



AMENDED
CITY OF STURGEON BAY COMMON COUNCIL AGENDA
TUESDAY, JANUARY 19, 2021
6:00 P.M.
COUNCIL CHAMBERS, CITY HALL – 421 MICHIGAN ST
DAVID J. WARD, MAYOR

1. Call to order.
2. Pledge of Allegiance.
3. Roll call.
4. Adoption of agenda.
5. Public Comment on agenda items only.
6. Consideration of the following bills: General Fund – \$128,515.52, Capital Fund - \$46,854.50, Cable TV - \$40.01, TID #4 – \$86,744.97, and Solid Waste Enterprise Fund - \$18,096.62 for a grand total of \$280,251.62. [roll call]
7. **CONSENT AGENDA**
 - * All items listed with an asterisk (*) are considered routine and will be enacted by one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items unless a Council member requests before the Adoption of the Agenda, in which event the item will be removed from the Consent Agenda and considered immediately following the consent agenda.
 - * a. Approval of 1/5/21 regular Common Council minutes.
 - * b. Place the following minutes on file:
 - (1) Community Protection & Services Committee – 11/5/20
 - (2) Police & Fire Commission – 12/14/20
 - (3) Finance/Purchasing & Building Committee – 12/29/20
 - (4) Personnel Committee – 1/8/21
 - * c. Place the following reports on file:
 - (1) Inspection Department Report – December 2020
 - (2) Fire Department Report – December 2020
 - * d. Finance/Purchasing & Building Committee recommendation re: Approve purchase of two 2021 Ford Explorer Police Vehicles from Jim Olson Ford, Lincoln in the amount of \$66,676.00 plus DMV fees.
 - * e. Finance/Purchasing & Building Committee recommendation re: Direct staff to prepare a RFP and interview questions for City Attorney.
 - * f. Personnel Committee recommendation re: Extend provision in FFCA to continue paid sick leave benefits for employees up to 80 hours of Emergency Paid Sick Leave for COVID-related reasons as stated in the Family First Compliance Policy until March 31, 2021.
8. Mayoral Appointments.

9. Resolution Combining Polling Locations for February 2021 Primary.
- 9a. *Consideration of: Endorsement of Marine Highway Project Designation.*
10. City Administrator report.
11. Mayor's report
12. Adjourn.

NOTE: DEVIATION FROM THE AGENDA ORDER SHOWN MAY OCCUR.

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Date: 1-18-2021

Time: 11:00am

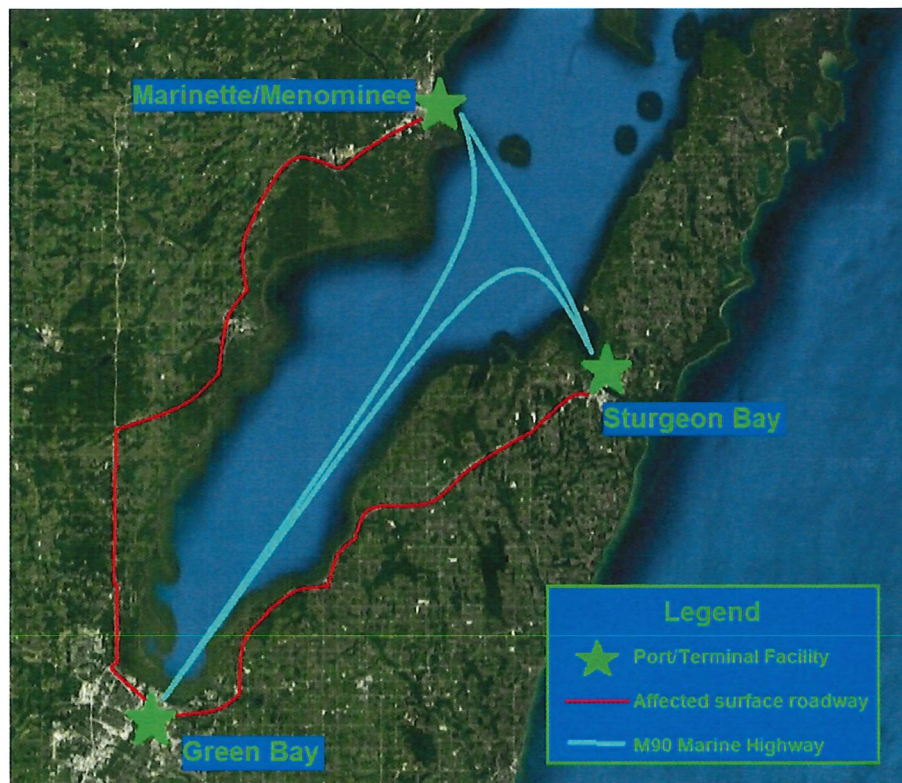
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M-90 Transbay Freight Service Project

At least one major shipper in the Northeast Wisconsin region has identified increasing levels of freight that can be shipped via marine transportation across the Bay of Green Bay, instead of over the surface road network. This potential cargo movement opens up opportunities to secure public benefits of reduced roadway congestion, decreased wear and tear on roads and bridges, decreased risk of large truck safety incidents, and a more resilient and sustainable regional transportation system.

This innovative service as contemplated is a true public-private partnership. It involves a private vessel operator and privately-operated waterfront loading/unloading facilities. The benefits of the service accrue to both the public and the primary shipper, Fincantieri Marine Group (FMG), which operates at the three sites identified in the map below.



The US Secretary of Transportation has designated the [M-90 Marine Highway Route](#) throughout the Great Lakes as a route on which marine freight services such as this one can develop, with federal support. To qualify for further federal support, the planned service itself must be first designated by the US Secretary of Transportation. This process, called '[project/service designation](#)', requires a public agency applicant to provide details of the planned service, as well as analysis of the potential benefits. FMG is seeking appropriate partnerships for this service. The next deadline for applying for a federal project/service designation is January 31, 2021.

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(a) Establishment.—

The Secretary of Transportation shall establish a short sea transportation program and designate short sea transportation projects to be conducted under the program to mitigate landside congestion or to promote short sea transportation.

New law (should be enacted in the next week):

(a) Establishment.—

The Secretary of Transportation shall establish a short sea transportation program and designate short sea transportation projects to be conducted under the program to provide a coordinated and capable alternative to landside transportation or to promote marine highway transportation.