

**City of Marine City  
City Commission  
October 2, 2014**

A regular meeting of the Marine City Commission was held on Thursday, October 2, 2014, in the Fire Hall, 200 South Parker Street, Marine City, Michigan, and was called to order by Mayor Skotarczyk at 7:00 pm.

After a prayer offered by Pastor Keith Dusheke, the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mayor Skotarczyk.

**Present:** Mayor Skotarczyk; Commissioners Hendrick, Lovett, Meli, Simpson and Turner; City Manager Gabor; and, City Clerk Baxter

**Absent:** Commissioner Avery

Motion by Commissioner Lovett, seconded by Commissioner Simpson, to excuse Commissioner Avery from the meeting. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

**Communications**

No communications were received.

**Public Comment**

Pat Babchek, 251 Superior Avenue, said the King Road Junk Yard is an eyesore and asked when the City was going to do something about having it cleaned up.

**Approve Agenda**

Motion by Commissioner Simpson, seconded by Commissioner Lovett, to approve the Agenda, as presented. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

**Approve Minutes**

Motion by Commissioner Lovett, seconded by Commissioner Turner, to approve the Minutes of the Regular City Commission Meeting held September 18, 2014, as amended. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

### **Consent Agenda**

The following Consent Agenda items were presented:

- Special Event ~ Lighted Santa Parade
- Resource Development Committee – TIFA Update

Motion by Commissioner Lovett, seconded by Commissioner Simpson, to approve the Consent Agenda as presented, and place it on file. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

### **FINANCIAL BUSINESS**

#### ***Disbursements***

Motion by Commissioner Simpson, seconded by Commissioner Turner, to approve total disbursements, including payroll, in the amount of \$782,897.81, as presented. Roll Call Vote. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

### **City Manager's Report**

City Manager Gabor provided updates on the following items:

- New City of Marine City website online, minor adjustments to be made.
- Playground equipment installed at King Road Park.
- Façade Grant signed; starting bid packages.
- A review of the Sidewalk Program to be made on October 8, 2014.
- Hanging flower baskets and flags to be taken down the week of October 6, 2014.
- New DPW tractor is in and ready to go to work.
- A new Maritime Day's Committee has been formed with big plans for next year, according to Mr. Blanchard.

### **Commissioner Privilege**

Commissioner Lovett said that she likes the new City of Marine City website and said it is easy to maneuver around.

Mayor Skotarczyk announced an open seat on the TIFA Board and said that anyone interested should submit an application to the City Clerk. Mayor Skotarczyk said he enjoyed the concerts during Heritage Days and said it was nice to see the City Hall building utilized.

### **Adjournment**

Motion by Commissioner Hendrick, seconded by Commissioner Meli, to adjourn at 7:21 pm. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kristen Baxter". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Kristen Baxter  
City Clerk