

MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL GROSSE POINTE CITY COUNCIL WORKSHOP MEETING HELD IN THE ZOOM VIDEO AND PHONE CONFERENCE PROGRAM ON MONDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2020.

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m.

Mayor Tomkowiak declared without objection that this meeting is being held virtually because a state of emergency exists in Grosse Pointe such that holding an in-person meeting would risk the personal health or safety of members of the public or the public body.

ROLL CALL

Present: Mayor Tomkowiak, Council Members Juip, Parthum, Stempfle, Thomas, Walsh, Williams

In Attendance: City Manager Dame, Attorney Kennedy, City Clerk Arthurs, Public Service Director Randazzo, and Public Service Supervisor Kress

DISCUSSION – VILLAGE PARKING EQUIPMENT

City Manager Dame presented a PowerPoint presentation and provided an overview of the existing parking equipment throughout The Village. Mr. Dame explained that the parking system is a self supporting enterprise fund and revenues are used to support the maintenance and repairs to the parking system equipment.

City Manager Dame discussed the types of equipment used in each parking lot in the City. Revenues and expenses for currently used equipment were discussed and reviewed. Pay stations and/or kiosks are the newest equipment installed in The Village and details on how the pay station parking equipment works was reviewed. The potential updates to the technology for this type of system and new parking payment applications were discussed.

City Manager Dame noted that meetings with Village stakeholders were conducted to determine priorities and to collect data on other issues that impact stakeholders use of the parking system.

Discussion took place regarding revenues and expenses of the various parking equipment. It was noted that finding the most cost effective and user friendly system is important. It was requested that a comparison of revenues and expenses for each type of parking equipment be presented for Council review at a future meeting.

PUBLIC COMMENT – None

On Motion, the workshop meeting was adjourned at 8:15 p.m.

Julie E. Arthurs, City Clerk
City of Grosse Pointe