

**Minutes, Paw Paw Village Council
Regular Meeting, September 9, 2019**

The Regular Village Council meeting of Monday, September 9, 2019, convened at 7:30p.m. at the Paw Paw Community Library, 609 West Michigan Avenue, Paw Paw, Michigan. President Roman Plaszcak presiding.

Meeting Convened

Present: President Plaszcak, President Pro-tem Eric Larcinese (excused) and Trustees Douglas Craddock, Amanda Bartlett, Mary McIntosh, Nadine Jarvis and Donne Rohr. Also present: Village Manager Sarah Moyer-Cale, Village Clerk Karla Tacy, Chief of Police Eric Marshall and Department of Public Services Director John Small.

Members Present

Motion by Rohr with support from Craddock to approve the agenda as presented. All members present voting yes, motion carried.

Approval of Agenda

Motion by Jarvis with support from Bartlett to approve the regular meeting minutes of August 26, 2019. All members present voting yes, motion carried.

Approval of Minutes

Motion by Jarvis with support of McIntosh to approve all claims for Monday, September 9, 2019, in the amount of \$328,170.32. All members present voting yes, motion carried.

Approval of Claims

Moyer-Cale reports the PUD district currently has the same signage standards as the Downtown Overlay District. For existing structures in the PUD, the sign regulations do not meet the needs of the businesses. The Planning Commission recommends approval of an amendment to allow for ground signs and a district development sign in the area to better address the unique needs of the existing structures.

**New Business:
PUD Signs Zoning
Ordinance Text
Amendment**

Motion by Jarvis with support from Bartlett to Adopt Ordinance 473 to amend sign regulations in the PUD zoning district. Roll call vote; Bartlett, Jarvis, McIntosh, Plaszcak, Rohr, Craddock all voting yes, motion carried.

As discussed at the last meeting, the sign requirements for garage sale signs in the second hand goods sales ordinance varies from the temporary signs standards for residential districts found in the zoning ordinance. Ordinance 474 would synthesize the two ordinances so that the standards are the same.

**Amendment to
Garage Sale
Ordinance**

Motion by Bartlett with support from Jarvis to Adopt Ordinance 474 to amend sign regulations for rummage sales. Roll call vote; Craddock, Rohr, Plaszcak, McIntosh, Jarvis, Bartlett all voting yes, motion carried.

Moyer-Cale reported the application for the lake drawdown has been submitted with a requested start date of 11/1.

**Ongoing Business
Maple Lake
Drawdown**

No Report.

**Committee Meetings
and Reports
Finance and Admin**

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Jarvis reported the Public Services Committee met to discuss the sewer work being done on Elm Street, the Oak Street road repair project and the continued ground water level testing on Charles Street.

Public Services

No Report.

Area Parks & Rec

No Report.

DDA

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.

Planning Commission

No Report.

Wellhead Protection

No Report.

Wine & Harvest

Plaszczak reported the Wine & Harvest Festival went very smoothly and was well attended.

**Council Member
Comments
Plaszczak**

Craddock thanked Chief Marshall and Director Small on a great job by their departments during the festival. Craddock noted there was a great response to the new accessible kayak launch. He also commended the many volunteers that dedicated their time.

Craddock

Jarvis noted she received several compliments on Facebook regarding the cleanliness of town after the festival.

Jarvis

Chief Marshall expressed his gratitude for the additional manpower from the Michigan State and Pokagon Tribal Police during Wine & Harvest Festival.

**Staff Comments
Marshall**

Motion by Rohr with support by Craddock to adjourn the meeting. All members present voting yes, motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 8:05 p.m.

Adjournment

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Respectfully submitted:

Karla Tacy
Village Clerk

Roman Plaszczak
Village President