Regular meeting of the Common Council was called to order by Mayor Meyers at 7:00 p.m., in the Council Chambers, City Hall Plaza.

**PRESENT:** Michael Feirer, Alanna Feddick, Trish Siegler, Tim Kraus, Ed Wagner, Josh Hansen, Donald Krueger, Tom Buttke and Pete Hendler.

**ABSENT:** John Spiros

The flag was saluted and the pledge given.

Invocation was given by Pastor Ruth Egerer, Wesley United Methodist Church.

## RECOMMENDATIONS FROM MAYOR

Word to the Wise: An ounce of loyalty is worth a pound of cleverness. Author: Elbert Hubbard

You know you're getting old when the candles cost more than the cake. Author: Bob Hope

# Employee Milestone Recognition:

Erlan Wenzel, Police Department

July 18, 1977

30 years of service

Mayor Meyers asked for a moment of silence to honor Harold Ploen who passed away on Saturday, July 7, 2007. He was a member of the Marshfield Fire Department for 34 years. Marshfield is a better place for having his involvement in the community for all of those years.

<u>CC07-210</u> Motion by Hendler, second by Buttke to approve the minutes of the Common Council meeting of June 26, 2007. All Ayes

**Motion carried** 

No items were added to the agenda.

### PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

Alderperson Kraus announced that he would be holding a meeting on Monday, July 16, 2007 at 6:30 p.m. at the Eagle's Club. In coordination with Detective Jepson and Officer Meek they will be putting together a Neighborhood Watch Program for the 4<sup>th</sup> District.

<u>CC07-211</u> Motion by Buttke, second by Feddick to grant the request from the Wildwood Park Zoological Society for a variance of noise levels as permitted by Chapter 10-33 (7) for the Blues in the Zoo fundraiser on August 16, 2007 located within the Zoo. All Ayes

### Motion carried

A presentation was made by DaNita Carlson, Wood County Tobacco Prevention Specialist regarding Smoke-free Marshfield.

Alderperson Kraus requested that the Administrator draft an ordinance regarding the governor's proposal on making Marshfield a Smoke-free area. Not to include anything on a cigarette tax but to consider the governor's proposal in its entirety with no exceptions, no exemptions or alterations at the next Council meeting.

# MINUTES OF GOVERNING BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS

<u>CC07-212</u> Motion by Krueger, second by Kraus to receive and place on file the minutes of the Library Board of June 12, 2007 and June 19, 2007 special meeting. All Ayes **Motion carried** 

### MINUTES OF COUNCIL COMMITTEES

<u>CC07-213</u> Motion by Buttke, second by Kraus to approve the minutes of the Committee on Youth of May 23, 2007. All Ayes

Motion carried

<u>CC07-214</u> Motion by Wagner, second by Kraus to approve the minutes of the Cable TV Committee of May 29, 2007. All Ayes

Motion carried

<u>CC07-215</u> Motion by Feddick, second by Wagner to approve the minutes of the Cable TV Committee RFP Subcommittee of June 7, 2007. All Ayes

**Motion carried** 

<u>CC07-216</u> Motion by Feddick, second by Kraus to approve the minutes of the Airport Committee of June 28, 2007. All Ayes

**Motion carried** 

Mayor Meyers announced that the Airport will be holding their Ribbon Cutting and Dedication on Monday, July 30, 2007.

<u>CC07-217</u> Motion by Kraus, second by Feirer to approve the minutes of the Board of Public Works of July 2, 2007. All Ayes

**Motion carried** 

<u>CC07-218</u> Motion by Wagner, second by Hanson to approve the minutes of the Judiciary, License and Cemetery Committee of July 10, 2007 as read by the Clerk. All Ayes **Motion carried** 

#### MINUTES OF COMMUNITY ASSOCATIONS

<u>CC07-219</u> Motion by Feddick, second by Feirer to receive and place on file the minutes of Main Street Marshfield Board of Directors of June 6, 2007. All Ayes

**Motion carried** 

<u>CC07-220</u> Motion by Feddick, second by Feirer to receive and place on file the minutes of Mill Creek Business Park Covenant Committee of June 26, 2007. All Ayes

Motion carried

Second reading of Ordinance No. 1100, adopting the Comprehensive Plan of the City of Marshfield.

**CC07-221** Motion by Feirer, second by Hendler to approve Ordinance No. 1100.

Alderperson Wagner said that although there are some things that bother him about the plan, he will vote for it because it does meet the State's requirements.

Vote on motion <u>CC07-221</u>; All Ayes

**Motion carried** 

<u>First reading of Ordinance No. 1106</u>, changing the definition of a roof sign, and adding it to the list of prohibited signs.

<u>CC07-222</u> Motion by Kraus, second by Buttke to approve Resolution No. 2007-26, supporting AB346 and its companion bills to reduce artificial impediments to the development of new nuclear power plants in Wisconsin.

Alderperson Wagner said that there was a reason for the moratorium and the reason was that nuclear plants produce waste that they were having difficulty disposing of. He doesn't feel that this issue has been addressed.

Alderperson Kraus said that there are 43 sites across the country that have been opened up as certified radio active waste sites. The effects of fossil fuels on the ozone far out weigh what predicament we would be in with the waste from the nuclear generation. One of the main reasons he thought this was appropriate is not only because of the increased need for power and the efficiencies but we are also signed on as a Green Community.

Vote on motion <u>CC07-222</u>; Siegler and Wagner voted Naye, rest Aye. **Motion carried** 

Motion by Kraus, second by Hansen to adjourn at 8:18 p.m. **Motion carried** 

Deb M. Hall City Clerk