

CITY OF SHEBOYGAN

REQUEST FOR PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE CONSIDERATION

ITEM DESCRIPTION: An ordinance amending Sec 60-131 of the 2023 Sheboygan Municipal Code (1997 Code sec. 134-181) so as to prohibit use of the city-owned boat launches during the Mercury Midwest Challenge Event.

REPORT PREPARED BY: Michael Willmas, Superintendent of Facilities and Traffic

REPORT DATE: June 20, 2023

MEETING DATE: June 27, 2023

FISCAL SUMMARY:

Budget Line Item: N/A
Budget Summary: N/A
Budget: N/A
Expenditure:
Budgeted Revenue: N/A

STATUTORY REFERENCE:

Wisconsin: N/A
Statutes:
Municipal Code: Sec. 60-131

BACKGROUND / ANALYSIS: Mercury Racing, a division of Mercury Marine and Brunswick Corporation, has chosen Sheboygan, WI and its port on Lake Michigan to host their Mercury Midwest Challenge Event powerboat race. The City of Sheboygan is honored to be hosting and celebrating Mercury Racing's 50th Anniversary. This event will be held over three days, but will require four additional days for set-up and breakdown.

STAFF COMMENTS: Department of Public Works is requesting additional days, August 8, 9, 10, and 14, 2023 for set-up and breakdown of the special event. During this time period, August 8-14, 2023, the parking lots and boat launches will be restricted to the public for safety concerns.

ACTION REQUESTED: Motion to recommend the Common Council adopt as amended Gen. Ord. No. 8-23-24 amending Section 60-131 of the 2023 Sheboygan Municipal Code (1997 Code sec. 134-181) so as to prohibit use of the city-owned boat launches during the Mercury Midwest Challenge Event.

ATTACHMENTS:

- I. Ord. No. 8-23-24