



# City Council Study Session

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## MINUTES OF THE STUDY SESSION OF THE BRIGHTON CITY COUNCIL HELD ON AUGUST 6, 2020

### **Call to Order**

Mayor Pipoly called the Study Session to order at 6:30 p.m.

### **Roll Call**

Present were Mayor Pipoly and Mayor Pro Tem Gardner, Councilmembers: Bohn, Emaus, Muzzin, and Pettengill. Councilmember Tobbe arrived at 6:48 p.m. City Manager Nate Geinzer, City Clerk Tara Brown, Community Development Manager Mike Caruso, Finance Director Gretchen Gomolka, DPS Director Marcel Goch, Management Assistant Henry Outlaw, Police Chief Rob Bradford, Deputy Police Chief Craig Flood, Attorney Paul Burns, and Attorney Jeff Alber. There were nineteen people in the audience.

### **Call to the Public**

Mayor Pipoly opened the Call to the Public at 6:32 p.m. Hearing and seeing no comment, Mayor Pipoly closed the Call to the Public at 6:32 p.m.

### **Discussion of Social Districts**

City Council and staff discussed new House Bill 5781 signed on July 1, 2020 by Governor Whitmer as well as detailed plans prepared by staff, based on the feedback from the social districts work group, to evaluate the necessity and practical use of social districts should City Council consider implementation for approval. Maps, boundaries, and mandated particulars were discussed with input from the police department and City attorneys. Areas of concern were size of the social district, common areas, defined areas, input from local establishments, and proximity of social district to the Millpond.

### **Discussion on City Liability Insurance Proposals**

Discussion on City Liability Insurance Proposals to be discussed during the regular meeting due to time constraints.

### **CALL TO THE PUBLIC**

Mayor Pipoly opened the Call to the Public at 7:25 p.m. Hearing and seeing no comment, Mayor Pipoly closed the Call to the Public at 7:25 p.m.

### **ADJOURNMENT**

**Motion** by Councilmember Pettengill, seconded by Councilmember Emaus to adjourn the Study Session at 7:25 p.m. **The motion carried without objection by roll call vote.**

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Tara Brown, City Clerk

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Shawn Pipoly, Mayor