

A regular meeting of the Bad Axe City Council was called to order at 7:30 p.m. on Monday November 7, 2011 by Mayor Jim Hicks.

**ROLL CALL**

Present: Mayor Jim Hicks; Council members: Hall, Particka and Peterson. Other Officers present: Clerk Goebel.  
Absent: City Manager VanDeVusse; Council members: Cleland, Rapson and Rochefort.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Motion by Particka second by Peterson to approve the minutes of the October 17, 2011 regular meeting. Voice vote: all voting aye, motion carried.

**PUBLIC COMMENTS**

Claude Mestack, 414 Cleveland St. addressed council regarding the Cleveland Street Reconstruction Project.

**ORDER OF BUSINESS**

1. Amber Blackstock, Huron Area Technical Center Marketing Instructor addressed council informing them of the services and benefits offered by the Huron Area Technical Center DECA chapter.

Motion by Hicks, second by Peterson to approve the Mayoral Proclamation designating October 9-15, 2011 as DECA Week. Voice vote: all voting aye, motion carried.

2. Motion by Hicks, second by Hall to contribute \$10,000.00 to the Bad Axe Public Schools for the design and construction administration for the Bad Axe Safe Routes to School Project. Safe Routes to School grant funding through the Michigan Department of Transportation was awarded to the Bad Axe Schools in partnership with the City of Bad Axe in the amount of \$266,745.00.

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

Motion carried.

3. Motion by Hall, second by Peterson to approve the quote to contract with Commerce Controls Incorporated (CCI) to install and calibrate gas detectors in the preliminary treatment building for the price of \$4,800.00.

AYES: Hall, Particka, Peterson and Hicks.  
NO: None.

4. Motion by Hall, second by Peterson to approve the closure of city well #2 and repair well #1 and for Northern Pump & Well to perform the services estimated to cost \$8,240.00.

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

5. Motion by Hall, second by Particka to approve payment of bills \$139,914.36.

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

**ADJOURNMENT**

Motion by Hall, second by Particka to adjourn at 7:48 p.m. Voice vote: all voting aye, motion carried.

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Kay M. Goebel, Clerk

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Jim Hicks, Mayor