

A regular meeting of the Bad Axe City Council was called to order at 7:35 p.m. on Monday April 17, 2017 by Mayor Jim Hicks.

### **ROLL CALL**

Present: Mayor Jim Hicks; Council members: Particka, Perez, Peterson and  
Bridson  
Absent: Hall and Rochefort  
Staff: City Manager, VanDeVusse, Deputy Clerk Carriveau

### **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Motion by Particka second by Bridson to approve the April 03, 2017 Regular meeting minutes.  
Voice vote: all voting aye

### **PUBLIC COMMENTS.**

Virginia Jias Central Huron Ambulance rep for the City of Bad Axe addressed council on the reason the Subsidy was raised due to a number of increased expenses.

### **ORDER OF BUSINESS**

1. Motion by Particka second by Peterson to appoint City Clerk Becky Bachman.

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

2. Motion by Peterson second by Bridson to approve Resolution 2017-7; CDBG-Infrastructure Capacity Enhancement (ICE). Voice vote: all voting aye, motion carried.
3. Motion made by Particka second by Bridson to approve the Temporary Housing Agreement with Courtney Manor Skilled Nursing & Rehabilitation Community.

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

4. Motion by Peterson second by Perez to approve Hatchet Festival dates July 13<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup>, & 15<sup>th</sup>.

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

Kelsey Brown, Bad Axe Chamber, requested the use of the City Park on July 13, 2017 to conduct a TriToFinish sanctioned 5K event with wine tasting afterward and permission to have a beer tent. This event is planned in conjunction with the Hatchet Festival which runs from July 13<sup>th</sup> through July 15<sup>th</sup>.

Motion by Peterson second by Perez to approve their request to reserve the city park, serve alcohol and place City Manager VanDeVusse in charge of obtaining the necessary permits.

AYES: Particka, Perez, Peterson, Hicks and Bridson.

NO: None.

5. Payment of Bills: \$ 10,020.38

Motion by Particka second by Perez to recommend payment of bills in the amount of \$ 10,020.38

AYES: Hicks, Particka, Peterson, Perez, Bridson.

NO: None

**Department Reports**

None.

**Committee Reports**

Luke Flannery to DDA

Motion by Peterson second by Particka to appoint Luke Flannery to the Downtown Development Authority. Voice vote: all voting aye, motion carried.

**Mayor and Council Comments**

Peterson thanked the DPW for flooding the skate rink. Particka mentioned the Memorial Day Parade is May 27<sup>th</sup> starting at 11:00 am. Particka also stated that the Mayor Youth Council will be attending Law Day on May 1<sup>st</sup> in downtown Detroit. Deputy Clerk Carriveau announced (1) Mayoral seat-2 year term and (3) Council Seats-4 year term are up for the November 7<sup>th</sup> election. Deadline to file nominating petitions is July 25, 2017 by 4:00 pm.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Motion by Particka second by Peterson to adjourn at 8:51p.m. Voice vote: all voting aye motion carried.

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Jim Hicks, Mayor

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Melissa Carriveau, Deputy Clerk