

# Cutsinger Rezoning Request Is Tabled

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 property owner Jennifer Griffin, who also attended the meeting Wednesday, "I'm interested in the continuity of my neighborhood."

In other matters, Council accepted a letter from resident Lois Geraldine Wellington, who wrote of her frustration in getting a handicapped taxi for transportation and asking that the city take responsibility to ensure that handicapped residents and visitors are accommodated.

"In view of the economy and reduced tourism, I think the City should not ignore any segment of its visitors or year round population," Mrs. Wellington wrote in her letter.

Council said it would pass her letter to Mackinac Island Carriage Tours.

Council approved Mackinac

Arts Council's request for the temporary use Windermere Point, the Iroquois Hotel, The Gate House, and Mission Point Resort for its 2007 Mackinac Music Festival from August 21 to 23.

A temporary motor vehicle permit was given to Grand Hotel to remove artwork from the hotel by truck between September 23 and 25.

A seasonal overhang permit was given to Emily Fullerton to place an awning over the entrance to The Jaunting Cart on Market Street.

Mayoral assistant Kelly Bean was authorized to purchase a laptop computer to aid her in correspondence, reports, and note-taking at committee and council meetings. The city has allowed for the purchase in this year's budget.

Council will meet again Wednesday, August 29, at 6 p.m. on the second floor of Community Hall.

## Youth Camp Spots Available

Space is available at Angels Among Us Youth Camp, a camp serving foster children and youths ages seven to 17 who have lost a parent. Located on Lake Michigan, near Epoufette, Angels Among Us will offer children a chance to enjoy the outdoors from 8 a.m., Tuesday, August 21, through 6 p.m., Friday, August 24. Positions are also available for volunteers.

The program was developed by conservation officer Kellie Nightlinger, who also owns U.P. Wide Adventure Guide.

The camp is free for children in financial need, and \$200 for others, she said.

Activities will include kayaking, exploring caves, snorkeling near shipwrecks, backpacking, learning wilderness survival skills, and field trips to Lake Superior. Youths will also take part in games, crafts, and team-building exercises.

For more information about the camp, call Miss Nightlinger at (906) 430-0547.

# Game Raises Funds for Scholarship

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 leading up to the game. Mr. St. Onge said that there was even a little bit of trash talking between the departments leading up to the contest.

"There was a little bit," he said. "I sustained some last night and I just took it. I didn't say anything because I was kind of scared going into this year, they were practicing."

Other festivities throughout the evening included raffles, a 50/50 drawing, a cookout, and a golf chipping contest. All proceeds from the event went to benefit the Mark Gallagher Scholarship Fund to support Mackinac Island Public School graduates studying criminal justice. The fund's namesake died of cancer while studying law enforcement. The event raised about \$1,300 for the fund, which is endowed with the Mackinac



**Hoses pitcher Jason St. Onge begins his windup Sunday, August 12, at Great Turtle Park.**

Island Community Foundation.

## Family Takes First Place in Pairs Contest

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get more people next year, because it's a wonderful event."

"This was my first year riding in the event, and it was fun," Ms. Brodeur said. "The time felt good. We kept a steady pace and pretty much did a walk trot speed the entire time, so it seemed to work out

well for us."

Her daughter agreed. "It felt really good to win it," she said. "There were trails that we rode on that I haven't been on before, so it was fun. We knew it was going to be a trail ride, so we tried to pace ourselves as best we could and we ended up getting two minutes away from the ideal time."

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