

CITY OF COUNCIL
Special Meeting
June 29, 2020
6:00 pm

The City Council met in special session at 6:00 pm on June 29th, 2020, to address concerns that have been brought to their attention over the past several days concerning the Council 4th of July Celebrations and the recent increase in confirmed COVID cases in the Council and surrounding areas.

Council Members Present: Mayor Gardner, Council President Huter, Council Member Stanford, and Council Member Stoker

1. **Council 4th of July Celebration – Action Item**

The City Council asked event organizers to attend the meeting to discuss safety concerns and protocols that have been put in place for the 4th festivities. After discussion between the council and chamber, the floor was open to members of the public. Some of the concerns addressed were social distancing, hand washing stations, and masks. The Chamber of Commerce has already issued a statement on social media addressing these concerns and will have safety precautions and recommendations posted at the different events throughout town, and will also have masks and hand sanitation stations available as well. They will also be implementing changes to the calcutta auction at the porcupine races to try and shorten the time that people are congregated around the race barricades.

Council Member Stanford motioned to allow the Chamber of Commerce to move forward with the 4th of July celebration and festivities with the proposed safety precautions and recommendations. Council President Huter seconded the motion. Roll Call on the motion resulted as follows: YEAS: Huter & Stanford NAYS: Stoker: Motion Carries

Minutes submitted by:



Tami Testa ~ City Clerk

Minutes approved by:



Bruce Gardner ~ Mayor