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FROM THE OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER

January 25, 2021

To: Mayor and City Council Members

From: Mark F. Miller, City Manager
Robert J. Bruner, Assistant City Manager
Sarah Ames, Assistant to the City Manager

Subject: City Council Agenda Questions & Answers – 1.25.21

The following are communications that City Administration would like Council to be made aware of. In order to ensure that all questions are received and answered, all City Council Questions should be sent to the CITY MANAGER DISTRIBUTION GROUP e-mail address.

From: David Hamilton

Sent: Sunday, January 24, 2021 7:57 PM

To: City Manager Distribution Group <CityManager@troymi.gov>

Subject: Agenda

I-05

The amount for budget item 101.000.4655.010 for court fines is different in the adopted 2021 budget and here. It is \$600,000 in the 21 budget, and \$6,000,000 in I-05. This number stuck out to me so I looked it up. Is the -\$300,000 in court fines accurate?

Why were admin fees reduced \$400,000? Aren't those collected as part of the property tax collection?

David Hamilton
Troy City Council Member

Answer: Robert Maleszyk, Chief Financial Officer

There was a typo on the memo and it has been resubmitted. The \$300,000 budget amendment for court fines is accurate. The resolution is accurate and unchanged. The admin fees were higher in the approved budget than what we have collected. The approved budget had an amount for admin fees on Troy taxes which we do not collect fees on.

From: Edna Abraham

Sent: Monday, January 25, 2021 1:10 PM

To: City Manager Distribution Group <CityManager@troymi.gov>

Subject: Questions on the 1/25 Agenda Packet

Good Afternoon, Mark and Staff,

Here are my questions for this week's council meeting:

I-6 / Town Center Parking Lot

- Based on the preliminary timing, construction would be going on until September. Because the library will start having operations on Fridays, where will the Farmers Market be located this year?

Answer: Cindy Stewart, Community Affairs

The Troy Farmers Market will be located at the park area on the corner of Livernois and Town Center close to the pavilion this year and will move to the new location in 2022.

O-2b / Resident Survey

- In light of the continuing issues contributing to USPS delays, I am curious how surveys received after the due date will be handled. For example, if a person receives a Wave 1 survey, but the response is received after the 2/12 due date, can the response still be counted (perhaps in the Wave 2 submission)?

Answer: Bob Bruner, Assistant City Manager

We timed the mailing of the survey so that the post office can get caught up on delayed mail before the survey was sent to avoid delays in responses. We don't anticipate any delays but will accept and count the responses no matter when they are received.

Thanks,
Edna