AGENDA
COMMON COUNCIL - REGULAR MEETING
Tuesday, March 7, 2017
Meeting to be held at 6:30 p.m., local time,
in the Common Council Chambers, City Hall Building
100 East Michigan Boulevard, Michigan City, Indiana

CALL TO ORDER BY COUNCIL PRESIDENT

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG and PRAYER

ROLL CALL

APPROVAL OF MINUTES
Regular Meeting February 21, 2017

REPORTS of STANDING COMMITTEES

REPORTS of SPECIAL or SELECT COMMITTEES
REPORTS of OTHER CITY OFFICERS and DEPARTMENTS

Joan Tedesco – Human Rights Commission – Disability Awareness Month

Rich Murphy, City Controller – brief financial update

CLAIMS DOCKET

Fund #9000 – Riverboat – Claims - $4,988.48
Fund #0417 – Boyd Development – $1,530.00

PETITIONS

A petition was received in the Clerk’s Office on March 2, 2017 opposing the expansion of the Municipal Liquor License in the Riverfront District

COMMUNICATIONS

RESOLUTIONS

RESOLUTION OF THE MICHIGAN CITY COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MICHIGAN CITY, INDIANA SUPPORTING AND APPROVING THE MICHIGAN CITY FIRE DEPARTMENT’S SUBMISSION OF “SAFER” GRANT TO FEMA

Introduced by: Chris Schwanke

APPROVING THE AMENDMENT OF COUNCIL RESOLUTION NO. 4388 CREATING THE TRAIL CREEK RIVERFRONT DISTRICT AND GOVERNING THE ISSUANCE AND RENEWAL OF LIQUOR LICENSES IN THE DISTRICT TO ADJUST THE BOUNDARIES OF THE DISTRICT

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News-Dispatch
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Formal Public
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APPROVING ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION IN THE BUDGET OF THE PARK AND RECREATION FUND TO PROVIDE FUNDING FOR THE OPERATION OF THE PARKING STICKER PROGRAM FOR THE PARK DEPARTMENT

Introduced by: Bryant Dabney

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News-Dispatch
February 22, 2017

Formal Public
Hearing will be held
March 7, 2017

ORDINANCE
3rd Reading

AMENDING ORDINANCE NO 4343 COMMONLY KNOWN AS THE “2017 SALARY ORDINANCE” TO REMOVE THE POSITION OF GOLF PRO IN THE PARK DEPARTMENT; TO CREATE THE POSITION OF PRO SHOP MANAGER IN THE PARK DEPARTMENT; AND TO CORRECT CERTAIN TYPOGRAPHICAL ERRORS

Introduced by: Bryant Dabney

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UNFINISHED BUSINESS

NOMINATIONS: The Council has one (1) appointment to the Urban Enterprise Association due to Ms. Tina Mahone resigning. (term would start immediately and expire 12-31-2020)

NEW BUSINESS

FYI: Mayor Meer is requesting the advice and consent of the members of the Michigan City Common Council regarding his re-appointment of Ms. Connie Anderson to the historic Review Board (term will begin immediately and will expire 3/15/2020)

FYI: Mayor Meer is requesting the advice and consent of the members of the Michigan City Common Council regarding his appointment of Mr. Joshua Pillvant to the Michigan City Human Right's Commission. Mr. Pillivant will be replacing former member Ms. De Shawn Gordon. (Mr. Pillivant term will begin immediately and would expire on November 1, 2018)

COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC

COMMENTS FROM THE COUNCIL
ADJOURNMENT

Gale A. Neulief, City Clerk

Please contact the Clerk's Office at 219-873-1410 if you require information regarding building accessibility or reasonable accommodations. Office hours are Monday-Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
RESOLUTION NO. __________

RESOLUTION OF THE MICHIGAN CITY COMMON COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF MICHIGAN CITY, INDIANA
SUPPORTING AND APPROVING THE MICHIGAN CITY FIRE DEPARTMENT’S
SUBMISSION OF “SAFER” GRANT TO FEMA

WHEREAS, the Michigan City Fire Department is eligible to apply for a Staffing for Adequate
Fire & Emergency Response Grant (hereinafter referred to as “SAFER grant”), which said grant is
administered through the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) in cooperation with the
Department of Homeland Security; and

WHEREAS, SAFER grants provide funding directly to fire departments to help increase or
maintain the number of trained firefighters, and the goal of SAFER is to enhance fire departments ability
to comply with staffing, response, and operational standards as prescribed by the National Fire Protection
Association (NFPA); and

WHEREAS, due to the application deadline of February 10, 2017, the Michigan City Fire
Department submitted a SAFER grant application prior to said deadline; and

WHEREAS, if the City is awarded the SAFER grant, the SAFER grant would provide funding for
salaries for six (6) new firefighters as follows: 1.) First and second year- SAFER grant would fund 75%
of said expense and local match would be 25%; and 2.) Third year-SAFER grant would fund 35% of said
expense and local match would be 65%; and

WHEREAS, it is anticipated that the amount of funding needed for the local match for will be as
follows: a.) Year 1-$170,576.60; b.) Year 2- $106,198.10; and c.) Year 3-$281,059.37; and

WHEREAS, although a local match is required, the Michigan City Fire Department, by and
though the Fire Chief, reasonably believes the additional firefighters would save the City overtime
expenditures in the Fire Department.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Common Council of the City of Michigan
City, Indiana, that:

Section 1. The Common Council supports and approves the Michigan City Fire Department’s
submission of an application for a SAFER grant. In addition, the Common Council
supports and commits to appropriate funding for the respective local match.

Section 2. That upon approval of said grant, the Mayor is authorized to execute any and all
contracts and memoranda required for the award of the above-described grant.

Section 3. The City Controller is authorized to open the “2017 SAFER” fund to receive the
grant funds and to disburse said funds without further action of the Common
Council.

This Resolution shall be in full force and effect after passage by the Michigan City Common Council
and approval by the Mayor.

Introduced By: _________________
Chris Schwanke, President
Michigan City Common Council

Adopted by the Common Council of the City of Michigan City, Indiana by a vote of
___________________________ this __________ day of __________________, 2017.

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Chris Schwanke, President
Michigan City Common Council
Approved by me this _____ day of ________________, 2017.

Ron Meer, Mayor
City of Michigan City, Indiana

ATTEST:

Gale Neulieb, City Clerk
City of Michigan City, Indiana

Prepared by Corporation Counsel Upon Request
MICHIGAN CITY COMMON COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO. ____________

APPROVING THE AMENDMENT OF COUNCIL RESOLUTION NO. 4388
CREATING THE TRAIL CREEK RIVERFRONT DISTRICT AND
GOVERNING THE ISSUANCE AND RENEWAL OF LIQUOR LICENSES
IN THE DISTRICT TO ADJUST THE BOUNDARIES OF THE DISTRICT

WHEREAS, Indiana Code 7.1-3-20-16.1 et seq. (the “Act”) authorizes the Michigan City Common Council to designate and establish the boundaries of a municipal riverfront development project within its territorial boundaries for the purpose recommending to the Indiana Alcohol and Tobacco Commission (“ATC”) the issuance of three-way, two-way and one-way alcohol permits to establishments within the boundaries of the municipal riverfront development project; and

WHEREAS, the Common Council approved Resolution No. 4388 creating a Municipal Riverfront Project on March 18, 2008 authorizing the Michigan City Redevelopment Commission (Commission) to govern the issuance and renewal of any alcohol permits issued pursuant to the terms of said Resolution; and

WHEREAS, since the passage of Resolution No. 4388, the Commission, consistent with the goals and objectives of the Lake Michigan Gateway Implementation Strategy (LMGIS) along with other development strategies has only authorized and recommended to the ACT the issuance of three-way, two-way, and one-way alcohol permits for those establishments promoting a family dining experience and is overall consistent with the redevelopment plan of those areas in close proximity to the Trail Creek Riverfront District (the “District”); and

WHEREAS, while the issuance of three-way liquor permits by the ATC to those establishments has resulted in varying degrees of success to certain establishments, it has created a competitive disadvantage to other establishments just outside the existing boundaries of the District as created by the 2008 resolutions who would otherwise qualify for consideration in accordance with the Municipal Riverfront Project; and

WHEREAS, this competitive disadvantage has resulted in the potential closing of desired establishments and otherwise interferes with the developmental goals and objectives in the District; and

WHEREAS, the expansion of the District’s original boundaries will further enhance developmental efforts within the North TIF Redevelopment Area and consistent with the LMGIS; and
WHEREAS, the Act has been amended and now authorizes the Municipal Riverfront Project to establish boundaries for the District up to three thousand (3,000) feet or six (6) city blocks from the waterway; and

WHEREAS, the boundaries as originally drawn through the passage of the enabling Resolutions for the District are at and in some locations less than the one thousand five hundred (1,500) feet from the waterway; and

WHEREAS, the Commission has determined that it is in the best interest of the City of Michigan City to designate and establish expanded boundaries for the District consistent with the amended Act as identified in Exhibit A, attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference, and adopted its Resolution No. 2-17 on February 27, 2017, which is incorporated herein by reference, recommending that the Common Council approve the expanded boundaries of the District as shown in Exhibit A.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Michigan City Common Council that:

SECTION 1. The boundaries of the Trail Creek Municipal Riverfront District as established by Resolution No. 4388 by the Common Council of Michigan City on March 12, 2008 be modified and expanded to a distance of Three Thousand Feet (3,000') or six (6) blocks from the river, whichever is greater, as permitted by I.C. 7.1-3-20-16.1 (b) (3) (d)(A)(B) and as described by Exhibit A, attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference.

SECTION 2. That all other matters as contained in Resolution No. 4388 of the Common Council of Michigan City not in conflict with the provisions of this Resolution shall remain in full force and effect.

This Resolution to be effective upon passage by the Council, approval by the Mayor, any necessary publication, and any necessary approval by the Indiana Department of Local Government Finance.

INTRODUCED BY: ________________________________
Tim Bietry, Member
Michigan City Common Council

Passed by the Common Council of the City of Michigan City, Indiana, this 7th day of March, 2017 by a vote of ________________ to ________________.

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Chris Schwanke, President
Michigan City Common Council
Approved by me, this _____ day of March, 2017.

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Ron Meer, Mayor
City of Michigan City, Indiana

ATTEST:

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Gale A. Neulieb, Clerk
City of Michigan City, Indiana

Prepared by Corporation Counsel Upon Request
COMMON COUNCIL RESOLUTION NO. __________

Exhibit A

RIVERFRONT LIQUOR LICENSE DISTRICT EXPANSION 3000 FEET

Area 1 – Beginning at the NW corner of Michigan Blvd and Wabash Street, thence westerly along the north right of way line to the Amtrak/ConRail tracks, thence northeasterly along an arc formed by the southeast right of way of the Amtrak/Conrail Tracks to the west right of way line of Wabash Street, thence southeasterly along the west right of way of Wabash Street to the point of beginning.

Area 2 - Beginning at the SE corner of Michigan Boulevard and Wabash Street, thence north easterly along the south right of way line of Michigan Boulevard to the point where Michigan Boulevard turns southeast, then southeasterly along the southwest right of way line of Michigan Boulevard to the NW corner of Michigan Boulevard and Sixth Street, thence southwesterly along the north right of way line of sixth street to the NW corner of Pine Street, thence southeasterly along the west right of way line of Pine Street to the NW corner of Pine Street and 11th Street, thence southwesterly along the north right of way line of 11th Street to the NE corner of 11th Street and Wabash Street, thence northwesterly along the east right of way line of Wabash Street to the NE corner of Wabash Street and 9th Street, thence southwesterly along the north right of way line of 9th Street to the NE corner of 9th Street and Buffalo Street, thence northwesterly along the east right of way line of Buffalo Street to the SE corner of Buffalo Street and West 8th Street, thence northeasterly along the south right of way line of West 8th Street to the SE corner of West 8th Street and Wabash Street, thence northwesterly along the east right of way line of Wabash street to the point of beginning.

Area 3 – beginning at the SW corner of Michigan Boulevard and 8th Street, thence southeasterly along the southwest right of way line of Michigan Boulevard to the NW corner of Michigan Boulevard and 11th Street, thence westerly to the NE corner of E 11th Street and Maple Street, thence northerly along the east right of way line of maple street to the NE corner of Maple Street and E 10th Street, thence westerly along the north right of way line of 10th Street to the NE corner of 10th Street and York Street, then northerly along the east right of way line of York Street to the SE corner of York Street and E. 8th Street, thence easterly along the south right of way line of 8th street to the point of beginning.
MICHIGAN CITY COMMON COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO. __________

SUPPORTING THE CITY OF MICHIGAN CITY ENTERING INTO A CONTRACT WITH ZAGSTER, INC. FOR A BIKE-SHARE PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the Common Council finds that it is in the best interest of the City of Michigan City and its citizens to provide and promote bicycles as an alternative method of transportation and an additional option for recreation in and about the City; and

WHEREAS, a bike-share program would provide an affordable, effective, convenient, and efficient means for providing the opportunity to residents and visitors to use bicycles to move around the City to the various locations they may want to visit in the City; and

WHEREAS, Zagster, Inc. is in the business of providing the equipment and facilities necessary for a bike-share program and has offered to enter into an agreement with the City to provide up to 25 bicycles, including ADA accessible bicycles, with appropriate locking technology; appropriate docking facilities; complete maintenance, repairs, and replacement of the bicycles and docking facilities; program marketing; user-friendly Apps and software for program membership, reservations, and administrative reporting; marketing of the program; operation assistance; and appropriate indemnity terms and insurance; and

WHEREAS, Zagster, Inc. will allow the City to determine the rates to be charged for use of the bicycles and the City will be allowed to at least retain ninety (90%) of the revenues from the bike-share program; and

WHEREAS, Zagster, Inc. has offered to enter into a three (3) year contract to provide twenty-five (25) bicycles and the related equipment, materials, and services listed above for $45,000 per year plus $1,650 per each ADA accessible bicycle the City wishes, at its sole discretion, to include in the program; and;

WHEREAS, due to its positive impact on businesses in the City’s North TIF District, the Common Council believes the City’s Redevelopment Commission should fund the cost of the first year of the program and one of the other City Funds to fund remaining two (2) years of the program.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Michigan City Common Council that:

1. It supports the City of Michigan City entering into a three (3) year contract with Zagster, Inc. for the purpose of implementing a bike-share program as described above in the City of Michigan City on the condition that the condition that the Michigan City Redevelopment Commission (Commission) funds the first year of the program; and

2. If the Commission agrees to fund the first year of the program, the Common Council commits to approve funding for the second and third year of the program; and

3. All revenues of the program are to be used to off-set the cost of the program; and

This Resolution shall be in full force and effect after passage by the Michigan City Common Council and approved by the Mayor.

Introduced by:

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Tim Bietry, Member
Michigan City Common Council

Adopted by the Common Council of the City of Michigan City, Indiana this 7th day of March, 2017.

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Chris Schwanke, President
Michigan City Common Council
Approved by me this ______ day of ___________________, 2017.

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Ron Meer, Mayor
City of Michigan City, Indiana

ATTEST:

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Gale Neulieb, City Clerk
MICHIGAN CITY COMMON COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO. ________

RECOGNIZING THE ESSENTIAL ROLE OF WOMEN IN HISTORY DURING WOMEN’S HISTORY MONTH

WHEREAS, 88 percent of women in the United States between the ages of 25 and 29 have obtained high school diplomas and 31 percent of that same population have earned bachelor's degrees, outpacing men in the same age group, yet according to the American Association of University Women (AAUW), Hoosier women make only 76% of what their male counterparts make for the same work, a gender gap worse for women in Indiana than in 40 other states; and

WHEREAS, The World Economic Forum predicts the gender gap won't close entirely until 2186; and

WHEREAS, while the 19th Amendment to the U.S. Constitution was passed by Congress on June 4, 1919 and was ratified by the States on August 18, 1920, a US Supreme Court decision was needed to ensure that women could vote throughout the Country, and 95 years ago, on February 27, 1922, the US Supreme Court upheld the 19th Amendment, which guaranteed the right to vote could not be denied based on sex, and Leser v. Garnett ensured that no matter what any state constitution said, women could vote; and

WHEREAS, American women were leaders in securing their own rights of suffrage and equal opportunity, but were also leaders in the abolitionist movement, the emancipation movement, the industrial labor movement, the civil rights movement, and other movements – especially the peace movement – helping to create a fairer and more just society for all; and

WHEREAS, a few of the many notable women and “firsts” include:

• Carrie Chapman Catt, who served as president of the National American Woman Suffrage Association (NAWSA) 1900 - 1904, and again from 1915 through the passage of the Nineteenth Amendment in 1920; and

• Alice Paul, who broke away from the NAWSA and founded the National Woman's Party (NWP) in 1917, organized the first picket of the White House in January 1917, where
suffragettes with banners stood at the gates on and off throughout the year; and

- Alice Hamilton, who in 1918 became the first, and for many years, the only woman on the Harvard faculty. While teaching pathology at Northwestern University, she came to know Jane Addams and other reformers who encouraged her to find a way to apply her scientific knowledge to social problems. As an assistant professor of industrial medicine, she conducted pioneering research of industrial disease helping to promote safety in the American workplace; and

- Dr. Mae Jemison, who was the first African American woman in space, worked as the Area Peace Corps Medical Officer, managing the health care system for Sierra Leone and Liberia in West Africa. She was selected by NASA for the astronaut program and in 1992, was selected as the science mission specialist for an eight-day mission on board the Endeavour, logging over 190 hours in space; and

- Sheila Brillson, who was an educator and the first women Mayor of Michigan City, serving 1996 – 2003. She developed the Michigan City Community Enrichment Corporation which distributes over 600 thousand dollars worth of grants yearly to non-profits across the Michigan City Area School District, co-founded the Michigan City Economic Development Corporation, and developed the Safe Harbor After School program for learning and talent development for students K-9; and

- Evelyn Baker, who was the first woman elected to serve on the Michigan City Common Council, she held office continuously for 32 years and was instrumental in securing the needed funds for the creation of the Michigan City Senior Center in the late 1990s; and

- State Senator Anita Bowser of Michigan City, who was the first woman to act as a House Speaker (Deputy Speaker Pro Tempore) in the history of the State. She was also a founding member of and the first female teacher at Purdue University North Central.

- Becky Williams, who was a Michigan City resident, child advocacy proponent, founder and executive director of H.O.P.E, and Helping Our People Excel. She worked tirelessly to help young people succeed; and
• Hazel Thomas, who was one of the first graduates of Ivy Tech School of Practical Nursing in Michigan City, she practiced nursing at Memorial Hospital for 34 years but is best remembered for her resilient persistence to the commitment she made to serve the community through volunteer services and political action; and

• Sylvia Bankoff, who was a Michigan City social activist, founded the Sinai Forum, and as a more than 50 year member of the LaPorte County League of Women Voters, championed the implementation of an urban renewal program in Michigan City and was instrumental in changing the Michigan City Area Schools board from an appointed body to an elected board; and

• Mattie Sue McMillan-Dunlap, who was born in 1910, a long time resident of Michigan City and LaPorte County, helped to found the LaPorte County NAACP in 1958; and

• Dorothy Jurney, who was born in Michigan City in 1909, began her career at the Michigan City News and was women’s editor at the Miami Herald, Detroit Free Press, and Philadelphia Inquirer. She shifted the focus of women’s pages from society news to serious issues, such as the women’s movement, female political candidates, and women in the workplace; and

• Harriet Colfax, who was the lighthouse keeper in Michigan City, served from her appointment in 1861 until her retirement at age 80 in 1904. During those 43 years, the light never failed once.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Common Council of the City of Michigan City, Indiana that it recognizes the achievements of these and many other remarkable, tenacious women who have led the way for others, and:

(1) celebrates the social, economic, cultural, and political achievements of women because visibility and awareness help drive positive change for women; and

(2) recognizes and honors the women in the United States and in other countries who have fought and continue to struggle for gender equality and women’s rights; and
(3) thanks the members of the Michigan City Commission for Women for all their efforts in support of women; and

(4) proclaim and celebrate the month of March, 2017 as Women’s History Month; and

(5) hereby recognizes that March 8, 2017 is the 105th “International Women’s Day” in Michigan City, Indiana;

This Resolution shall be effective upon passage by the Common Council and approval by the Mayor.

INTRODUCED BY:

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Sharon Carnes, Member  
Michigan City Common Council

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Candice Silvas, Member  
Michigan City Common Council

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Patricia Boy, Member  
Michigan City Common Council

Passed by the Common Council of the City of Michigan City, Indiana, this ______ day of March, 2017 by a vote of _____ to______.

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Chris Schwanke, President  
Michigan City Common Council

Approved by me, this ____day of ____________, 2017

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Ron Meer, Mayor  
City of Michigan City, Indiana

ATTEST: ____________________  
Gale Neulieb, City Clerk
MICHIGAN CITY COMMON COUNCIL

ORDINANCE NO.___________

AMENDING SECTION 62-31 OF THE MICHIGAN CITY MUNICIPAL CODE REGARDING MEMBERSHIP ON THE HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMISSION

WHEREAS, the Common Council desires to make amendments to that part of the Michigan City Municipal Code regarding eligibility for membership on the City's Historic Preservation Commission to remove any appearance of undue influence or conflict of interest due to a member's official association with City government;

WHEREAS, the Common Council reasonable believes these amendments are in the best interest of the City.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Common Council of the City of Michigan City as follows:

SECTION 1. Sec. 66-31(a) and (b) of the Michigan City Municipal Code is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 66-31. Established; membership; term of members; vacancies

(a) There is established the city Historic Preservation Commission. The Commission shall consist of nine (9) voting members. The voting members shall be appointed by the Mayor subject to the approval of the Common Council. Of the members appointed, at least one (1) shall be an architect with a state architectural certification, at least one (1) shall own or lease property in a designated historic district, at least one shall be a City registered contractor who is not an employee of the City, at least one (1) shall be a member of the City's Redevelopment Commission, and one shall be a member of the City Plan Commission. All members shall have an interest in the preservation and development of historic buildings and areas. Voting members shall serve a term of three (3) years. A vacancy shall be filled for the remainder of the term of the member who is being replaced. Voting members shall be residents of the City who are interested in the research, restoration, rehabilitation, conservation, and development of historic areas. No member of the Commission shall be an employee or contractor or subcontractor for the City or other City board or commission except as, and only to the extent, otherwise specified above as a qualification for membership.

(b) DELETE THIS SUBSECTION.

INTRODUCED BY:

__________________________________________
Chris Schwanke, Member
Michigan City Common Council

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Ron Hamilton, Member
Michigan City Common Council

Passed by the Common Council of the City of Michigan City, Indiana, this __________ day of __________________________, 2014 by a vote of __________ to __________.

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Chris Schwanke, President
Michigan City Common Council
Approved by me, this _____ day of ________________, 2015.

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Ron Meer, Mayor
City of Michigan City

ATTEST:

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Gale A. Neulieb, Clerk
City of Michigan City

Prepared by City Attorney’s Office Upon Request
MICHIGAN CITY COMMON COUNCIL

ORDINANCE NO.___________

APPROVING ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION IN THE BUDGET OF THE RIVERBOAT FUND TO PROVIDE FUNDING FOR A NEW SOFTWARE PROGRAM FOR THE CITY AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY-RELATED INFRASTRUCTURE TO SUPPORT SAID SOFTWARE

WHEREAS, it has been demonstrated to the Common Council of the City of Michigan City that it is necessary to appropriate more money than was appropriated in the 2017 Annual Budget to provide funding for a new software program for the City and information technology-related infrastructure to support said software; and

WHEREAS, the City Controller has determined that sufficient unappropriated funds are available in the Riverboat Fund #9000 to be appropriated for that purpose.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Common Council of the City of Michigan City, La Porte County, Indiana, that for the expenses of the City the following additional sums of money are hereby appropriated out of the fund named and for the purpose specified above, subject to the laws governing the same:

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TOTAL FOR FUND $750,000.00

This Ordinance to be effective upon passage by the Council, approval by the Mayor, any necessary publication, and any necessary approval by the Indiana Department of Local Government Finance.

INTRODUCED BY:

Tim Bietry, Member
Michigan City Common Council

Pat Boy, Member
Michigan City Common Council

Passed by the Common Council of the City of Michigan City, Indiana, this _______ day of __________________, 2017 by a vote of ______________ to ______________.

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Chris Schwanke, President
Michigan City Common Council

Approved by me, this _____ day of __________________ , 2017.

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Ron Meer, Mayor
City of Michigan City, Indiana

ATTEST:

Gale A. Neulieb, Clerk
City of Michigan City, Indiana  

Prepared by Corporation Counsel Upon Request
MICHERN CITY COMMON COUNCIL

ORDINANCE NO.___________

APPROVING ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION IN THE BUDGET OF THE PARK AND RECREATION FUND TO PROVIDE FUNDING FOR THE OPERATION OF THE PARKING STICKER PROGRAM FOR THE PARK DEPARTMENT

WHEREAS, it has been demonstrated to the Common Council of the City of Michigan City that it is necessary to appropriate more money than was appropriated in the 2017 Annual Budget to provide funding for the operation of the parking sticker program for the Park Department; and

WHEREAS, the City Controller has determined that sufficient unappropriated funds are available in the Park and Recreation Fund #1301 to be appropriated for that purpose.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Common Council of the City of Michigan City, La Porte County, Indiana, that for the expenses of the City the following additional sums of money are hereby appropriated out of the fund named and for the purpose specified above, subject to the laws governing the same:

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INTRODUCED BY:  
Bryant Dabney, Member  
Michigan City Common Council

Passed by the Common Council of the City of Michigan City, Indiana, this ________ day of ______________________, 2017 by a vote of ________________ to _________________.

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Chris Schwanke, President  
Michigan City Common Council

Approved by me, this _____ day of ______________________, 2017.

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Ron Meer, Mayor  
City of Michigan City, Indiana

ATTEST:

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Gale A. Neulieb, Clerk  
City of Michigan City, Indiana

Prepared by Corporation Counsel Upon Request
MICHIGAN CITY COMMON COUNCIL

ORDINANCE NO. ____________

AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 4343 COMMONLY KNOWN AS THE "2017 SALARY ORDINANCE" TO REMOVE THE POSITION OF GOLF PRO IN THE PARK DEPARTMENT; TO CREATE THE POSITION OF PRO SHOP MANAGER IN THE PARK DEPARTMENT; AND TO CORRECT CERTAIN TYPOGRAPHICAL ERRORS

WHEREAS, on October 19, 2016, the Michigan City Common Council enacted Ordinance No. 4408, which established the salaries and wages for appointed officials and employees for the year 2017; and

WHEREAS, since that time, the Michigan City Park Board has determined that the need exists to remove the position of Golf Pro and create the position of Pro Shop Manager in the Park Department; and

WHEREAS, the Michigan City Park Board has determined that it is in the best interest of the Park Department to maintain the position of Golf Pro as an independent contractor versus a City employee; and

WHEREAS, the Controller's Office has advised that sufficient funds exist in the 2017 salary budget to fund the position of Pro Shop Manager in the Park Department; and

WHEREAS, there exists the following typographical errors in the rate of pay in the following departments in Section 1 of Ordinance No. 4408:

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WHEREAS, these typographical errors in said departments should be corrected to accurately reflect the 2017 Annual Budget, which is as follows:

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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Common Council of the City of Michigan City, LaPorte County, Indiana, that Ordinance 4408 shall be amended as follows:

1. The position of Golf Pro and corresponding salary of $47,500.00 shall be deleted from Section 1, specifically under “Golf” in the Park Department.

2. The position of Pro Shop Manager shall be added to Section 1, specifically under “Golf” in the Park Department and shall read as follows:

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