August 24, 2020 Morton City Council Regular Meeting Zoom

Mayor Dan Mortensen Councilman Richard Vanderlip Councilman Peppy Elizaga Councilman Travis Cooper Councilman Kevin Dunlap Councilmember Jeanette Chamberlain

Regular Council meeting:

Pledge of Allegiance: Passed because of Zoom

Consent agenda was accepted and passed by all council

Public comment: None

New business: Morton Moose Lodge requested to have a temporary beer garden for outside seating until October 15, 2020. Covid 19 mandates will be followed. All members agreed to pass.

Applications for Councilmember position #5 was discussed in executive session and council came back with decision to appoint Jeanette Chamberlain.

Boundary Line Adjustment for Henricksen and St Clare property address 113A and 113B Aberdeen Road was discussed and all agree to allow request.

Andy Caldwell from Lewis County Emergency gave an update on what County is working on.

Anders Pollman and Nancy Wetch presented council with the outcome of bids for the Main Avenue Lift Station. After discussion council agreed to accept bid from Lee Contractors LLC.

Old Business: Chief Morningstar gave update on Freedom Week and School Officer Grant. Council agreed to allow Freedom Week at Backstrom Park if Police Chief contacted Department of Health for approval and all COVID-19 mandates were followed. Chief agreed. Chief said school officer grant has been put on extension for later date.

Public Participation: Mayor read a letter from Department of Ecology congratulating Sewer Plant for a great job in 2019.

Adjourn: 8:09pm

Respectfully, Tamara Clevenger, City Clerk-Treasurer

Dan Mortensen, Mayor