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April 27, 2020

A meeting of the Council for the City of Crystal Falls was held pursuant to Executive order 2020-59 and virtually pursuant to Executive order 2020-48 to comply with the open meetings act and remote electronic and telephonic access which was provided to the public on Monday, April 27, 2020, at 8:00 A.M. Central Time.

Roll Call: Mayor McCarthy, Councilors Willman, Peterson, Anderson, and Nocerini.

Absent: None

Also, present: City Manager Gerard Valesano, Clerk/Treasurer Tara Peltoma and City Attorney Daryl R. Waters.


Mayor McCarthy led the reciting of the Pledge of Allegiance.

Councilor Peterson seconded by Councilor Anderson moved to accept the proposed revised agenda.

Ayes: Mayor McCarthy, Councilors Willman, Peterson, Anderson and Nocerini.

Nays: None

Absent: None

Motion carried.

Public comment: None

City Manager, Gerard Valesano presented his manager’s report.

Presentations/Discussions: City owned property that was to be put for sale on bids will be delayed until survey is completed.
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Due to cutbacks with the ICECA staff members, Fungus Festival will be canceled for 2020.
The springtime, curb side trash, debris, etc., pick-up will be postponed until a later date.
Mayor McCarthy temporarily closed regular meeting at 8:07 a.m. to conduct a Public hearing for Ordinance 2.03 Disabled Motor Vehicles.
Public Comment: None

Mayor McCarthy resumed regular meeting at 8:09 a.m.

Councilor Anderson supported by Councilor Willman moved to accept the amended Ordinance 2.03: Disable Motor Vehicles.
Ayes: Mayor McCarthy, Councilors Willman, Anderson, Peterson and Nocerini
Nays: None
Absent: None

Motion carried.

Mayor McCarthy temporarily closed regular meeting at 8:10 a.m. to conduct a Public Hearing on Ordinance 2.35: Noxious Weeds.
Public Comment: None

Mayor McCarthy resumed regular meeting at 8:11 a.m.

Councilor Peterson seconded by Councilor Nocerini moved approve the amendment of Ordinance 2.35: Noxious Weeds.
Ayes: Mayor McCarthy, Councilors Willman, Anderson, Peterson, Nocerini
Nays: None
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Absent: None

Motion carried.

Old Business: None

New Business:

Mayor McCarthy read the emergency amendment of Ordinance 4.20.

Councilor Nocerini seconded by Councilor Willman moved to approve a
Public Hearing for the emergency amendment of Ordinance 4.20 for
the next regular meeting May 11, 2020.

Ayes: Mayor McCarthy, Councilors Willman, Peterson, Anderson and
Nocerini
Nays: None

Absent: None

Motion carried.

Councilor Anderson seconded by Councilor Willman moved to approve
Resolution 20-18: Approving the postponement of the City’s Spring
Clean-up day held at the City’s Bristol Mine property which was
scheduled for Saturday, May 16th. (a date has not yet been
determined)

Ayes: Mayor McCarthy, Councilors Willman, Peterson, Anderson, and
Nocerini
Nays: None

Absent: None

Motion carried.

Councilor Willman seconded by Councilor Anderson moved to approve
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Ayes: Mayor McCarthy, Councilors Willman, Peterson, Anderson, and Nocerini

Nays: None

Absent: None

Motion carried.

Councilor Nocerini seconded by Councilor Anderson moved to approve Resolution 20-20: Approving the City's second quarter budget amendment.

Ayes: Mayor McCarthy, Councilors Willman, Anderson, Peterson, and Nocerini

Nays: None

Absent: None

Motion carried.

Councilor Nocerini seconded by Councilor Anderson moved that the items on the Consent Agenda minus the payroll and disbursements (will be approved when Council meets in regular session) be approved as noted below:

1. The following reports for the month of March 2020:
   A. Regular meeting minutes from March 9, 2020
   B. Special meeting minutes from March 16, 2020
   C. Police report, as submitted by Police Chief Tim Bean, indicating 63 complaints, of which 2 were
closed by arrest, 0 parking tickets, and logging of 1,457 miles on patrol duty.

D. Public Works Department activity report as submitted by Foreman Kelly Stankewicz.

E. Electric Department activity report as submitted by Chief Electrician David Graff.

F. Treasurer’s Revenue Report as submitted by Clerk/Treasurer Tara Peltoma.

Ayes: Mayor McCarthy, Councilors Willman, Peterson, Anderson, and Nocerini

Nays: None

Absent: None

Motion carried.

Councilor Peterson thanked the administration for putting together the virtual meeting.

Mayor McCarthy thanked the members of the council and the City employees for a good job with keeping the City going during these difficult times. He also thanked the Citizens of the City of Crystal Falls for doing their part and staying home and staying safe.

Mayor McCarthy adjourned this meeting at 8:21 a.m.