



**Minutes of the
City Commission for the City of Traverse City**

Study Session

December 8, 2014

A study session of the City Commission of the City of Traverse City was called to order at the Commission Chambers, Governmental Center, 400 Boardman Avenue, Traverse City, Michigan, at 7 p.m.

The following Commissioners were present, constituting a quorum: Mayor Michael Estes, Mayor Pro Tem Barbara D. Budros, James Carruthers, Jeanine Easterday, Gary Howe, Ross Richardson, Tim Werner.

The following Commissioners were absent: None.

Mayor Michael Estes presided at the meeting.

1.

Presentation and discussion regarding the status of the Traverse City Public Pier Project.

The following addressed the Commission:

Jered Ottenwess, City Manager
Pat Doher, SmithGroup JJR Senior Partner

2.

Presentation and discussion regarding Wastewater Treatment Plant Membrane Replacement.

The following addressed the Commission:
Jered Ottenwess, City Manager
Scott Levesque, CH2MHill

3.

Presentation and discussion regarding a public art ordinance as recommended by the Downtown Development Authority Board.

The following addressed the Commission:

Rob Bacigalupi, Downtown Development Authority Executive Director
Jered Ottenwess, City Manager
Lauren Tribble-Laucht, City Attorney

4.

Discussion regarding an update on the Traverse City Parking System.

The following addressed the Commission:

Rob Bacigalupi, Downtown Development Authority Executive Director
Jered Ottenwess, City Manager

5.

Announcements from the City Clerk.

The following addressed the Commission:

Benjamin Marentette, City Clerk

6.

Public comment.

The following addressed the Commission:

Mike Jackson, 217 Sixth Street, Downtown Development Authority Board member

Scott Zenner, 5051 Silver Shores Lane, Garfield Township, Salon Verve
owner

Dan Farley, 13008 South Queen Anne, Peninsula Township

Carl Bezak, 138 East 16th Street

Commissioner Jim Carruthers

Commissioner Gary Howe

Mayor Michael Estes

There being no objection, Mayor Michael Estes declared the meeting
adjourned at 9:35 pm.

Benjamin C Marentette, CMC
City Clerk

Approved: _____, _____
(Date) (Initials)