

A regular meeting of the Bad Axe City Council was called to order at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, August 3, 2015 by Mayor Jim Hicks.

ROLL CALL

Present: Mayor Jim Hicks; Council members: Bridson, Hall, Particka, Perez and Peterson.
 Absent: Rochefort.
 Staff Present: City Manager, Dale VanDeVusse, Kay Goebel, Clerk.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion by Particka second by Bridson to approve the minutes from the July 20, 2015 public hearing and regular meeting minutes. Voice vote: all voting aye, motion carried.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

None.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. Motion by Hall second by Bridson to approve Change Order No. 1 for \$4,227.40 for Heisterman Street Parking Lot to Nicol & Sons, Inc.

AYES: Perez, Hall, Bridson, Hicks, Peterson.
 NO: Particka

2. Motion by Particka second by Perez to approve Contractor's Application for Payment No. 2 for \$100,862.92; Heisterman St. Parking Lot to Nicol & Sons, Inc.

AYES: Hall, Hicks, Peterson, Perez, Particka, Bridson.
 NO: None.

3. Motion by Perez second by Bridson to approve Change Order No. 2 for \$1,650.20 for Maple St. Sanitary Sewer Reconstruction to Nicol & Sons, Inc.

AYES: Bridson, Hall, Perez, Hicks, Peterson.
 NO: Particka.

4. Motion by Particka second by Perez to approve Contractor's Application for Payment No. 2 for \$22,608.05 for Maple St. Sanitary Sewer Reconstruction to Nicol & Sons Inc.

AYES: Peterson, Perez, Bridson, Hicks, Hall, Particka.
 NO: None.

5. Payment of bills.

Motion by Particka, second by Perez to approve payment of bills in the amount of \$255,944.20.

AYES: Hicks, Perez, Peterson, Hall, Particka, Bridson.
 NO: None.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Chief Dave Rothe reported that \$3,470.00 was raised at the June 17th golf outing to be used for technology purchases. He thanked the many corporate countywide sponsors.

MAYOR AND COUNCIL COMMENTS

Councilman Peterson inquired the status of the complaint filed by the resident of 221 S. Silver St. at the July 6th council meeting. City Manager VanDeVusse stated that it had been turned over to the Code Enforcement Officer.

Councilman Hall requested the distribution of the PASER street report.

Clerk Goebel reported the individuals who filed nominating petitions received by the deadline of July 21, 2015 for the General Election to be held Tuesday, November 3, 2015:

One (1) Mayoral Seat Two-Year Term

Jim Hicks

Three (3) Council Seats Four-Year Term

Nicholas A. Rochefort

Kathleen A. Particka

Richard S. Peterson

One (1) Council Seat Unexpired term ending Dec. 31, 2017

No filings received

Residents interested in filing as a write-in candidate for any of the seats must file a Declaration of Intent form by October 23, 2015 by 4:00 p.m. Forms are available at the City Clerk's office.

Mayor Hicks commended the Hatchet Festival Committee on the recent events held in the city. He also stated that the committee meets Wednesday's at The Backstreet Quilt Shop.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion by Bridson second by Particka to adjourn at 7:46 p.m. Voice vote: all voting aye, motion carried.

Jim Hicks, Mayor

Kay M. Goebel, Clerk