

Minutes for May 11, 2020 Work Session, gaveled into session at 8:30 a.m.

Mayor Garry stated that the ID cards for Council are ready. He called Joe Fidanzatto regarding the Car Cruise and he wants Council to let him know what nights to have the car cruise since the City is sponsoring it.

Councilman Kulak stated that it has always been to benefit businesses and right now there aren't any businesses open.

Councilwoman Williams stated that hopefully later in the summer hopefully that will change and retail will be open.

The Mayor and council members feel that Friday nights would be best but are willing to work with the car club.

Mayor Garry also stated that Mr. Fidanzatto wanted to know the availability of the Aquatorium and wanted to check with council to see.

It was stated that there would be no reason they couldn't. However, the bathrooms have not been opened and the Solicitor was asked if they should be.

Solicitor Pappasergi stated that so long as we are in yellow no more than 25 people and with the bathroom you need to have cleaning crews in place to close the bathrooms down every hour to sanitize them and then reopening them up. If we open these facilities keeping them sanitized throughout the night that is his suggestion from a liability stand point.

Councilwoman Williams suggested council delay this until the June meeting to see what happens with going green.

Solicitor Pappasergi stated that the June meeting is June 10th and suggest we do more cleaning with the bathrooms than we normally do but the restrictions of gathering are lifted. Once we go green that would be the appropriate time to lift the declaration of emergency from a legal stand point.

Mayor Garry read an e-mail from the City Treasurer Roy for the procedure for yellow and green status for allowing individuals to come in by appointment only that he tried to forward to everyone but there were issues with some of council. The Mayor asked if this was something we need to do.

It was the opinion of council that City Hall should not be opened up to allow anyone in until we go green.

Solicitor Pappasergi stated that as long as we are yellow City Hall should remain closed. Once we go green his suggestion is that it should be appointment only or limited hours and meeting in a more open area and then progress from there. He has not received any complaints regarding City Hall not being open.

Councilman Kulak stated that he has nothing major here.

Mayor Garry stated that the City is probably not going to be able to have 4th of July. They may not be able to get the fireworks.

Councilwoman Williams stated that on May 27th the GAR will be at the Aquatorium for a ceremony.

Mayor Garry stated that a police officer will be at the bridge to guard the women while they are on the bridge.

Councilman Polonoli stated that there will be a modified Memorial Day and it will be very short 15 minute ceremony and the parade is cancelled.

Councilwoman Williams stated that everyone has been home and doing a lot of yard work but we still see some high grass to please cut your grass and maintain your property. Charlie will be scheduling inspections again and he will be working on that and we are behind because of the shutdown.

Solicitor Pappasergi asked if the City had PPE masks and gloves for him.

Chief Harris stated yes they have everything for him.

