

A regular meeting of the Bad Axe City Council was called to order at 6:30 p.m. on Monday, April 1, 2024, by Particka.

ROLL CALL

Present: Mayor Particka, Council Members: Glaza, Peterson, McKimmy, Harrison, Rochefort, Perez.
 Absent: None.
 Staff: City Manager Bachman, City Clerk, Zagorski.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion by Harrison second by Glaza to approve the March 18, 2024, Regular Meeting Minutes.

Voice vote: all voting aye, motion carried.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Lynette Beeler spoke about the debilitating effects that Marijuana has on people. She stated that she believes that it will create more problems like car accidents, fatalities with driving, which she believes will create more of a police presence which will cost the city more money.

Jesse Klaska also spoke regarding the Marijuana Ordinance. He is also not in favor of the Ordinance. He stated that all the people that he has spoken to are not in favor of Marijuana establishments coming to Bad Axe. He asked the Council, 1. Why is there an interest in bringing Marijuana establishments into the area? 2. List one good thing that Marijuana would bring to this area.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. Public Hearing- Marijuana Ordinance.
2. Discuss E. South Street- Crosswalk addition and speed limit.
 -Additional crosswalk to the baseball fields. (Behind China King to the ballfields.)
 -Reduce the speed limit to 15 MPH.
3. Motion by Harrison second by Rochefort to set up a speed trailer on E. South Street.

Voice vote: all voting aye, motion carried.

Recommendations from Finance Committee

1. Motion by Perez second by Harrison to recommend payment of bills in the amount of \$4,593.41.
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AYES: Harrison, McKimmy, Peterson, Glaza, Perez, Rochefort, Particka.
 No: None.

Mayor and Council Comments

-Mayor Particka wanted to remind everyone that the intersection of M-142 and M-19 is now a 4 way stop.

Council Information

1. Public Safety Committee Minutes for March 18, 2024.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion by Particka second by Rochefort to adjourn at 6:54 p.m.

Voice vote: all voting aye, motion carried.

Kathleen Particka, Mayor

Tara Zagorski, City Clerk