

CITY OF HANCOCK
PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES
MONDAY, APRIL 25, 2022

Call to order by Chairperson Kurt Rickard at 6:00 p.m.

Present: LaBine, Walton, Rickard, Burack, Griffis, Lahti

Absent: Blau, Harris, Wenc

Motion by Member Burack and supported by Member Walton to approve the agenda as presented.

Yes: All

No: None

Motion Carried

Public Comment-None

Motion by Member Walton and supported by Member LaBine to approve the following meeting minutes.

September 7, 2021

November 29, 2021

January 24, 2022

February 7, 2022

February 28, 2022

March 28, 2022-Joint Meeting (Council approved)

Yes: All

No: None

Motion Carried

Updates and Information

- Summer Events information-Canal Rock, Movies on the Green and Tori & Farmers Market
- Garbage stickers
- Police Millage Proposition
- DDA Informational Meeting set for-May 2nd, 2022
- Bridge Celebration-Portage Lake Bridge-National Historic Civil Engineering Landmark, 10:00 a.m. June 17th, 2022, Bridgeview Park, Houghton, MI
- Assessor Report-for April 2022

New Business

1. Motion by Member LaBine and supported by Member Griffis to recommend the final draft of the Hancock Business and Technology Park for approval to submit for the City Council's consideration.

Yes: 5
No: Member Lahti

Motion by Member Walton and supported by Member LaBine to amend the first motion, change to add: lighting for night sky.

Yes: 5
No: Member Lahti

Motion by Member Walton and supported by Member Burack to amend the second motion, change to add: ALL LIGHTING SHALL BE DARK SKY COMPLIANT.

Yes: 5
No: Member Lahti
Motion Carried

The Commission discussed Solar Energy Ordinance.

Public Comment-None

Motion by Member LaBine and supported by Member Griffis to adjourn at 7:16 p.m.

Yes: All
No: None
Motion Carried


Mary Babeock, City Manager