A regular meeting of the Bad Axe City Council was called to order at 5:35 p.m. on Monday, March 1, 2021, by Mayor Particka.

## **ROLL CALL**

Present: Mayor Particka, Council Members: Peterson, Goebel, McKimmy,

Harrison, Rochefort, Perez.

Absent: None.

Staff: City Manager, Rob Stiverson, City Clerk, Rebecca Bachman.

### APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion by Peterson second by Harrison to approve the February 17, 2021 Regular Meeting Minutes.

Voice vote: all voting aye

### **PUBLIC COMMENTS**

-Matt Aymen addressed Council about running a full-page ad, for the City of Bad Axe, in Michigan's Thumb Vacation Guide. He stated the City would get the Chamber rate at \$180.00 off a full page due to the Chamber being dissolved. The cost would be around \$835.00.

-Dan Glaza addressed Council and asked that the next meeting date be added to every Agenda.

#### **ORDER OF BUSINESS**

1. Motion by Particka second by Goebel to approve Resolution 2021-2; 2021 Poverty Exemption Guidelines.

AYES: Perez, Rochefort, Harrison, McKimmy, Particka, Goebel, Peterson.

NO: None.

2. Motion by Harrison second by Rochefort to table taking the 2010 Chevy Tahoe and 2004 Ford Free Star to Auction. This will be re visited next meeting.

AYES: McKimmy, Peterson, Rochefort, Harrison, Perez, Goebel, Particka.

NO: None.

3. Motion by Peterson second by McKimmy to approve verbiage on Lowell McDonald's Memorial Plaque.

AYES: Peterson, Harrison, Rochefort, Goebel, Perez, Particka, McKimmy.

NO: None.

4. Discussed 2021 Michigan's Thumb Area Vacation Guide. A decision has not been made at this time.

## **Recommendations from Finance Committee**

1. Motion by Particka second by Harrison to approve the low bid from L&T Painting Inc., in the amount of \$155,250.00, for the Water Tower Repainting Project and to receive pricing on a Hatchet Logo for the Tower as well.

AYES: Peterson, Rochefort, Perez, McKimmy, Harrison, Goebel, Particka.

NO: None.

2. Motion by Goebel second by Particka to approve the payment of bills in the amount of \$423,766.63. This amount was reduced from \$426,958.43.

-February 22, 2021

-February 25, 2021

AYES: Rochefort, McKimmy, Peterson, Harrison, Perez, Particka, Goebel.

NO: None.

# **Committee Reports**

## **Mayor and Council Comments**

- -Peterson complimented City Crews for keeping our roads clear this winter.
- -Harrison made a motion to see prices on the next Agenda for replacing Fire Hydrant Marker Poles.
- -Motion by Rochefort second by Particka to advertise adopting portions of the Walking Path. All voted aye.
- -Rochefort made a motion to do a Work Study Meeting after the next Council Meeting.

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

Motion by Particka second by McKimmy to adjourn at 6:22 p.m.

Voice vote: all voting aye, motion carried.

Kathleen Particka, Mayor	
Rebecca Bachman, City Clerk	