

City of Allegan
City Council Study Session Minutes

Monday, August 24, 2020 at 6:00 P.M
City Council Chambers, 231 Trowbridge Street
Allegan, MI 49010

I. Call to order

Mayor Perrigo called the meeting to order at 6:00 P.M.

II. Public Comments

Jason Watts, 516 Trowbridge Street, Allegan was in attendance to notify the Council of his intent of petition the City regarding the sale of 101 Brady Street.

III. GOVHR Classification and Compensation Study Discussion

Representatives from GOVHR were present via ZOOM meeting link to provide the Council an overview of the Classification and Compensation Study for the City of Allegan. GOVHR reviewed data from 9 comparable communities, along with each employee who filled out a job analysis questionnaire, then interviewed dozens of City of Allegan employees. The information collected was used to create a Classification and Compensation Study. The document was provided to the Council in the Study Session agenda.

IV. Economic Development Plan Review Discussion

Mike Kiella from the City of Allegan Economic Development Corporation along with City Manager, Dye provided the Council with the City of Allegan Economic Development Plan. The past year a subcommittee has been working on creating an Economic Development Plan that identifies various strategic goals the City of Allegan and larger Allegan Community should take to ensure a strong economic climate. The plan focuses on the following strategic goals; growth, maintenance and emphasis of Biotech Industries, expansion of manufacturing capacity, improvement of a strong Downtown Service Industry, leverage of recreation tourism features, augmentation of a strong workforce through education and creation of housing diversity.

V. Review of Regular Meeting Agenda for Monday, August 24, 2020

No edits or discussion provided.

VI. Adjournment

Mayor Perrigo adjourned the meeting at 6:50

Minutes submitted by: Christopher Tapper, City Clerk, City of Allegan