed either personally or by registered mail with return receipt demanded, at the last known address on file with the Township Treasurer, or has received a waiver of such notice.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS RESOLVED:

That the Gaylord City Council consents to and approves the annexation of the following described real property to the City of Gaylord, Michigan, in *Exhibit A*, pursuant to MCL 117.9(8) and City of Gaylord and Township of Livingston Contract For Transfer Of Property Pursuant to P.A. 1984 No. 425 dated October 23, 2013.

Ayes: Unanimous. Motion Carried.

Motion by Jaques, supported by Wilson to approve the Master Water Meter Agreement.

Ayes: Unanimous. Motion Carried.

Motion by Awrey, supported by Witt to approve the First Reading of the Amendments to the Sign Ordinance.

Ayes: Unanimous. Motion Carried.

No other business was presented, and the meeting was adjourned at 7:35 p.m.

Jennifer Molski, City Clerk

Todd Sharrard, Mayor