



## River Stop Landing

Principal Shopping District

P.O. Box 54

Newaygo, MI 49337

# Board Meeting MINUTES: 15<sup>th</sup> of July, 2020

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#### Regular Board Meeting of the PSD Board

Wednesday, 15<sup>th</sup> of July, 2020

11:00 AM

City Council Chambers

#### Call to Order : 11:04 AM by Looman

Goodwill Pledge

"I pledge, to this body and this city, to fulfill my public service with goodwill and moral consideration."

Roll Calln *Present – Looman, Nelson, Friar, Parsley, Harris, Brock Absent- Fedell, Slominski, Cooper*

Excusing of Absent Members – *Motion Parsley, Second Nelson, Passed Unan.*

Approval or Agenda – *Removal of New business item related to sign approval for Northwoods General Store as they haven't finalized design yet. Motion Parsley, Second Nelson, Passed Unan.*

**Review and Approval of PSD Meeting Minutes** from January 8, 2020 *Motion Nelson, Second Brock, Passed Unan.*

**Reserved Time** Any comments or discussion from board on PSD district during Covid-19?  
*None.*

#### Public Comment

Public in attendance may speak on any New or Old Business topic in the agenda. Three (3) minute time limit applies. Please state name and address for record. *None.*

#### New Business

1. Review Façade Change Permit Application – Newaygo County Museum.  
*Discussion on plans and timeframe from City Manager Schneider. Motion to approve by Nelson, Seconded by Parsley, Passed Unan.*
2. Review Façade Change Permit Application – Illuminate Counseling – *Motion to approve by Looman, Second by Parsley, Passed Unan.*
3. Review Q2 Expense report
4. New banner designs – *Discussion to be had another time. DPW behind on project but will do archways and banner swaps this summer.*

## **Old Business**

1. Business feedback on MDOT lane trials downtown *Discussion led by City Manager Schneider. Board members report positive feedback and related retail guest feedback on ease of parking and calming of traffic. Discussion on pedestrian crosswalk confusion and plans for lights, etc. Brock discussed walker safety with limited crosswalk understanding.*
2. PSD section of city newsletter – *to be discussed later*
3. PSD transparency report – *to be discussed later*
4. Archways and Banners – *DPW working on it.*

## **Public Comment**

Public in attendance may speak on any topic. Two (2) minute time limit applies. *None.*

**Board Comments** *Continued discussion on lane changes. Friar asked about curb painting consistency. CM relayed curb ownership differences between blocks south and north of Quarterline intersection. Consistency a city goal once MDOT changes finalized. We haven't seen traffic patterns with school because of Covid closures.*

**Adjournment** *By Looman at 11:40am*