

**CITY OF MIDDLETOWN**  
**CITIZENS' ADVISORY COMMITTEE – Meeting via WebEx**

**Minutes – October 21, 2020 6:00 p.m.**

<b><u>Committee Members:</u></b>	<b><u>Attendance:</u></b>	<b><u>Staff Member:</u></b>
R. Pelletier, Chairman	Present	Lynda MacPherson
R. Bantum		
M. Belyea		
H. Cushing		
G. Daley	Present	
M. Fallon	Present	
G. Faulkner	Present	
Mayor Ben Florsheim		
S. Fulton	Present	
J. Middleton		
S. Owens		
B. Peterson	Present	
J. Rumberger		
L. Salafia	Present	
C. Smith	Present	
V. Szyrkowicz	Present	

A. **Call to Order** - The meeting was called to order at 6:13 p.m.

B. **Public Comment**–No members of the public.

C. –**Approval of Minutes** – On motion of G. Daley, seconded by G. Faulkner, the minutes of the meeting held on June 23, 2020 were approved with B. Peterson abstaining. On motion of G. Daley, seconded by G. Faulkner, the minutes of the meeting held on August 19, 2020 were approved with S. Fulton and B. Peterson abstaining from the vote.

D. **Update on CARES Act Grant Awards**– Ms. MacPherson updated the committee on approved CDBG Cares Act Grants awarded to small businesses. She also informed the committee of the third round of CARES Act Grant Dollars awarded to the City in the amount of \$328,072.

E. **Other** – Ms. Peterson discussed possible uses for the \$328,072. Mr. Szyrkowicz asked about the warming center. Ms. Peterson stated that the City is actively pursuing a location for the center. M. Fallon noted that the Abbott Test is not completely effective at detecting the virus and was wondering what the Health Department’s thoughts on this test are.

F. **Adjourn** –It was unanimously voted to adjourn the meeting at 6:32 p.m.

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Lynda MacPherson  
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