

**CITY OF LYNDON  
CAUCUS MEETING MINUTES  
MONDAY, JUNE 15, 2020**

The Caucus Meeting was called to order by Mayor Brent Hagan at 6:00 p.m. Those present: Susan Barto, Betsy Kramer, Kelly Kramer, Carla Nalley, Becky Ricketts, Mardy Sidebottom, Amy Stuber and City Attorney John Singler.

Mayor Hagan began discussing the future of city events for the remainder of the year. The event coordinating company the City contracts with, Eventualities, has filed bankruptcy but they will continue planning events. The rental side of the business will no longer be in operation. Discussion was held. The summer festival is not officially canceled.

Whipps Mill Rd. paving complaints and speeding issues on Beech were discussed. The Mayor stated he is continuing to research the permanent speed radar signs that would be installed in areas with high rates of speeding issues. Beech would not qualify for those signs but there are other options to consider such as possibly making Beech and Benjamin an official two-way stop intersection, with recommendations of the City Engineer. Amy Stuber mentioned the stop sign and Wood and Whipps Mill is too far back and the Mayor informed her once the Whipps Mill paving is complete, that area will get new signs on new poles. Ms. Stuber also reported a pole in the right of way of Wood and Perry was struck and damaged by a construction truck. Since Perry Rd is private, the Mayor explained the City will not maintain the light pole. If the property owner calls, Mayor Hagan stated the office will give them the builder's contact information.

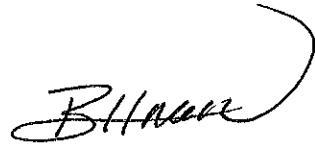
Mardy Sidebottom inquired about the property next to Romara, she heard it was for sale. Ms. Stuber advised the entire property is two lots and both lots are being sold. Discussion was held. Becky Ricketts informed council members she called the Board of Elections to ask about the pull for ballot positions. Because of the pandemic, there is no date set but it is possible the election office staff will draw for the candidates.

Discussion was held regarding the CARES Act Funding and how the City can benefit from the grant. Attorney John Singler stated through training, he learned that cities can receive 100% reimbursement if they invoice for interlocal police protection. He also mentioned other eligible funds and will get more information before applying.

Becky Ricketts inquired about the upcoming KLC Conference in September being held in person. Mayor Hagan stated it may be online like others. He also informed council the City Hall office staff will be back in the office soon to prepare tax bills for mailing. Property owners will receive a pamphlet with their tax bill this year explaining what their taxes pay for and how to pay. The City is urging online payments this year. The Mayor also touched on the continued closure of park amenities and vandalism.

Karen McNight, a resident of Lyndon, attended meeting to discuss the current civil unrest and justice. To summarize a few points made by council members and the Mayor, there are many issues that need to be resolved with time but there is great hope that good change will result. Other discussion was held regarding the neighborhood standards of Cornerstone 20/40.

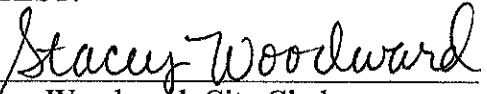
Meeting adjourned at 6:37 p.m.



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Brent Hagan, Mayor

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Stacey Woodward, City Clerk