



**CITY COUNCIL AGENDA**  
**AFTON CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS**  
3033 St. Croix Trail South  
**TUESDAY, August 18, 2020**  
**7:00 P.M.**

**Due to the Covid-19 Virus and the Governor's Executive Order, the August 18, 2020 City Council meeting will be held remotely using the Zoom video conference application.**

**To Join the Zoom Meeting**

**The Link is:** <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83102570970>

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**1. CALL TO ORDER**

**2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

- 3. ROLL CALL**
- \_\_\_\_\_ Mayor Palmquist
  - \_\_\_\_\_ Council Member Nelson
  - \_\_\_\_\_ Council Member Ross
  - \_\_\_\_\_ Council Member Wroblewski
  - \_\_\_\_\_ Council Member Perkins

**4. APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

- A. Approval of the Agenda for the Regular City Council Meeting of August 18, 2020 -

**5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

- A. Minutes of the July 21, 2020 City Council Meeting-  
B. Minutes of the July 7, 2020 Special City Council Meeting-

**6. PUBLIC INPUT**

Citizens may share their comments or concerns on any issue that is a responsibility or function of the Afton City Council, whether or not the issue is on the Agenda. Persons who wish to address the Council must fill out a Comment Card before the meeting begins and give it to the City Administrator or Council Chair. The Council Chair will request you to come to the podium, state your full name and address and present your comments. You are encouraged to limit your presentation to no more than 3 minutes. The Council Chair reserves the right to limit an individual's presentation if it becomes redundant, repetitive, overly argumentative, or if it is not relevant to an issue that is part of the City of Afton's responsibilities. The Council Chair may also limit the number of individual presentations to accommodate the scheduled agenda items.

**7. REPORTS/PRESENTATIONS**

- A. Sheriff's Monthly Report -  
B. Tom Niedzwiecki, Budget Report -  
C. Lower St. Croix Fire District Report -

## **8. CONSENT AGENDA**

All matters listed on the Consent Agenda are considered to be routine by City Council and will be enacted in one motion. If a member wishes to discuss an item, that item will be removed from the Consent Agenda and considered separately. (Roll Call for Consent Agenda approval if Resolutions included):

- A. Just and Correct Claims
- B. 4M Fund Transfers – JULY – **Resolution 2020-41**
- C. Extension of the Declaration of Local Emergency – **Resolution 2020-42**

## **9. CITY COUNCIL BUSINESS**

### **A. Planning Commission Report**

- 1. Ordinance Amendment Regarding Firearms Discharge and Nuisance Noise – **Ordinance 05-2020**
- 2. Planning Commission Discussion Regarding Moving Forward with City Business During the Covid-19 Pandemic

### **B. Engineering Report – (Engineer Staff Report)**

- 1. 30<sup>th</sup> Street Improvement Project Engineering Services
- 2. FEMA Levee Certification Process To Amend Floodplain Map
- 3. Afton Creek Preserve Construction Update

### **C. Administration –**

- 1. Reconsideration of Kassenbaum and Gugisberg Complaint and Request Regarding Dangerous Dog Declaration
- 2. Tilton Appeal of Staff Denial of Permit to Remove a Tree at 4201 River Road
- 3. Ordinance Amendment to Extend Ordinance 02-2020, an Interim Ordinance Placing a Temporary Moratorium on Permit Applications for Non-Residential and Non-Agricultural Principal Structures in the Agricultural, Ag Preserve and Rural Residential Zoning Districts - **Ordinance 07-2020**
- 4. Ordinance Violations at 12631 15<sup>th</sup> Street
- 5. Council Chambers Audio/Visual System Upgrades
- 6. Accessory Buildings on Lakefront and Streamfront Lots
- 7. Information to Realtors Regarding the Lower St. Croix Bluffland and Shoreland Overlay District Regulations
- 8. Emergency Operations Update
- 9. Budget Work Session Dates

### **D. Committee Reports -**

- 1. Public Works
- 2. Personnel
- 3. Parks
- 4. Heritage Preservation Commission / Design Review
- 5. Natural Resources and Groundwater

## **10. COUNCIL, CONSULTANT AND STAFF REPORTS, ANNOUNCEMENTS AND UPDATES**

- A. Ward 1 Council Member Perkins
- B. Ward 2 Council Member Wroblewski
- C. Ward 3 Council Member Ross
- D. Ward 4 Council Member Nelson
- E. Mayor Palmquist
- F. City Attorney Knaak
- G. City Administrator Moorse

## **11. ADJOURN**

**A quorum of the City Council or Other Commissions may be present to receive information at, but not limited to, any of the following meetings: Planning Commission; the Public Works Committee; Parks Committee; Design Review and Historic Preservation Commission; Lower St. Croix Cable Commission; LSCWMO; MSCWMO; I-94 Corridor Coalition and the 5-City Mayor’s Alliance.**