

CITY COUNCIL MEETING
CITY OF EATON RAPIDS
AGENDA

Steven G. Platte, Mayor
Michael Harri, Mayor Pro Tem
Mark McGee, Councilman-at-Large
Pamela Colestock, Councilwoman
Chad J. Burke, Councilman

March 14, 2016

7:00 p.m., City Hall

200 S. Main Street

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Pledge of Allegiance
4. Invocation
5. Approval of Agenda
6. Approval of the February 22, 2016, Regular Minutes and the March 7, 2016, Worksession Minutes.
7. Approval of Invoices in the Amount of \$1,517,031.44 with the following breakdown: General Fund Checks in the Amount of \$847,391.70, check number 65167 through check number 65279; Tax Payments in the Amount of \$428,907.93, check number 1468 through check number 1470; Meter Deposit Refund Checks in the Amount of \$658.67, check number 101271 through check number 101279; and Wire Fund Transfers in the Amount of \$240,073.14.
8. **Public Comments.** This item on the agenda is for the public to present comments to the City Council Members **regarding Agenda Items under Unfinished and Special Business and New Business.** Anyone wishing to speak should raise his or her hand to be recognized, and when recognized by the Mayor, **should, stand, come to the microphone, give his or her name and address, and proceed with their comments.** In the interest of time, citizens may be limited to five minutes to present their comments or ask questions.
9. **Unfinished and Special Business**
 - a. Council Resolution Honoring the 150th Anniversary of the Grand Army of the Republic.
 - b. Council Approval of the Special Event Permit Application for the Light The Town Blue Autism Event to be held on Saturday, April 16th.
10. **New Business**
 - a. Mayor's Recommendation to Reappoint Linda Gillentine, 603 Cumberland, to the Advisory Parks Board for a Three Year Term which will Expire on March 31, 2019.
 - b. Council Approval of the Real Estate Purchase Agreement between the City and the Eaton Rapids Development Corporation for the Property Commonly known as 114 Mill Street.
 - c. Council Approval of the Joint Park Purchase and Maintenance Agreement between the City and Eaton Rapids Township.
 - d. Council Resolution to Authorize the Issuance of General Obligation Limited Tax Bonds, Series 2016, in the Amount of \$1,600,000.00, for the 2016 Road Improvement Project.
11. **Public Comments.** This item on the agenda is for the public to present comments to the City Council Members **regarding General topics.** Some inquiries may be answered immediately depending on the complexity of the question. Questions requiring research or additional staff input will be answered in writing within one calendar week of being received. For convenience, Citizen Response Forms are available at the entrance to the Council Chambers. Anyone wishing to speak should raise his or her hand to be recognized, and when recognized by the Mayor, **should come to the microphone, give his or her name and address, and proceed with their comments or questions.** In the interest of time, citizens may be limited to five minutes to present their comments or ask questions.
12. Reports: Mayor, Council and City Staff
13. Adjournment