



## CITY OF MERRILL

### COMMON COUNCIL

AGENDA • TUESDAY DECEMBER 14, 2021

Regular Meeting

City Hall Council Chambers

6:00 PM

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1. Call to Order
2. Silent Prayer
3. Pledge of Allegiance
4. Roll Call
5. Public Comment Period
6. Minutes of previous Common Council meeting(s):
  1. Minutes of November 9, 2021 meeting
7. Revenue & Expense Reports(s):
  1. Revenue & Expense Report for period ending November 30, 2021
8. General agenda items:
  1. Employee Years of Service Recognition  
Phillip H. Skoug (Fire Department), 20 years
9. Board of Public Works:
  1. Consider 3.0% adjustment to Water & Sewer Service Fees for 2022. The Board of Public Works recommends approval.
10. Health and Safety Committee:
  1. Consider application from B's Nest, LLC, Duane Yorde, Agent, for a Class "B" (beer) and a "Class B" (liquor) license for B's Nest, 1404 W. Main Street, effective December 17, 2021. The Health and Safety Committee recommends approval.
11. Personnel and Finance Committee:
  1. Consider request from Merrill Professional Police Association to make change(s) in the 2022-2023 union contract, related to residency. The Personnel and Finance Committee recommends amending the first sentence in Article 3 of the contract, by changing the date from 1/1/2016 to 1/31/2016.
  2. Consider adjustments to hourly Certification Pay for Utility Employees. The Personnel and Finance Committee recommends approving the new certification pay schedule, as presented.
  3. Consider reclassification of Wastewater Treatment Plant Lead Operator position. The Personnel and Finance Committee recommends approving the reclassification of the Wastewater Treatment Plant Lead Operator from Grade 11 to Grade 12.

12. Placing Committee Reports on File:
  1. Consider placing the following committee reports on file: Airport Commission, Board of Public Works, City Plan Commission, Health & Safety Committee, Historic Preservation Committee, Library Board, Marketing & Communications Committee, Merrill Enrichment Center Committee, Parks & Recreation Commission, Personnel & Finance Committee, Police & Fire Commission, Redevelopment Authority, Tourism Commission and Transit Commission.
13. Mayor's Appointments:
  1. Nicole Johnson to the Merrill Area Housing Authority, term to expire November 10, 2025.
  2. Election Officials for 2022-2023
14. Ordinances:
  1. An Ordinance amending Code of Ordinances Chapter 14, Article V, Section 14-123 through 14-158, related to trees and shrubs. The Parks and Recreation Commission recommends approval.
15. Resolutions:
  1. A Resolution approving a Conditional Use Permit for placement of one doublewide housing unit in Whispering Pines, 2801 Thielman Street. The City Plan Commission recommends approval.
  2. A Resolution declaring the City of Merrill to be a Constitutional Republic City. Alderman Osness is bringing this resolution directly to the Common Council.
16. Mayor's Communications
17. Adjournment

William N. Heideman, CMC, WCMC  
City Clerk

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