

Agenda

City Council Work Session

Monday, April 20, 2020

7:30 P.M.

Meeting being held via Zoom

Note: Due to the NYS Public Health State of Emergency, the meeting will be held via Zoom and will be streamed live at www.jamestownny.net/live. Any public comment may be submitted in writing by 5:00 pm the day before the meeting via USPS mail or email to clerk@cityofjamestownny.com

Call to Order

Public Comment

Report of Committees

Finance

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- One (1) Personal Computer Specialist (Funded in the 2020 General Fund Budget).
- This position is vacant due to a disability retirement.

3. RESOLVED, that the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized to execute Change Order #1 to the **2019 Sidewalk Ramps Phase 1** contract with R. Patti Concrete Excavating, LLC, PO Box 3081, Jamestown, NY 14702 to include changes as follows:

ADD 943.5 SF Flat Work: 6 inch at \$17.50/SF
 1889 SF Flat Work: 4 inch at \$17.00/SF
 194.5 LF Curb and Gutter at \$55.00/LF
 327 SF Cast Iron Detectable warning plates at \$48.00/SF
 2 Traffic Manhole Reset at \$1,700.00/EA
 122.5 SF Remove Concrete, Backfill, Landscape at \$7.00/SF

for a total increase of Seventy Nine Thousand Two Hundred Seventy Five Dollars and Twenty Five Cents (\$79,275.25) subject to the approval of Corporation Counsel as to form.

Items for Discussion

- 2019 General Fund Year End Summary.
- 2020 First Quarter Summary.

Housing

- Discussion on the impact of the pandemic on rents not being paid and the hold on evictions.
- Discussion on the conference call on the Gateway Lofts project.

Public Safety

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Remarks by the Mayor

New Business

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Executive Session