

**CITY OF OCONTO**  
**MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING OF THE COUNCIL**

City Hall – Council Chambers  
1210 Main St, Oconto, WI 54153

**TUESDAY, JULY 26, 2022 - 4:00 PM**

Draft for Approval

**Meeting of the Special Council called to order at 4:00 pm by Council President Steve Stock**

**Roll Call –**

Present: Mayor John Panetti (via Zoom), City Attorney Frank Calvert; Alderpersons:  
Butch Mehlberg, Steve Stock, John Wittkopf, Jean Feldt, and Robert LeBreck

Also present: Police Chief Mike Rehberg and City Administrator Brittney Bickel and as  
recording secretary

Excused: Patsy Bake

**Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance by Alderperson Bob LeBreck**

**Approval of Agenda –**

**MOTION: Feldt / Mehlberg**

*Motion to approve the agenda as presented for the Special Council meeting on July 26, 2022. Voice Vote: 5 ayes - MOTION CARRIED*

**Correspondence/Public Input –**

- Alderperson Mehlberg asked about the food trucks coming to town and if they need any permits. Administrator Bickel explained they need to purchase a solicitor's/direct sales permit, which is \$100 per year, and provide their state certification. When they are hired by a business, for example The Yard or The Garage, the business can purchase the permit. The food truck still needs to provide us with their state certification, however.

**Discussion/Recommendation on –**

- a. Approval of Original Alcohol Beverage Retail License Application - Play By Play, LLC - 211 Superior Ave

**MOTION: Feldt / LeBreck**

*Motion to approve the application as presented.*

**Voice Recorded Roll Call Vote: 5 ayes - MOTION CARRIED**

- c. Approval of Application for Temporary Class B Retailers License - Oconto Elks Lodge 887 - Oconto Girls Softball Tournament August 5<sup>th</sup> - August 7<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**MOTION: Wittkopf / Feldt**

*Motion to approve the application as presented.*

**Voice Recorded Roll Call Vote: 5 ayes - MOTION CARRIED**

**Closed Session –**

Council voted at 4:06 p.m. to convene into Closed Session pursuant to notice duly given and as allowed by Wis. Stats. 19.85(1)(c) for the discussion on personnel matters for the following

items:

- i. City Hall hire of chosen candidate

**MOTION: Wittkopf / Mehlberg**

*Motion to convene into closed session at 4:06 pm.*

**Voice Vote: 5 ayes - MOTION CARRIED**

Roll Call: City Attorney Frank Calvert, City Administrator Brittney Bickel, Butch Mehlberg, Steve Stock, John Wittkopf, Jean Feldt, and Robert LeBreck

**Open Session –**

Council voted to reconvene into Open Session at 4:24 p.m. pursuant to notice duly given and as allowed by Wis. Stat. 19.85(2) for discussion/recommendation from Closed Session.

**MOTION: Wittkopf / Feldt**

*Motion to reconvene into open session at 4:24 pm.*

**Voice Vote: 5 ayes - MOTION CARRIED**

**MOTION: LeBreck / Wittkopf**

*Motion to hire the chosen candidate.*

**Voice Recorded Roll Call Vote: 5 ayes - MOTION CARRIED**

**Adjournment –**

**MOTION: Wittkopf / Mehlberg**

*Motion to adjourn at 4:26 pm.*

**Voice Vote: 5 ayes - MOTION CARRIED**

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City Administrator Brittney M. Bickel