

A regular meeting of the Bad Axe City Council was called to order at 6:30 p.m. on Monday, June 6, 2022, by Council Member Peterson.

ROLL CALL

Present: Council Members: Peterson, McKimmy, Glaza, Rochefort, Harrison.
 Absent: Mayor Particka, Council Member Perez.
 Staff: City Manager, Robert Stiverson, City Clerk, Rebecca Bachman.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion by Rochefort second by Glaza to approve the May 16, 2022 Regular Meeting Minutes.

Voice vote: all voting aye

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Ed Tschirhart, with East Side Tire, addressed the Council with two complaints.

1. East Side Tire is constantly told they need to come up with a plan not to work out on the sidewalk, and Ed stated two other businesses in town that are blocking the sidewalk. What is fair for one should be fair for all.
2. There was a quote prepared for the City of Bad Axe for tires from East Side Tire, and another Company was used, even though the other Company's quote was higher.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. Public Hearing on the 2022-23 Fiscal Year Budget.
2. Discussion and Questions pertaining to the 2022-23 Fiscal Year Budget.

-Major discussion points were the \$10.00 increase in Utility Bills, 2% wage increase along with a 1 time bonus, and the City Treasurer's position getting benefits. These were all discussed at length and will go for Council Approval on June 20, 2022.

3. Motion by Rochefort second by Harrison to approve the 2022-23 Recommended Fiscal Year Budget.

AYES: Peterson, Glaza, Harrison, McKimmy, Rochefort.
 NO: None.

4. Motion by Rochefort second by Glaza to approve the Resolution to submit for MDOT Transportation Economic Development Fund Category B Program.

AYES: McKimmy, Rochefort, Glaza, Peterson, Harrison.
 NO: None.

5. Motion by Rochefort second by Harrison to approve the MML Liability and Property Pool Insurance for the City of Bad Axe, in the amount of \$60,443.00.

AYES: Peterson, Rochefort, Glaza, Harrison, McKimmy.
NO: None.

6. Motion by Peterson second by Rochefort to approve the renewal of the MML Workers' Comp Fund for the City of Bad Axe, in the amount of \$10,755.00.

AYES: Glaza, Rochefort, Harrison, Peterson, McKimmy.
NO: None.

7. Motion by Rochefort second by Harrison to approve the purchase of (3) AEDs, for the Police Department, in the amount of \$7,245.94.

AYES: Harrison, Peterson, Rochefort, Glaza, McKimmy.
NO: None.

8. Motion by Harrison second by Glaza to sell the 2010 Ford F150 as is.

AYES: Rochefort, Harrison, Glaza, Peterson, McKimmy.
NO: None.

9. Motion by Peterson second by Rochefort to approve filling in the ditch in from of Wilcox Park, in an amount not to exceed \$2,500.00.

AYES: Harrison, Peterson, Glaza, Rochefort, McKimmy.
NO: None.

10. Discussed the purchase options of a new fire truck. Council will be made aware of the plans as they develop.

11. Motion by Glaza second by Harrison to recommend payment of bills in the amount of \$166,917.97.

-May 17, 2022
-May 24, 2022
-June 1, 2022

AYES: Peterson, McKimmy, Rochefort, Glaza, Harrison.
NO: None.

Committee Reports

Mayor and Council Comments

ADJOURNMENT

Motion by Peterson second by McKimmy to adjourn at 7:38 p.m.
Voice vote: all voting aye, motion carried.

Richard Peterson, Council Member

Rebecca Bachman, City Clerk