# MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE UNITED CITY OF YORKVILLE, KENDALL COUNTY, ILLINOIS,

## HELD IN THE CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS, 800 GAME FARM ROAD ON TUESDAY, MAY 26, 2020

Mayor Purcell called the meeting to order at 7:01 p.m. and led the Council in the Pledge of Allegiance.

#### **ROLL CALL**

City Clerk Pickering called the roll.

Ward I	Koch	Present (electronic attendance)
	Transier	Present (electronic attendance)
Ward II	Milschewski	Present (electronic attendance)
	Plocher	Present (electronic attendance)
Ward III	Funkhouser	Present (electronic attendance)
	Frieders	Present (electronic attendance)
Ward IV	Tarulis	Present (electronic attendance)
	Peterson	Present (electronic attendance)

Staff in attendance at city hall: City Administrator Olson, Chief of Police Jensen, and Attorney Orr.

Staff in attendance electronically: City Clerk Pickering, Public Works Director Dhuse, Community Development Director Barksdale-Noble, Finance Director Fredrickson, Parks and Recreation Director Evans, Assistant City Administrator Willrett, Purchasing Manager Parker, and EEI Engineer Sanderson.

Clerk's Note: Due to COVID-19, requirements of the Open Meetings Act have been temporarily suspended by Governor Pritzker via Executive Order 2020-07 (which was extended by Executive Order 2020-33), which suspends the provisions of the Open Meetings Act, 5 ILCS 120, "Specifically, (1) the requirement in 5 ILCS 120/2.01 that "members of a public body must be physically present" is suspended; and (2) the condition in 5 ILCS 120/7 limiting when remote participation is permitted are suspended".

Members of the public were able to attend this meeting in person while practicing social distancing as well as being able to access the meeting remotely via Zoom which allowed for video, audio and telephonic participation.

A meeting notice was posted on the city's website on the agenda, minutes and packets webpage with instructions regarding remote meeting access and a link was included for the public to participate in the meeting remotely: <a href="https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84964399997?pwd=YVdkOVJSRy85Ui9YVjNwV2VoZ2gvdz09">https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84964399997?pwd=YVdkOVJSRy85Ui9YVjNwV2VoZ2gvdz09</a>. The Zoom meeting ID was 849 6439 9997.

#### **QUORUM**

A quorum was established.

## **AMENDMENTS TO THE AGENDA**

None.

#### **PRESENTATIONS**

None.

#### **PUBLIC HEARINGS**

Public Hearing for Proposed Downstate Small Business Stabilization Applications Funded by Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Funds, the total amount of CDBG funds to be requested is \$200,000 and will address the urgent needs of the business due to the COVID-19 emergency on the following applications:

Centers for Foot and Ankle Surgery Ltd. DBA Foot and Ankle Centers, Crusade Burger Bar LLC, Fast Burrito, Inc., Ginger and Soul Inc., HNM Corporation, NCG Yorkville Inc., NDB Enterprises, Inc. DBA Sunfield Restaurant, and Taekwondo Korea Center Inc.

Please see attached public hearing transcript from the court reporter regarding the public hearing portion of the meeting.

#### **CITIZEN COMMENTS ON AGENDA ITEMS**

None.

#### **CONSENT AGENDA**

None.

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#### MINUTES FOR APPROVAL

Mayor Purcell entertained a motion to approve the minutes of the regular City Council meeting of April 28, 2020, the minutes of the regular City Council meeting of May 12, 2020, and the minutes of the special City Council meeting of May 19, 2020 as presented. So moved by Alderman Milschewski; seconded by Alderman Koch.

Motion unanimously approved by a viva voce vote.

#### **BILLS FOR PAYMENT**

Mayor Purcell entertained a motion to approve the bill list in the amount of \$311,341.41 (vendors – FY 20); \$800,854.12 (vendors – FY 21); \$290,464.07 (payroll period ending 05/15/20); for a total of \$1,402,659.60. So moved by Alderman Funkhouser; seconded by Alderman Peterson.

Motion approved by a roll call vote. Ayes-8 Nays-0 Koch-aye, Milschewski-aye, Funkhouser-aye, Tarulis-aye, Transier-aye, Plocher-aye, Frieders-aye, Peterson-aye

REPORTS					
MAYOR'S REPORT	Downstate Small Business Stabilization Program Grant (CC 2020-43)				
Resolution 2020-39	of Support for a Community Development Block Grant Program Grant (Centers for Foot and Ankle Surgery Ltd. DBA Foot and Ankle Centers, 654 W Veterans Parkway, Suite D, Yorkville, IL)				
Resolution 2020-40	of Support for a Community Development Block Grant Program Grant (Crusade Burger Bar LLC, 209 S. Bridge Street, Yorkville, IL)				
Resolution 2020-41	of Support for a Community Development Block Grant Program Grant (Fast Burrito, Inc., 1214 N. Bridge Street, Yorkville, IL)				
Resolution 2020-42	of Support for a Community Development Block Grant Program Grant (Ginger and Soul Inc., 131 E. Hydraulic, Yorkville, IL)				
Resolution 2020-43	of Support for a Community Development Block Grant Program Grant (HNM Corporation, 227 Heustis Street, Yorkville, IL)				
Resolution 2020-44	of Support for a Community Development Block Grant Program Grant (NCG Yorkville Inc., 1505 N. Bridge Street, Yorkville, IL)				
Resolution 2020-45	of Support for a Community Development Block Grant Program Grant (NDB Enterprises, Inc. DBA Sunfield Restaurant, 382 E. Veterans Parkway, Yorkville, IL)				
Resolution 2020-46	of Support for a Community Development Block Grant Program Grant (Taekwondo Korea Center Inc., 482 E. Veterans Parkway, Yorkville, IL)				

Mayor Purcell entertained a motion pursuant to Ordinance 2013-31, to waive the procedural rule not to vote on items at the same meeting at which the public hearing on the matter has taken place. So moved by Alderman Funkhouser; seconded by Alderman Milschewski.

Motion approved by a roll call vote. Ayes-8 Nays-0 Milschewski-aye, Funkhouser-aye, Tarulis-aye, Transier-aye, Plocher-aye, Frieders-aye, Peterson-aye, Koch-aye

Mayor Purcell entertained a motion to approve Resolutions of Support for Community Development Block Grant Program Grants for the following: Resolution 2020-39 for Centers for Foot and Ankle Surgery Ltd. DBA Foot and Ankle Centers for \$25,000; Resolution 2020-40 for Crusade Burger Bar LLC for \$25,000; Resolution 2020-41 for Fast Burrito, Inc. for \$25,000; Resolution 2020-42 for Ginger and Soul Inc. for \$25,000; Resolution 2020-43 for HNM Corporation for \$25,000; Resolution 2020-44 for NCG Yorkville Inc. for \$25,000; Resolution 2020-45 for NDB Enterprises, Inc. DBA Sunfield Restaurant for \$25,000; Resolution 2020-46 for Taekwondo Korea Center Inc. for \$25,000. So moved by Alderman Peterson; seconded by Alderman Tarulis.

Motion approved by a roll call vote. Ayes-8 Nays-0 Funkhouser-aye, Tarulis-aye, Transier-aye, Plocher-aye, Frieders-aye, Peterson-aye, Koch-aye, Milschewski-aye

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#### Skid Steer Trade-in and Purchase of New Model

(CC 2020-44)

Mayor Purcell entertained a motion to authorize the trade-in of the Bobcat S750 Skid Steer S/N A3P212065 for \$17,000 and approve the purchase of a new Bobcat S76 Skid Steer in an amount not to exceed \$51,507 from Atlas Bobcat of Elk Grove Village, IL through the Sourcewell contract 040319-CEC. So moved by Alderman Frieders; seconded by Alderman Transier.

Discussion took place that the price of the item was discounted since the city would be receiving government pricing through the Sourcewell contract. Other discussion took place as to whether the city should delay purchasing this item as the total impact of the pandemic on the budget is still unknown at this point.

Motion approved by a roll call vote. Ayes-7 Nays-1 Tarulis-aye, Transier-aye, Plocher-aye, Frieders-aye, Peterson-aye, Koch-aye, Milschewski-aye, Funkhouser-nay

#### Ordinance 2020-30

## Approving Outdoor Restaurant Sales and Liquor Servicing During the Pandemic

(CC 2020-45)

Mayor Purcell entertained a motion to approve an Ordinance Approving Outdoor Restaurant Sales and Liquor Servicing During the Pandemic and authorize the Mayor and City Clerk to execute. So moved by Alderman Transier; seconded by Alderman Frieders.

Motion approved by a roll call vote. Ayes-8 Nays-0 Transier-aye, Plocher-aye, Frieders-aye, Peterson-aye, Koch-aye, Milschewski-aye, Funkhouser-aye, Tarulis-aye

## City Administrator Employment Agreement

(CC 2020-46)

Mayor Purcell entertained a motion to approve an Employment Agreement between the United City of Yorkville and Bart Olson and authorize the Mayor and City Clerk to execute. So moved by Alderman Tarulis; seconded by Alderman Plocher.

Motion approved by a roll call vote. Ayes-8 Nays-0 Plocher-aye, Frieders-aye, Peterson-aye, Koch-aye, Milschewski-aye, Funkhouser-aye, Tarulis-aye, Transier-aye

#### PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE REPORT

#### Water Department Reports for January, February, and March 2020

(PW 2020-30)

Alderman Plocher made a motion to approve the Water Department Reports for January, February, and March 2020; seconded by Alderman Frieders.

Motion unanimously approved by a viva voce vote.

## **Supplemental MFT Resolution 2020-47**

for Bulk Rock Salt

(PW 2020-31)

Alderman Plocher made a motion to approve a supplemental MFT Resolution for the purchase of bulk rock salt and authorize the City Clerk to execute; seconded by Alderman Peterson.

Motion approved by a roll call vote. Ayes-8 Nays-0 Peterson-aye, Koch-aye, Milschewski-aye, Funkhouser-aye, Tarulis-aye, Transier-aye, Plocher-aye, Frieders-aye

## Ordinance 2020-31

Authorizing Conveyance of Real Estate for Highway Purposes (.095 acres of land at 1975 N. Bridge Street)

(PW 2020-32)

Alderman Plocher made a motion to approve an Ordinance Authorizing Conveyance of Real Estate for Highway Purposes (.095 acres of land at 1975 N. Bridge Street) and authorize the Mayor and City Clerk to execute; seconded by Alderman Milschewski.

Motion approved by a roll call vote. Ayes-8 Nays-0 Koch-aye, Milschewski-aye, Funkhouser-aye, Tarulis-aye, Transier-aye, Plocher-aye, Frieders-aye, Peterson-aye

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Mill Road Project (PW 2020-33)

Resolution 2020-48 Approving a Services Agreement with BNSF Railway Company

Resolution 2020-49 Approving a Stipulated Agreement with the Illinois Commerce

Commission and BNSF Railway Company

Ordinance 2020-32 Approving an Easement Agreement for Roadway Construction, Maintenance and Use (Mill Road)

Alderman Plocher made a motion to approve a Resolution Approving a Services Agreement with BNSF Railway Company; to approve a Resolution Approving a Stipulated Agreement with the Illinois Commerce Commission and BNSF Railway Company; and to approve an Ordinance Approving an Easement Agreement for Roadway Construction, Maintenance and Use (Mill Road) and authorize the Mayor and City Clerk to execute; seconded by Alderman Peterson.

Motion approved by a roll call vote. Ayes-8 Nays-0 Milschewski-aye, Funkhouser-aye, Tarulis-aye, Transier-aye, Plocher-aye, Frieders-aye, Peterson-aye, Koch-aye

### ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE REPORT

No report.

#### PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE REPORT

No report.

#### **ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE REPORT**

Treasurer's Report for April 2020

(ADM 2020-30)

Alderman Funkhouser made a motion to approve the Treasurer's Report for April 2020; seconded by Alderman Milschewski.

Motion unanimously approved by a viva voce vote.

Resolution 2020-50

Authorizing the Closure of a Checking Account with First National Bank (Parks and Recreation Bank Account)

(ADM 2020-34)

Alderman Funkhouser made a motion to approve a Resolution Authorizing the Closure of a Checking Account with First National Bank (Parks and Recreation Bank Account) and authorize the Mayor and City Clerk to execute; seconded by Alderman Peterson.

Motion approved by a roll call vote. Ayes-8 Nays-0 Tarulis-aye, Transier-aye, Plocher-aye, Frieders-aye, Peterson-aye, Koch-aye, Milschewski-aye, Funkhouser-aye

Ordinance 2020-33

Amending the Yorkville City Code, Title 1, Chapter 7, Section 3: Contracts and Purchases

(ADM 2020-35)

Alderman Funkhouser made a motion to approve an Ordinance Amending the Yorkville City Code, Title 1, Chapter 7, Section 3: Contracts and Purchases and authorize the Mayor and City Clerk to execute; seconded by Alderman Milschewski.

Motion approved by a roll call vote. Ayes-8 Nays-0 Transier-aye, Plocher-aye, Frieders-aye, Peterson-aye, Koch-aye, Milschewski-aye, Funkhouser-aye, Tarulis-aye

#### Resolution 2020-51

Approving a Revised Fund Balance Policy

(ADM 2020-36)

Alderman Funkhouser made a motion to approve a Resolution Approving a Revised Fund Balance Policy and authorize the Mayor and City Clerk to execute; seconded by Alderman Peterson.

Director Fredrickson explained that the purpose of this item is to add contingency language to the city's existing fund balance policy. This revision would give the council the option to set a contingency amount which would be based on the total general fund appropriated budget. The contingency amount could be set anywhere from zero percent up to ten percent of the general fund budget and could be used for unforeseen or unbudgeted expenditures. At the end of the fiscal year, any unspent contingency funds would return to the fund balance.

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Discussion took place that the contingency funds are a line item in the budget which means the council will have input on the percentage of the general fund that will be allocated to the contingency fund line item each year when they approve the annual fiscal year budget. If this policy revision is approved, it will give the council the authority to approve the percentage of the contingency line item funding annually.

Motion approved by a roll call vote. Ayes-7 Nays-1 Plocher-aye, Frieders-aye, Peterson-aye, Koch-aye, Milschewski-aye, Funkhouser-nay, Tarulis-aye, Transier-aye

#### PARK BOARD

No report.

#### PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION

No report.

#### **CITY COUNCIL REPORT**

## May the Fourth be with You – Virtual Race

Alderman Transier thanked the Parks and Recreation department for holding the virtual May the Fourth be with You race. He was excited to win gift certificates from Burnt Barrel Social and Rosati's.

## National Suicide Prevention + Action Month Proclamation Project

Alderman Frieders said that during this pandemic the conversation around mental health is becoming more and more important as many families are stuck at home. He has been continuing his work with Hope for the Day and they have been offering their normal monthly in person education sessions on a virtual basis twice a week. Virtual sessions are being held Tuesdays at 11:00 a.m. and Saturdays at 2:30 p.m. Information on these free educational sessions can be found online at <a href="www.hftd.org/geteducated">www.hftd.org/geteducated</a>. They will also be rolling out a program tailored for law enforcement, first responders, and the military called "Project Red Team" as well as a food and beverage tailored program called "86 the Silence".

#### CITY CLERK'S REPORT

No report.

#### **COMMUNITY & LIAISON REPORT**

No report.

#### **STAFF REPORT**

No report.

## MAYORS REPORT (cont'd)

**FY 21 Budget Update** (CC 2020-47)

Administrator Olson there are only a couple of budget updates since the last City Council meeting. He said the city received monthly reports for income taxes, motor fuel taxes, and use taxes. Income taxes are a bit low but are generally in line with the IML estimates. He said that MFT taxes are approximately 20% lower than last year while use taxes are slightly up. He said that the city should be receiving the March consumer sales report in June.

## **ADDITIONAL BUSINESS**

None.

#### **CITIZEN COMMENTS**

None.

#### **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Mayor Purcell said that an executive session would not be held this evening.

#### ADJOURNMENT

Mayor Purcell entertained a motion to adjourn the City Council meeting. So moved by Alderman Milschewski; seconded by Alderman Koch.

Motion unanimously approved by a viva voce vote.

Meeting adjourned at 8:21 p.m.

Minutes submitted by:

Awa Pickering

Lisa Pickering,

City Clerk, City of Yorkville, Illinois

UNITED CITY OF YORKVILLE KENDALL COUNTY, ILLINOIS

CITY COUNCIL MEETING PUBLIC HEARING

800 Game Farm Road Yorkville, Illinois

Tuesday, May 26, 2020 7:00 p.m.

Page 2 1 PRESENT: 2. Mr. John Purcell, Mayor; 3 Mr. Ken Koch, Alderman; Mr. Dan Transier, Alderman; Ms. Jackie Milschewski, Alderman; 5 Mr. Arden Joe Plocher, Alderman; Mr. Chris Funkhouser, Alderman; Mr. Joel Frieders, Alderman; 8 Mr. Seaver Tarulis, Alderman; 9 Mr. Jason Peterson, Alderman. 10 11 12 ALSO PRESENT: 13 Mr. Bart Olson, City Administrator, Mr. James Jensen, Chief of Police, 14 15 Ms. Lisa Pickering, City Clerk, 16 Mr. Eric Dhuse, Public Works Director, 17 Ms. Krysti Barksdale-Noble, Community 18 Development Director, 19 Mr. Rob Fredrickson, Finance Director, 20 Ms. Erin Willrett, Assistant City 21 Administrator, 22 Mr. Tim Evans, Parks and Recreation

Ms. Kathleen Field-Orr, City Attorney,

Director;

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1 (WHEREUPON, the following
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- 2 proceedings were had in
- 3 public hearing:)
- 4 MAYOR PURCELL: We get to have another
- 5 public hearing. At this point I need to go over
- 6 the public hearing for the Proposed Downstate
- 7 Small Business Stabilization Applications funded
- 8 by the Community Development Block Grant, CDBG,
- 9 funds. The total amount of CDBG funds to be
- 10 requested is \$200,000 and will address the urgent
- 11 need of the business due to the COVID-19
- 12 emergency on the following applications:
- 13 Centers for Foot and Ankle Surgery,
- 14 Limited, d/b/a Foot and Ankle Centers; Crusade
- 15 Burger, LLC; Fast Burrito; Ginger and Soul, Inc.;
- 16 HNM Corporation; NCG Yorkville, Inc.; NDB
- 17 Enterprises, Inc., d/b/a Sunfield Restaurant; and
- 18 Taekwondo Korea Center, Inc.
- We have opened the public hearing,
- 20 and first I will ask if there is anyone in
- 21 public -- just so you are aware, there is
- 22 actually one member of the public here today, and
- 23 then there is Bart, there is JJ, and there is
- 24 KFO. She is our attorney.

- 1 So does any member of the public
- 2 here wish to speak?
- 3 (No response.)
- MAYOR PURCELL: There was a nod of the
- 5 head no.
- Now I will ask is there anyone out 6
- in videoland who would like to speak to this?
- 8 so, just please wave, say -- I quess you'd have
- 9 to say something so I can hear you first.
- 10 Who is that? Could you state your
- 11 name, please? Oh, he is on mute. One moment,
- 12 please. Everyone is on mute now.
- 13 MR. OLSON: You might be able to unmute
- 14 yourself by pressing the button. Yeah, there you
- 15 go.
- 16 MAYOR PURCELL: Okay. Please state your
- 17 name for the record.
- 18 MR. ALCANTARA: Gerardo, Fast Burrito,
- 19 Inc.
- 20 MAYOR PURCELL: Thank you. Is there
- 21 anything you want to say?
- 2.2 MR. ALCANTARA: I say hi.
- 23 MAYOR PURCELL: Hola. Gracias.
- 24 MR. ALCANTARA: De nada. You are

- 1 welcome.
- 2. MAYOR PURCELL: Buenas tardes.
- 3 MR. ALCANTARA: Buenas tardes.
- MAYOR PURCELL: Excellent. Anyone else 4
- have anything they would like to offer for the 5
- public hearing? Remember, Bart will go through 6
- these under the Mayor's report in a little more
- 8 detail, but this is the public hearing.
- 9 (No response.)
- 10 MAYOR PURCELL: Oh, I'm sorry, we have
- 11 to go to the public hearing. Okay. Well, I will
- 12 give everyone a chance to speak one more time
- before I turn it over to Bart. 13
- 14 Did someone else want to speak?
- 15 (Unintelligible.)
- 16 MAYOR PURCELL: I am hearing some
- 17 people, but I'm not sure who. I see we have a
- 18 Dodger's fan there. Okay. I will turn it over
- to Bart at this point. Thank you. It will be 19
- just one moment. 20
- 21 Bart, that's pretty cool, you're
- 22 walking around and we get to see you. It's like
- one of those YouTubers. 23
- 24 MR. OLSON: World's worst YouTuber, but

- 1 appreciate it.
- 2 MAYOR PURCELL: You are a damn good
- 3 administrator, though.
- 4 MR. OLSON: All right. Let me share my
- 5 screen here, so just bear with me for a second.
- 6 Okay. Can everybody see that?
- 7 MAYOR PURCELL: Yes.
- 8 ALDERMAN MILSCHEWSKI: Yep.
- 9 MR. OLSON: Thank you. So we have the
- 10 public hearing for the Downstate Small Business
- 11 Stabilization Program. So, again, this is a
- 12 state-ran program set up to offset the impact of
- the COVID-19 virus, and it provides businesses up
- 14 to 60 days of verifiable working capital up to
- 15 \$25,000.
- So, again, the eligibility criteria
- 17 here is that you have to have been open since
- 18 January of 2017 with no business having changed,
- 19 you can't be a franchise, you have to have less
- 20 than 50 employees, et cetera. The rest of the
- 21 requirements are on the screen there.
- 22 So the only requirement is that you
- 23 have to maintain your business and remain open
- 24 for 60 days after funding is rewarded and you

- 1 have to use the funds for working capital, and
- 2 the amount of the loan and grant is based on the
- 3 actual business expenses.
- 4 So we do have eight applications in
- 5 this round, which is our second round. They are
- 6 all on the screen and we will get into each one
- 7 of the businesses here in just a minute.
- 8 So out of these eight businesses,
- 9 they are requesting \$25,000 each, for a grand
- 10 total of \$200,000.
- 11 Okay. So the next eight slides in
- 12 this presentation give detailed information about
- 13 each business, including the amount of funds that
- 14 they are requesting, what they are going to use
- 15 the funds for, and the impact that COVID-19 has
- 16 had on their business.
- 17 These detailed slides have been
- 18 available on the City website and in the City
- 19 Council packet since Thursday, May 21st. I'm
- 20 going to show each one of the slides on the
- 21 screen, and rather than read the slide verbatim,
- 22 I am going to summarize each business's
- 23 information as follows: The name of the
- 24 business; the amount of funds that are requested

- 1 by the business; the list of activities that will
- 2 be undertaken with grant funding; and how the
- 3 business and community can be benefitted through
- 4 the grant.
- 5 At the end of my narrative on the
- 6 businesses, the public hearing will be opened for
- 7 resident comments, and residents can provide any
- 8 comment on any of the eight businesses.
- 9 The Mayor is going to control the
- 10 order of public comment at that time, so each
- 11 business has been asked to attend this meeting
- 12 remotely, and we have one in person, and they are
- 13 going to be prepared to answer questions posed by
- 14 the City Council or the public as allowed by the
- 15 Mayor.
- 16 So in addition to the narrative on
- 17 each business, the State has asked us to comment
- 18 about a detailed, prioritized list of community
- 19 development and housing needs during the public
- 20 hearing. The following narrative applies to
- 21 every one of the eight businesses up at the
- 22 public hearing this evening.
- 23 COVID-19 has decimated the business
- 24 community and employment numbers in the region

- 1 and in the state to degrees included in each of
- 2 the business applications and as narrated in this
- 3 public hearing.
- 4 First, the City's Comprehensive Plan
- 5 Update discusses the importance of a healthy
- 6 business community in order to improve quality
- 7 of life, specifically commercial/retail
- 8 development.
- 9 In Section 2, Community
- 10 Characteristics and Land Use Trends, the
- 11 Comprehensive Plan states there is a defined need
- 12 for a more consistent, cohesive approach to
- 13 attracting and retaining retail and commercial
- 14 services, especially in the downtown, where
- 15 sustained efforts in supporting and incubating
- 16 businesses should be the focus of economic
- 17 development. Second, in the same section of the
- 18 City's Comprehensive Plan, it discusses that
- 19 housing count and household growth is key to
- 20 attracting new retail development. Any loss of
- 21 business in the community is going to cause the
- 22 existing residential base to be underserved.
- So our first business, Centers for
- 24 Foot and Ankle Surgery, Limited, d/b/a Foot and

- 1 Ankle Centers, is requesting \$25,000 for working
- 2 capital, including payroll, rent, utilities,
- 3 telecommunications, inventory and overhead
- 4 expenses. The Foot and Ankle Center has been
- 5 open since January 1st, 1999 and has 18
- 6 employees. Since the start of the pandemic, the
- 7 Center has had to furlough staff and go to
- 8 partial shifts. Funding will help them maintain
- 9 their 15 employees and to provide care/treatment
- 10 for local patients.
- 11 Crusade Burger Bar, LLC is
- 12 requesting \$25,000 for working capital, including
- 13 payroll. Crusade has been in Yorkville since
- 14 June of 2016 and had a total of 38 full-time
- 15 equivalent employees, 43 part-time and 25
- 16 full-time employees prior to the pandemic. The
- 17 COVID-19 pandemic has resulted in a loss of about
- 18 60 percent of their normal revenues. Funding
- 19 will help them retain employees until they are
- 20 able to restart indoor dining.
- 21 Fast Burrito, Incorporated has
- 22 requested \$25,000 for working capital, including
- 23 payroll, rent and utilities. Fast Burrito has
- 24 been established since March, 2005 and has five

- 1 employees. Since the start of the pandemic,
- 2 sales have decreased significantly as indoor
- 3 dining is prevented. Funding will help them
- 4 retain employees and continue take-out
- 5 operations until they are able to restart indoor
- 6 dining.
- 7 Ginger and Soul, Incorporated is
- 8 requesting \$25,000 for working capital, payroll,
- 9 supplies, rent and utilities. Ginger and Soul
- 10 has been in business since February, 2015 and has
- 11 five employees, along with seasonal help. Sales
- 12 have decreased significantly since indoor dining
- 13 is prohibited. Catered events have been
- 14 cancelled by organizers. Funding will help them
- 15 maintain all their employees on payroll as well
- 16 as acquire supplies needed to perform carry-out
- 17 until indoor dining is allowed.
- 18 HNM Corporation, known as Butcher
- 19 Block 360, is requesting \$25,000 for working
- 20 capital, including payroll, rent and utilities.
- 21 HNM Corporation has been in Yorkville since 2008
- 22 and has six employees. Since the pandemic
- 23 began they have seen an 80 percent loss in
- 24 revenue and are open limited hours for curbside

- 1 pick-up. Funding will help them with paying
- 2 rent, payroll and utilities until indoor dining
- 3 can resume.
- 4 NCG Yorkville is requesting \$25,000
- 5 for working capital, including payroll and
- 6 operations. NCG Theaters has been open in
- 7 Yorkville since 2013 and has been closed since
- 8 March of 2020, resulting in a total loss of
- 9 income. Funding will be used for employees and
- 10 operations of the business when they are allowed
- 11 to reopen.
- 12 NDB Enterprises, Incorporated, doing
- 13 business as Sunfield Restaurant, is requesting
- 14 \$25,000 for working capital, including payroll,
- 15 utilities, equipment, maintenance and supplies.
- 16 Sunfield Restaurant has been in business since
- 17 1998 and has been closed since March, 2020 since
- 18 they are not set up for pick-up or delivery
- 19 orders. Funding will allow them to pay their
- 20 employees, utilities, provide for equipment,
- 21 building maintenance and supplies for the
- 22 business to open again.
- 23 Taekwondo Korea Center, Incorporated
- 24 is requesting \$25,000 for working capital,

- 1 including payroll, rent, utilities, insurance and
- 2 merchant services. Taekwondo Korea Center was
- 3 founded in April, 2014 and has been conducting
- 4 online training only since the end of March.
- 5 Since then they have seen an increase in monthly
- 6 membership cancellations. Funding will allow
- 7 them to continue paying rent and utilities and to
- 8 maintain payroll during the closure and after
- 9 reopening.
- 10 That's all eight businesses. The
- 11 notice of the public hearing was published in the
- 12 Beacon on May 19th, and all of the materials have
- 13 been available at the City website link here, and
- 14 so the City Council has to discuss a resolution
- of support during this meeting for the Mayor's
- 16 report and then a participation agreement will be
- 17 signed between the business of the City after
- 18 this meeting, and that wraps up my speech.
- 19 MAYOR PURCELL: Thank you, Bart. Again,
- 20 this is a public hearing. Are there any other
- 21 comments for the public hearing portion?
- (No response.)
- 23 MAYOR PURCELL: Hearing and seeing none,
- 24 I have closed the public hearing. Thank you very

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     much. Thank you, Bart.
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