

Rogers City Council – Zoom meeting instructions

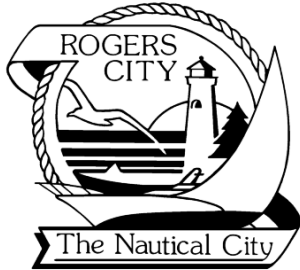
The City Council of the City of Rogers City will be conducting a regular meeting **October 20, 2020 at 7 p.m.** at Rogers City Hall (193 E. Michigan). Due to the strict council chamber occupancy limits established by the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services aimed at stopping the spread of Covid-19, media and the public wishing to attend this meeting must do so remotely via ZOOM. Below are instructions for meeting attendance and public comment via Zoom:

1. Zoom functions best from a personal computer or tablet, but also can be used from a cell phone
2. All meeting participants can enter the virtual meeting room up to 15 minutes before the posted meeting start time
3. Audience members will be placed in a virtual waiting room until the Mayor opens the meeting
4. Audience members will be muted upon joining the meeting, with video turned off throughout, and will be able to “listen only” unless called upon to speak by the mayor during public comment
5. The City Manager is the only person able to unmute members of the audience, and will do so only at the direction of the mayor
6. The meeting may be recorded to Zoom Cloud
7. According to the Attorney General, disruptive behavior is subject to criminal charges under MCL 752.797 and MCL 750.540. Disruptive behavior may result in being muted, being returned to the waiting room, or being removed from the meeting
8. Public Comments:
 - a. The Mayor will announce when we have reached the public comment portion of the meeting
 - b. An audience member wishing to speak will “raise his/her hand” by using that command on their Zoom screen (For cell phone users, *9 allows you to raise your hand; *6 toggles mute)
 - c. The Mayor will greet the audience member wishing to speak and request a name and address
 - d. The City Manager will unmute the audience member wishing to speak
 - e. After a person has concluded his/her comments, the City Manager will return the person’s audio to mute
 - f. Steps b-e will be repeated until public comment is complete
 - g. Audience members are asked to keep their public comments to three minutes or less

How the public can participant in the meeting:

1. Click on the virtual meeting link found below (no need to setup a FREE Zoom account):
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85274302198?pwd=RWlUS0pvSDB6UzA3UXFMa3UvQlVhQT09>
2. Enter the following meeting password: 480853

The agenda for the meeting follows...



Scott McLennan, Mayor
Gary Nowak, Mayor Pro Tem
Kenneth Bielas, Council Member
Richard Adair, Council Member
Larry Fuhrman, Council Member
Terri Koss, City Clerk/Treasurer
Joseph Hefele, City Manager
Michael Vogler, City Attorney

193 E. Michigan Avenue, Rogers City, MI 49779-1697 Phone: 989-734-2191 Fax: 989-734-4833

AGENDA

**CITY OF ROGERS CITY
Council Meeting
October 20, 2020
7 p.m.**

- A. CALL TO ORDER**
- B. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**
- C. ROLL CALL**
- D. APPROVAL OF AGENDA (WITH OR WITHOUT MODIFICATIONS)**
- E. PUBLIC COMMENT**
- F. APPROVAL OR CORRECTION OF MINUTES**
 - 1. October 6, 2020 regular meeting minutes
- G. WORKSHOP ITEMS**
- H. REPORTS**
 - 1. CITY CLERK/TREASURER
 - 2. CITY ATTORNEY
 - 3. CITY MANAGER
 - 4. COMMISSIONS & LIASONS
 - 5. MAYOR
- I. BUSINESS**
 - 1. **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**
 - A. Sale of old water tower property
 - B.
 - 2. **NEW BUSINESS**
 - A. Sale of City items
 - B. Echo panels
 - C. Budget amendments #5
 - D. MERS addendums to adoption agreements
 - E. Water late fees and shut-offs
 - F.
- J. OTHER BUSINESS**
- K. CLOSED SESSION** – Trial/settlement strategy (O-N Minerals tax appeal)
- L. ADJOURNMENT**

DUE TO THE STRICT COUNCIL CHAMBER OCCUPANCY LIMITS ESTABLISHED BY THE MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES AIMED AT STOPPING THE SPREAD OF COVID-19, MEDIA AND THE PUBLIC WISHING TO ATTEND THIS MEETING MUST DO SO REMOTELY VIA ZOOM. Instructions on how to attend this meeting, and speak during public comment, via Zoom will be posted at the City's website, www.rogerscity.com.