

SYNOPSIS  
CITY OF CHELSEA  
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING  
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 2021  
7:00PM  
ZOOM PUBLIC MEETING

**Call to Order**

Mayor Johnson called the meeting to order at 7:00pm. Roll Call was taken and location was stated by each Council Member.

**Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States**

**Approval of Consent Agenda**

1. Meeting minutes of the February 1, 2021 regular meeting
2. Approval of Bills

MOVED Albertson SECONDED Feeney to approve the consent agenda. Roll Call Vote. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

**Approval of Regular Agenda**

MOVED Feeney SECONDED Kwas to approve the regular agenda with one change; strike the Closed Session. Roll Call Vote. All Ayes. Motion carried.

**Public Comments**

**Presentation** - none

**Public Hearing** – none

**Council Business**

**1. Farmer's Market Request**

MOVED Albertson SECONDED Kwas to approve the use of Palmer Commons Saturdays, from 6am to 2pm, May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2021 until October 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021 for the rental amount of \$1,000.00; with the contingency that an updated Certificate of Insurance is submitted prior to the event. Roll Call Vote. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

**2. Establish Wednesday Farmer's Market**

MOVED Albertson SECONDED Iannelli BE IT RESOLVED that the Chelsea Farmer's Market is established in the parking lot at 1010 S. Main Street on each Wednesday, from May 5<sup>th</sup> through October 27<sup>th</sup>, 2021. Roll Call Vote. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

**3. Chelsea Human Rights Commission Revised 2021 Plan**

MOVED Albertson SECONDED Feeney to accept the Human Rights Commission February 1, 2021 – January 31, 2022 Annual Plan with 3 changes; strike item #4 (establish a social media presence) under the Internal Activities section, strike the words 'and climate' from item #1 from the External Activities section and with a FRIENDLY AMENDMENT from Mayor Johnson, accepted by Albertson and Feeney, replace the word 'celebration' with 'education program' from item #3 from the External Activities section. Roll Call Vote. 6 Ayes, 1 Nay (Pacheco). Motion Carried.

**4. Chelsea Human Rights Commission Police Recommendations**

MOVED Pacheco SECONDED Kwas to accept the policy recommendations of the Human Rights Commission. Roll Call Vote. 3 Ayes, 4 Nays (Wiseley, Feeney, Johnson, Albertson). Motion NOT Carried.

**5. Direct Chelsea Police to repeal citations issued for impeding traffic to protesters during the summer 2020**

MOVED Pacheco SECONDED Albertson to recommend on behalf of City Council the Chief of Police to rescind and refund all citations for impeding traffic related to last summer's protests and call off any further identification of protesters and issuing of future citations thereof. Roll Call Vote. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

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**6. Investigate options for a full analysis of the Chelsea Police Department**

MOVED Feeney SECONDED Pacheco to direct staff to put together a Request for Proposal for independent, third-party analysis of the Chelsea Police Department's policies and practices as referenced above. Roll Call Vote. 6 Ayes, 1 Nay (Wiseley). Motion Carried.

**7. Resolution Establishing Authorized Signatory for Agreement with Oakland County**

MOVED Albertson SECONDED Iannelli to adopt the Resolution Establishing Authorized Signatory for Agreement between Oakland County and City of Chelsea for I.T. Services. Roll Call Vote. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

**8. Annual Application and Permit for Miscellaneous Operations Within State of Highway Right of Way**

MOVED Albertson SECONDED Kwas to approve the attached resolution to allow miscellaneous operations with the State Highway. Roll Call Vote. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

**9. Los Tres Amigos – Outdoor Seating**

MOVED Iannelli SECONDED Kwas to approve outdoor seating at Los Tres Amigos, consistent with the resolution. Roll Call Vote. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

**10. Kaboom Grant Steering Committee**

MOVED Iannelli SECONDED Albertson to approve the creation of a Kaboom Steering Committee to advise and monitor the implementation of the Kaboom grant with the Kaboom Steering Committee consisting of a representative from City Council, DDA, Parks and Recreation Commission, Chamber of Commerce and City of Chelsea Planning and Zoning Department. Roll Call Vote. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

**11. Temporary Outdoor Seating Permit**

MOVED Kwas SECONDED Iannelli to allow temporary outdoor seating in the City of Chelsea pursuant to the standards and conditions provided on the enclosed application form, including a 180-day time limitation. Roll Call Vote. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

**Staff Reports**

**Council Reports**

**Adjournment**

MOVED Feeney SECONDED Kwas to adjourn at 9:52pm. Roll Call Vote. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

**Approved: March 1, 2021**

This is only a synopsis of the Regular City Council Meeting. The minutes in their entirety may be viewed at the Clerk's Office at 305 S. Main Street, Chelsea, MI or online at [www.city-chelsea.org](http://www.city-chelsea.org)

Respectfully submitted,  
Laura Kaiser, City Clerk