



# City of Appleton

100 North Appleton Street  
Appleton, WI 54911-4799  
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## Meeting Minutes - Final Common Council

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Wednesday, April 7, 2021

7:00 PM

Council Chambers

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A. CALL TO ORDER

*The meeting was called to order by Mayor Woodford at 7:05 p.m.*

B. INVOCATION

*The Invocation was offered by Alderperson Fenton*

C. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

D. ROLL CALL OF ALDERPERSONS

**Present:** 15 - Alderperson William Siebers, Alderperson Vered Meltzer, Alderperson Brad Firkus, Alderperson Joe Martin, Alderperson Katie Van Zeeland, Alderperson Denise Fenton, Alderperson Maiyoua Thao, Alderperson Alex Schultz, Alderperson Mike Smith, Alderperson Patti Coenen, Alderperson Nate Wolff, Alderperson Kyle Lobner, Alderperson Joe Prohaska, Alderperson Corey Otis and Mayor Jake Woodford

**Excused:** 1 - Alderperson Matthew Reed

E. ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS AND DEPARTMENT HEADS

F. APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

[21-0355](#)

Common Council Meeting Minutes of March 17, 2021

**Attachments:** [CC Minutes 3-17-21.pdf](#)

**Alderperson Prohaska moved, seconded by Alderperson Otis, that the Minutes be approved. Roll Call. Motion carried by the following vote:**

**Aye:** 14 - Alderperson William Siebers, Alderperson Vered Meltzer, Alderperson Brad Firkus, Alderperson Joe Martin, Alderperson Katie Van Zeeland, Alderperson Denise Fenton, Alderperson Maiyoua Thao, Alderperson Alex Schultz, Alderperson Mike Smith, Alderperson Patti Coenen, Alderperson Nate Wolff, Alderperson Kyle Lobner, Alderperson Joe Prohaska and Alderperson Corey Otis

**Excused:** 1 - Alderperson Matthew Reed

**Abstained:** 1 - Mayor Jake Woodford

## G. BUSINESS PRESENTED BY THE MAYOR

[21-0371](#) Police & Fire Commission Reappointment

**Attachments:** [PFC Reappointment Memo.pdf](#)

**Aldersperson Fenton moved, seconded by Aldersperson Otis, that the Reappointment be approved. Roll Call. Motion carried by the following vote:**

**Aye:** 14 - Aldersperson William Siebers, Aldersperson Vered Meltzer, Aldersperson Brad Firkus, Aldersperson Joe Martin, Aldersperson Katie Van Zeeland, Aldersperson Denise Fenton, Aldersperson Maiyoua Thao, Aldersperson Alex Schultz, Aldersperson Mike Smith, Aldersperson Patti Coenen, Aldersperson Nate Wolff, Aldersperson Kyle Lobner, Aldersperson Joe Prohaska and Aldersperson Corey Otis

**Excused:** 1 - Aldersperson Matthew Reed

**Abstained:** 1 - Mayor Jake Woodford

[21-0306](#) Certificate of Recognition to Sandy Matz, Director of Human Resources

**This Item was presented**

[21-0372](#) Library Week Proclamation

**Attachments:** [Library Week Proclamation.pdf](#)

[21-0373](#) Golden Rule Day Proclamation

**Attachments:** [Golden Rule Day Proclamation.pdf](#)

[21-0374](#) Autism Acceptance Month Proclamation

**Attachments:** [Autism Acceptance Month Proclamation.pdf](#)

[21-0393](#) Public Health Week Proclamation

**Attachments:** [Public Health Week.pdf](#)

[21-0375](#) COVID-19 Update

**Attachments:** [COVID -19 Cases 4-7-21.pdf](#)

H. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

*The following spoke during Public Participation via Zoom:*

*Item 21-0289 (Safety & Licensing):  
Hannah Herzog, 4313 N Windcross Dr  
Christin Schubert, WI Team Lead- Bailing Out Benji*

*Item 21-0310 (City Plan Commission):  
William Kloehn, 1834 Palisades Dr*

*Jennifer Stephany, ADI - Various Street Occupancy Requests*

I. PUBLIC HEARINGS

[21-0302](#) Public Hearing for Rezoning #3-21 at Broadway Hills Estates 1st Addition Annexation from Temporary AG Agricultural District to R-1B Single-Family District.

**Attachments:** [RZ #3-21\\_Notice of Public Hearing.pdf](#)

*The Public Hearing was held, no one spoke during the hearing.*

J. SPECIAL RESOLUTIONS

K. ESTABLISH ORDER OF THE DAY

[21-0289](#) Resolution #3-R-21 Prohibition on Large Scale Commercial Dog and Cat Breeding

**Attachments:** [#3-R-21 Large Scale Dog & Cat Breeding Ord.pdf](#)

**This Report Action Item was referred back to the Safety and Licensing Committee by Alderperson Smith.**

[21-0354](#) Approve Memorandum of Understanding with Bird Rides, Inc to initiate a Dockless, Stand-up Electric Scooter Pilot Program for 2021.

**Attachments:** [Bird Ride Inc.pdf](#)

**Alderperson Firkus moved, seconded by Alderperson Smith, that the MOU be amended at section 5.4.2 to read that electric scooters may not be allowed on the sidewalks along College Avenue between Drew Street & Badger Avenue . Roll Call. Motion carried by the following vote:**

**Aye:** 14 - Alderperson William Siebers, Alderperson Vered Meltzer, Alderperson Brad Firkus, Alderperson Joe Martin, Alderperson Katie Van Zeeland, Alderperson Denise Fenton, Alderperson Maiyoua Thao, Alderperson Matthew Reed, Alderperson Mike Smith, Alderperson Patti Coenen, Alderperson Nate Wolff, Alderperson Kyle Lobner, Alderperson Joe Prohaska and Alderperson Corey Otis

**Nay:** 1 - Alderperson Alex Schultz

**Abstained:** 1 - Mayor Jake Woodford

**Alderperson Prohaska moved, seconded by Alderperson Fenton, that the MOU be approved as amended. Roll Call. Motion carried by the following vote:**

**Aye:** 14 - Alderperson William Siebers, Alderperson Vered Meltzer, Alderperson Brad Firkus, Alderperson Joe Martin, Alderperson Katie Van Zeeland, Alderperson Denise Fenton, Alderperson Maiyoua Thao, Alderperson Alex Schultz, Alderperson Mike Smith, Alderperson Patti Coenen, Alderperson Nate Wolff, Alderperson Kyle Lobner, Alderperson Joe Prohaska and Alderperson Corey Otis

**Excused:** 1 - Alderperson Matthew Reed

**Abstained:** 1 - Mayor Jake Woodford

[21-0344](#)

Approve 15 MPH speed limit designation for the 800 block of W. Washington Street (Story Street to Bennett Street) for a six-month trial period.

**Attachments:** [800 W. Washington St-15 MPH speed limit.pdf](#)

**Alderperson Prohaska moved, seconded by Alderperson Otis, that the Speed Limit designation be approved. Roll Call. Motion carried by the following vote:**

**Aye:** 14 - Alderperson William Siebers, Alderperson Vered Meltzer, Alderperson Brad Firkus, Alderperson Joe Martin, Alderperson Katie Van Zeeland, Alderperson Denise Fenton, Alderperson Maiyoua Thao, Alderperson Alex Schultz, Alderperson Mike Smith, Alderperson Patti Coenen, Alderperson Nate Wolff, Alderperson Kyle Lobner, Alderperson Joe Prohaska and Alderperson Corey Otis

**Excused:** 1 - Alderperson Matthew Reed

**Abstained:** 1 - Mayor Jake Woodford

[21-0336](#)

Operator's License for Michael Alger

**Attachments:** [MichaelAlgerDenial.pdf](#)  
[Michael Alger Application.pdf](#)

**Alderperson Prohaska moved, seconded by Alderperson Fenton, that the Committee's recommendation to deny the license be approved. Roll Call. Motion carried by the following vote:**

**Aye:** 14 - Alderperson William Siebers, Alderperson Vered Meltzer, Alderperson Brad Firkus, Alderperson Joe Martin, Alderperson Katie Van Zeeland, Alderperson Denise Fenton, Alderperson Maiyoua Thao, Alderperson Alex Schultz, Alderperson Mike Smith, Alderperson Patti Coenen, Alderperson Nate Wolff, Alderperson Kyle Lobner, Alderperson Joe Prohaska and Alderperson Corey Otis

**Excused:** 1 - Alderperson Matthew Reed

**Abstained:** 1 - Mayor Jake Woodford

### 21-0310

Detachment of territory from the City of Appleton to the Village of Fox Crossing, per the request of the property owners, Ann Kloehn, William Kloehn and Julie Lapkoff, located at 1834 Palisades Drive (Tax Id #31-4-9003-00, 31-4-9004-00 and 31-4-9005-00)

**Attachments:** [StaffReport Detachment Kloehn WPalisadesDr For3-23-21.pdf](#)

**Alderperson Prohaska moved, seconded by Alderperson Otis, that the Detachment of territory be approved. Roll Call. Motion carried by the following vote:**

**Aye:** 14 - Alderperson William Siebers, Alderperson Vered Meltzer, Alderperson Brad Firkus, Alderperson Joe Martin, Alderperson Katie Van Zeeland, Alderperson Denise Fenton, Alderperson Maiyoua Thao, Alderperson Alex Schultz, Alderperson Mike Smith, Alderperson Patti Coenen, Alderperson Nate Wolff, Alderperson Kyle Lobner, Alderperson Joe Prohaska and Alderperson Corey Otis

**Excused:** 1 - Alderperson Matthew Reed

**Abstained:** 1 - Mayor Jake Woodford

## L. COMMITTEE REPORTS

### **Balance of the action items on the agenda.**

**Alderperson Prohaska moved, Alderperson Otis seconded, to approve the balance of the agenda. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Aye:** 14 - Alderperson William Siebers, Alderperson Vered Meltzer, Alderperson Brad Firkus, Alderperson Joe Martin, Alderperson Katie Van Zeeland, Alderperson Denise Fenton, Alderperson Maiyoua Thao, Alderperson Alex Schultz, Alderperson Mike Smith, Alderperson Patti Coenen, Alderperson Nate Wolff, Alderperson Kyle Lobner, Alderperson Joe Prohaska and Alderperson Corey Otis

**Excused:** 1 - Alderperson Matthew Reed

**Abstained:** 1 - Mayor Jake Woodford

## 1. MINUTES OF THE MUNICIPAL SERVICES COMMITTEE

[21-0340](#) Approve State/Municipal Financial Agreement for improvements to the CTH CE eastbound right turn lane as part of the WIS441 Improvement Project.

**Attachments:** [CTH CE to WIS 441.pdf](#)

**This Report Action Item was approved.**

[21-0341](#) Approve Three Party Design Contract with the State of Wisconsin Department of Transportation and EXP US Services, Inc. for the design of the Olde Oneida Street Bridge over the South Mill Race in an amount not to exceed \$259,800 (City share \$52,960).

**Attachments:** [Olde Oneida St Bridge-South Mill Race.pdf](#)

**This Report Action Item was approved.**

[21-0342](#) Approve Amendment No. 2 to Collins Engineers for Bridge Maintenance Design of the Lawe Street and Pacific Street Bridges in the amount of \$2,826 for a total revised not to exceed contract of \$61,303.80.

**Attachments:** [Bridge Maint. Design-Lawe St and Pacific St..pdf](#)

**This Report Action Item was approved.**

[21-0343](#) Approve parking restriction change on the 100 block of S. Morrison Street(Follow-up to Six-Month Trial Period).

**Attachments:** [Parking restrictions S. Morrison St.pdf](#)

**This Report Action Item was approved.**

[21-0345](#) Approve Intergovernmental Agreement with the Town of Grand Chute for the Apple Creek Court Resurfacing Project.

**Attachments:** [Town of Grand Chute-Apple Creek Court.pdf](#)

**This Report Action Item was approved.**

[21-0346](#) Request from Appleton Downtown Inc. for a street occupancy permit for Garden Art, May 21-23, 2021, in the College Avenue planters between Drew Street and Badger Avenue.

**Attachments:** [ADI-Garden Art May 21-23, 2021.pdf](#)

**This Report Action Item was approved.**

[21-0347](#)

Request from Appleton Downtown Inc. for a street occupancy permit for Artful Chairs, June 18-20, 2021, in the College Avenue beautification strip between Drew Street and Badger Avenue.

**Attachments:** [ADI-Artful Chairs June 18-20, 2021.pdf](#)

**This Report Action Item was approved.**

[21-0348](#)

Request from Appleton Downtown Inc. for a street occupancy permit for Chalk Walk, July 16-18, 2021, in the sidewalk area between Drew Street and Richmond Street.

**This Report Action Item was approved.**

[21-0349](#)

Request from Appleton Downtown Inc. for a street occupancy permit for Paint Out, August 20, 2021, in the College Avenue beautification strip between Drew Street and Badger Avenue.

**Attachments:** [ADI-Paint out August 20, 2021.pdf](#)

**This Report Action Item was approved.**

## 2. MINUTES OF THE SAFETY AND LICENSING COMMITTEE

[21-0305](#)

Class "A" Beer and "Class A" Liquor License application for Appleton Liquor LLC d/b/a Appleton Liquor, Heidi Guta, Agent, located at 2727 N Meade St, contingent upon approval from all departments.

**Attachments:** [Appleton Liquor.pdf](#)

**This Report Action Item was approved.**

[21-0315](#)

Class "B" Beer and "Class B" Liquor License application for C Solutions 200 LLC d/b/a Uptown Chicken and Waffles, Sarah P Powell, Agent, located at 823 W College Ave, contingent upon approval from all departments.

**Attachments:** [Uptown Chicken & Waffles.pdf](#)

**This Report Action Item was approved.**

[21-0331](#)

Class "B" Beer and "Class B" Liquor License Change of Agent application for Old Bavarian Brau Haus Inc, d/b/a OB's Brau Haus, Christopher A Nelis, New Agent, located at 523 W College Ave, contingent upon approval from Appleton Police Department.

**Attachments:** [Christopher A Nelis S&L.pdf](#)

**This Report Action Item was approved.**

[21-0338](#)

Request from the Appleton Fire Department to update Section 6-56(b) of the city ordinance.

**Attachments:** [Changes to Sec 6-56\(b\).pdf](#)  
[2018 IFC adoption memo.pdf](#)  
[UPDATE 3-25-21 2018 IFC adoption memo.doc](#)

**This Report Action Item was approved.**

### 3. MINUTES OF THE CITY PLAN COMMISSION

[21-0244](#)

Request to approve Rezoning #3-21 to rezone the First Addition to Broadway Hills Estates Annexation (Tax Id #31-1-9210-14), formerly part of Town of Freedom, generally located approximately 1,400 feet north of the intersection of French Road and Broadway Drive, on the west side of French Road, including to the centerline of existing adjacent right-of-way, as shown on the attached maps, from Temporary AG Agricultural District to R-1B Single-Family District

**Attachments:** [StaffReport Rezoning 1stAddBroadwayHillsEstAnnex For3-9-21.pdf](#)

**This Report Action Item was approved.**

[21-0245](#)

Request to approve the First Addition to Broadway Hills Estates Preliminary Plat as shown on the attached maps and subject to the conditions in the attached staff report

**Attachments:** [StaffReport PrePlat 1stAddBroadwayHillsEstates For3-9-21.pdf](#)

**This Report Action Item was approved.**

### 4. MINUTES OF THE PARKS AND RECREATION COMMITTEE



[21-0316](#)

Action Item: Award the City of Appleton's "2021 Linwood Park Playground Equipment Project" contract to Lee Recreation, LLC in an amount not to exceed \$85,000

**Attachments:** [2021 Linwood Playground Parks and Rec. Comittee Memo.docx](#)

This Report Action Item was approved.

## 5. MINUTES OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

[21-0322](#)

Request to approve the following 2020 Budget amendments:

**Community Development Block Grant Fund**

Federal Grant	+\$ 56,549
Grant Payments	+\$ 56,549

to record federal funds received for COVID-19 mitigation (2/3 vote of Council required)

**Emergency Shelter Grant (ESG) Fund**

State Aids	+\$100,636
Grant Payments	+\$ 94,740
Salaries	+\$ 4,200
Fringe Benefits	+\$ 1,696

to record State funds received for COVID-19 mitigation (2/3 vote of Council required)

**Police Grants Fund**

Federal Grant	+\$ 56,620
Miscellaneous Supplies	+\$ 56,620

to record State funds received for COVID-19 mitigation (2/3 vote of Council required)

**Housing Rehabilitation Loan Fund**

Federal Grant	+\$ 51,452
Project Repayments	+\$ 34,058
Grant Payments	+\$ 66,190
Salaries	+\$ 15,220
Fringe Benefits	+\$ 4,100

to record additional funds received in 2020 in the Housing Rehab Loan program (2/3 vote of Council required)

**Police Grants Fund**

Federal Grant	+\$ 2,739
State Aids	+\$100,651
Overtime Wages	+\$ 63,395
Miscellaneous Equipment	+\$ 33,995
Other Contracts/Obligations	+\$ 6,000

to record additional Police grant funds received in 2020 (2/3 vote of Council required)

**Wheel Tax Fund**

Wheel Tax Proceeds	+ \$ 16,329
Transfer Out - General Fund	+\$ 16,329

to record Wheel Tax proceeds above budget amount (2/3 vote of Council required)

**TIF 6 Capital Projects Fund**

Other Contracts/Obligations	+\$ 72,967
Fund Balance	+\$ 72,967

to record additional cost of developer incentive payments (2/3 vote of Council required)

**TIF 8 Capital Projects Fund**

Other Contracts/Obligations	+\$ 47,445
Fund Balance	+\$ 47,445

to record additional cost of developer incentive payments (2/3 vote of Council required)

**General Fund - Finance Department**

Salaries	+\$ 6,675
Wage Reserve	+\$ 6,675

to record transfer of wage reserve funds (2/3 vote of Council required)

**General Fund - Information Technology Department**

Salaries	+\$ 7,730
Wage Reserve	+\$ 7,730

to record transfer of wage reserve funds (2/3 vote of Council required)

**Attachments:** [2020 Final Budget adjustments .pdf](#)

**This Report Action Item was approved.**

[21-0324](#)

Request to approve the 2020-2021 Budget carryover appropriations:

1. Items not under contract \$9,110,803
2. Items requesting Special Consideration \$500,471  
(2/3 vote of Council required)

**Attachments:** [Not under Contract 2020-2021 Carryover.pdf](#)  
[Special Consideration 2020-2021 Carryover.pdf](#)

**This Report Action Item was approved.**

[21-0326](#)

Request to award the City of Appleton's 2021 Pierce Park Lighting Upgrades Phase 2 Project contract to Elmstar Electric Corp in the amount of \$113,679 with a contingency of 10% for a project total not to exceed \$125,046

**Attachments:** [2021 Pierce Park Lighting upgrades Phase 2.pdf](#)

This Report Action Item was approved.

**6. MINUTES OF THE COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE**

**7. MINUTES OF THE UTILITIES COMMITTEE**

[21-0313](#)

Anticipated award for Unit N-21, Spot Repairs, Protruding Tap and Mineral Deposit Removal (bids to be opened Monday, March 22, 2021).

**Attachments:** [Unit N-21.pdf](#)

This Report Action Item was approved as amended in Committee.

**8. MINUTES OF THE HUMAN RESOURCES & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE**

**9. MINUTES OF THE FOX CITIES TRANSIT COMMISSION**

**10. MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH**

**M. CONSOLIDATED ACTION ITEMS**

**N. ITEMS HELD**

**O. ORDINANCES**

[21-0356](#)

Ordinance #8-21 (Kloehn Detachment of Territory), Ordinance #9-21, and Ordinance #10-21

**Attachments:** [Ordinances going to Council 4-7-21.pdf](#)

**Aldersperson Coenen moved, seconded by Aldersperson Otis, that the Ordinances be approved. Roll Call. Motion carried by the following vote:**

**Aye:** 14 - Aldersperson William Siebers, Aldersperson Vered Meltzer, Aldersperson Brad Firkus, Aldersperson Joe Martin, Aldersperson Katie Van Zeeland, Aldersperson Denise Fenton, Aldersperson Maiyoua Thao, Aldersperson Alex Schultz, Aldersperson Mike Smith, Aldersperson Patti Coenen, Aldersperson Nate Wolff, Aldersperson Kyle Lobner, Aldersperson Joe Prohaska and Aldersperson Corey Otis

**Excused:** 1 - Alderperson Matthew Reed

**Abstained:** 1 - Mayor Jake Woodford

P. LICENSE APPLICATIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS REFERRED TO  
COMMITTEES OF JURISDICTION

Q. RESOLUTIONS SUBMITTED BY ALDERPERSONS REFERRED TO COMMITTEES OF JURISDICTION

#5-R-21

*Political Signs on City-Owned Property*

*Date: April 7, 2021*

*Submitted By: Alderperson Lobner – District 13*

*Referred To: Finance Committee*

*WHEREAS municipal governments are responsible for administering local elections and must remain neutral in that process.*

*AND WHEREAS political signs posted on municipal property may create the impression that the municipality is not neutral in the election process.*

*THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that political signs shall not be posted on any city-owned property, including property leased from the city.*

*Resolution #6-R-21*

*RESOLUTION CONDEMNING XENOPHOBIA, RACISM, AND VIOLENCE AGAINST THE ASIAN PACIFIC ISLANDER DESIAMERICAN (APIDA) COMMUNITY.*

*Date: April 7, 2021*

*Submitted By: Ald. Thao – District 7, Ald. Meltzer – District 2, Ald. Van Zeeland – District 5, Ald. Fenton – District 6, Ald. Schultz – District 9, Ald. Wolff – District 12*

*Referred To: Safety & Licensing Committee*

*WHEREAS, 23 million Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders account for 7 percent of the population in the United States; and*

*WHEREAS, anti-Asian racism and hate are not new and have a long history in the United States; and*

*WHEREAS, Asian Americans have far too long been the target of xenophobic policies, labor exploitation, hate crimes, and systemic racism in the United States; and WHEREAS, the use of anti-Asian rhetoric, especially as it intensified this past year, has resulted in Asian Americans being harassed, assaulted, and scapegoated for the COVID-19 pandemic; and*

*WHEREAS, the Center for the Study of Hate and Extremism has found that anti-Asian hate crime in the 16 largest cities in the U.S. increased nearly 150% in 2020; and WHEREAS, according to the Stop AAPI Hate reporting center, nearly 4,000 hate incidents directed at AAPIs were reported between March 2020 and February 2021; and*

*WHEREAS, in the last year, Asian American and Pacific Islander women made up 68 percent of the 3,800 incidents against Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders; and WHEREAS, since the start of year 2021, there has been a surge in anti-Asian attacks targeting elderly Asian Americans; and*

*WHEREAS, the World Health Organization (WHO) and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) recognize that naming COVID-19 by its geographic location or linking it to a specific ethnicity perpetuates stigma; and*

*WHEREAS, this modern form of discrimination falls within a long-established historical pattern of scapegoating or characterizing Asians as foreign, invasive threats, or as “the other” that has contributed to demonstrated negative health effects in our AAPI communities; and*

*WHEREAS, the use of anti-Asian terminology and rhetoric related to COVID-19, such as the “Chinese Virus”, “Wuhan Virus”, and “Kung-flu” have perpetuated anti-Asian stigma; and*

*WHEREAS, no one should live in fear in our communities across Wisconsin and the United States; and*  
*WHEREAS, the City's AAPI residents are valued contributors to the City's workforce, economy, and political representation; and*  
*WHEREAS, in Appleton, our thriving AAPI community is a major proportion of all of our residents and a thriving diverse community that spans languages, nationalities, ethnicities, cultures and more; and*  
*WHEREAS, Mayor Jake Woodford and Appleton Police Department Chief Todd Thomas recently announced that "hate has no home" in Appleton and they stand with the AAPI community in condemning all acts of discrimination and violence; and*  
*NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Appleton Common Council that the City of Appleton condemns violence of all forms against the APIDA community.*  
*BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Appleton Common Council condemns all acts of racism, xenophobia, sexism, gender-based violence, discrimination, anti-Asian bias, scapegoating, and ethnic or religious intolerance.*  
*BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Appleton Common Council encourages leaders at all levels to recommit the United States to serve as a world leader in building more inclusive, diverse, and tolerant communities.*  
*BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Appleton Common Council encourages the Attorney General to work with State and local agencies and Asian American and Pacific Islander community-based organizations to prevent discrimination and expand culturally competent and linguistically appropriate education campaigns on public reporting of hate crimes.*  
*BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Appleton Common Council recognizes the City of Appleton Police Department in its continuing work with local agencies and Asian American and Pacific Islander community-based organizations to prevent discrimination, expand culturally competent and linguistically appropriate education campaigns on public reporting of hate crimes, and build intentional relationships with the diverse communities.*  
*BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Appleton Common Council encourages everyone to condemn anti-Asian bias, read, learn, and seek opportunities to experience cultures other than their own, review their practices that may create barriers or contribute to systemic racism, and in these ways and others seek to become a more welcoming, inclusive, anti-racist community.*

## R. OTHER COUNCIL BUSINESS

[21-0376](#)

Aldersperson Send-Off

*The following Alders were recognized for their service on the Council:*

*Aldersperson Coenen - District 11*

*Aldersperson Lobner - District 13*

*Aldersperson Otis - District 15*

## S. ADJOURN

**Aldersperson Lobner moved, seconded by Aldersperson Coenen, that the meeting be adjourned at 8:54 p.m. Roll Call. Motion carried by the following vote:**

**Aye:** 13 - Alderperson William Siebers, Alderperson Vered Meltzer, Alderperson Brad Firkus, Alderperson Joe Martin, Alderperson Katie Van Zeeland, Alderperson Denise Fenton, Alderperson Maiyoua Thao, Alderperson Alex Schultz, Alderperson Patti Coenen, Alderperson Nate Wolff, Alderperson Kyle Lobner, Alderperson Joe Prohaska and Alderperson Corey Otis

**Nay:** 1 - Alderperson Mike Smith

**Excused:** 1 - Alderperson Matthew Reed

**Abstained:** 1 - Mayor Jake Woodford

Kami Lynch, City Clerk