

**Minutes, Paw Paw Village Council  
Regular Meeting, November 14, 2022**

The Regular Village Council meeting of Monday, November 14, 2022, convened at 7:00p.m. at the Paw Paw District Library, Community Room. President Roman Plaszcak presiding.

**Meeting Convened**

Present: President Plaszcak and President Pro-tem Douglas Craddock and Trustees Amanda Bartlett, Nadine Jarvis, Mary McIntosh, Ashley Nottingham, and Donne Rohr. Also present: Village Manager Will Joseph, Village Clerk Karla Tacy and Interim Director of Department of Public Services Tim Brandys.

**Members Present**

Motion by Jarvis with support from Bartlett to approve the agenda as presented with the removal of guest David Krzycki and adding Retirement Plaque Ceremony under presentations. All members present voting yes, motion carried.

**Approval of Agenda**

Motion by McIntosh with support from Craddock to approve the regular meeting minutes of October 24, 2022. All members present voting yes, motion carried.

**Approval of Minutes**

Motion by McIntosh with support from Craddock to approve claims for Monday November 14, 2022, in the amount of \$626,891.18. All members voting yes, motion carried.

**Approval of Claims**

Mike Pioch thanked Trustees McIntosh for her many years of dedication serving on Village Council.

**Audience  
Participation**

Luke Butler inquired as to the status of the crosswalk that was to be built on the bridge over I-94. Mr. Butler voiced his concern in regards to his wife's recent traffic stop by the Paw Paw Police Department.

Motion by McIntosh with support from Bartlett to designate two handicap parking spots in the 200 block of Michigan Ave. All members voting yes, motion carried.

**Action Items:  
Michigan Ave  
Handicap Parking**

Discussion on participation in MPPA's Clean Energy Program has been tabled until next meeting.

**Participation in Clean  
Energy Program**

Motion by McIntosh with support from Craddock to approve the Christmas in the Village events and requested use of public spaces, beginning **with the Carnegie Tree Lighting ceremony on December 2<sup>nd</sup> at 6:00pm continuing through the Children's Parade, Saturday, December 3<sup>rd</sup> at 10:00am.** All members voting yes, motion carried.

**Christmas in the  
Village**

Motion by McIntosh with support from Craddock to authorize the Village President to execute EGLE's (Michigan Department of Environmental, Great Lakes and Energy) voluntary consent form for various rights of way included in their request. All members voting yes, motion carried.

**EGLE Consent to  
Enter Right of Ways**

The Parks and Rec Board has received four applications for new board members.

**Committee Meetings  
and Reports  
Parks and Rec**

**DDA**

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No Report.

**Economic Develop**

No Report.

**Farmers Market**

No Report.

**Fire Board**

No Report.

**Historical Committee**

No Report.

**Housing Commission**

No Report.

**Maple Lake  
Preservation**

No Report.

Joseph reports the Hazen Street housing development site plan was approved with contingencies.

**Planning Commission**

McIntosh would like Bob Harvey to look into renewed funding for the Wellhead Protection program.

**Wellhead Protection**

Craddock reports there will be new, exciting events for next year's festival.

**Wine & Harvest**

Plaszczak reports he recently attended a conference held by Congressman Fred Upton regarding the Postmaster General's consolidation plan. President Plaszczak would like the Village to create a resolution opposing the proposed plan.

**Council Comments:  
Plaszczak**

Jarvis thanked trustees McIntosh and Bartlett for their service on Village Council. Jarvis inquired as to why the Public Service Committee has been dissolved.

**Jarvis**

Nottingham thanked the thanked trustees McIntosh and Bartlett for their service.

**Nottingham**

McIntosh thanked her fellow council members and staff for their hard work and dedication.

**McIntosh**

Manager Joseph thanked trustees McIntosh and Bartlett for the opportunity to work with them. Joseph notes that at the next meeting Council will receive updates on the budget and capital improvement plan.

**Manager Comments:**

Brandys thanked trustees McIntosh and Bartlett and noted he learned a lot from working with them. Brandys reported the lead and copper replacement crews are currently working in the 2<sup>nd</sup> alternate area.

**Staff Comments:**

Motion by Bartlett with support by McIntosh to adjourn the meeting. All members present voting yes, motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 8:53p.m.

**Adjournment**

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Respectfully submitted:

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Karla Tacy  
Village Clerk

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Roman Plaszczak  
Village President