

**CITY OF NORTHFIELD COUNCIL MEETING  
FEBRUARY 6, 2007**

This meeting was called to order by Carol A. Raph, Municipal Clerk. It was properly advertised under Public Law 75, Chapter 231.

**ROLL CALL:** Present: Carew, Martinez, Mazzeo, Notaro, Turon, Vain, Kern

City Solicitor Keith Bonchi, Engineer Ed Stinson of Doran Engineering, CFO Marilyn Dolcy, City Administrator Jeffrey Bruckler, and Deputy City Clerk Kim Hodsdon were present.

**READING AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES / January 16, 2007**

Motion by Councilman Carew, second by Councilman Martinez to dispense with the reading of the minutes of January 16, 2007. They have been posted, distributed to Council and are on file in the Municipal Clerk's Office. All present in favor, motion carries.

**COMMITTEE REPORTS**

Councilman Steven Vain expressed support for the Mayor's proposal to move forward with installing four-way stop signs at Bike Path Intersections.

Councilman Martinez reported that the Mainland Regional High School Board of Education was hosting a meeting today, February 7<sup>th</sup>, which is open to the public for the purpose of discussing a five year strategic plan. Martinez hopes to have more information for Council at the next meeting.

Councilman Mazzeo advised Council of a property that is for sale on Oak Avenue and proposed that the City look into Open Space Grant monies to fund the purchase. The Mayor advised that the property in question is zoned R1-Residential. Administrator Bruckler will look into the matter.

**ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT**

The City Administrator provided Council with a written report. Bruckler confirmed for Council President Kern that he had spoken with the County regarding a mislabeled Street Sign at Golfview Drive. Councilman Vain asked Bruckler to have information regarding the new trash collection schedule broadcasted on Channel 2 for public information. Mayor Perri noted that many of the City's street and traffic signs are damaged and in need of repair. Kern agreed and mentioned a damaged sign at Pasadena drive. Bruckler will follow up with the Department of Public Works. Councilman Notaro suggested installing additional Shore Road street signs in order to more clearly identify the road for travelers.

**RESOLUTIONS/Consent Agenda**

**34-2007** A Corrective Action Resolution on Ordinance No. 2-2007

**35-2007** A Resolution to Authorize the Cancellation of Expired Recording Costs on Previously Redeemed Tax Title Liens

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**ORDINANCES**

On a motion made by Councilman Notaro, seconded by Mazzeo, Ordinance 3-2007 was read by title only. All present in favor.

**3-2007** Amending Ordinance 13-2006 to Establish the Reimbursement of Expenses to the City of Northfield for Hazardous Materials Spill Clean Ups

*Introduction/No Public Input/Advertised in The Press 2/10/07*

Roll Call: Carew - yes, Martinez – yes, Mazzeo- yes, Notaro – yes, Turon – yes, Vain – yes, Kern – yes, Motion carries.

On a motion made by Councilman Carew, seconded by Turon, Ordinance 4-2007 was read by title only. All present in favor.

**4-2007** Amending Ordinance 4-2005 of the Code of the City of Northfield

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Roll Call: Carew - yes, Martinez – yes, Mazzeo- yes, Notaro – yes, Turon – yes, Vain – yes, Kern – yes, Motion carries.

**PUBLIC SESSION/FIVE MINUTES PER SPEAKER**

Seeing no one from the public wishing to speak, Council President Kern closed the public session.

Council President Kern announced that a meeting between the Mainland PBA, Police Committee, Mayor, City Administrator and Police Chief is scheduled for February 7<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 pm. Meeting Notices were announced by Councilman Vain.

On a motion of Turon, second of Vain, this meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Carol A. Raph, RMC/CMC  
Municipal Clerk