

A regular meeting of the City Council was held at City Hall, 200 S. Main Street on Monday, November 11, 2013. The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m.

Mayor Platte called the meeting to order.

Present were Mayor Platte and Councilpersons Greenhoe, Brown, Harri and Burke. None were absent.

The invocation was given by Pastor Scott Boles of the First Baptist Church.

The Agenda was approved as printed.

The October 28, 2013, Regular Minutes and the November 4, 2013, Worksession Minutes were approved as printed.

Councilwoman Brown moved that disbursements of \$348,699.53 be approved, with the breakdown being General Fund Checks in the amount of \$167,101.76 - check numbers 61309 through 61383; and Wire Transfers in the amount of \$181,597.77; seconded by Councilman Harri, passed unanimously.

Councilwoman Brown moved Council approve the Building Inspector to proceed with condemnation proceedings for a property maintenance issue for property located at 626 Michigan Street; seconded by Councilman Harri, passed unanimously.

Councilman Greenhoe moved Council approve the Eaton Rapids Area Chamber of Commerce request to hold their annual Hometown Family Christmas event and parade on Saturday, December 7, 2013, with the parade route being from McArthur River Drive to State Street, north on Main Street and ending on Knight Street, with the parade beginning at 6:00 p.m. and events throughout the day; seconded by Councilman Burke, passed unanimously.

Councilwoman Brown moved Council approve the Safe Routes to school and authorize Scott Poyer to act as the agent on behalf of the City; seconded by Councilman Harri, passed unanimously.

Councilman Burke moved Council approve the Resolution for the State Street Reconstruction Project with the Michigan Department of Transportation; seconded by Councilwoman Brown, passed unanimously.

Mayor Platte reported on the following: Congratulated the Eaton Rapids Football team on their District win and what a phenomenal accomplishment this has been for them and hoped to see everyone in DeWitt on Friday supporting the team.

Councilman Burke reported on the following: That it was Veteran's Day and wished to thank everyone who has served the Country; that the Football team has accomplished a huge goal and thanked the City Staff for working with the School to send the teams out in style and have them return in style.

Councilman Harri reported on the following: Congratulated the Football Team and Coaches as they are making Eaton Rapids History; thanked Interim Chief FitzGerald for his work the past six months at the Police Department and he will be missed; and thanked all of the Veteran's who have served this Country.

Councilwoman Brown reported on the following: That the Servicemen and woman are to be commended for all they have done for us.

Councilman Greenhoe reported on the following: The Football team is doing a tremendous job and wished them lots of luck on Friday night and that the Coach is doing a phenomenal job; thanked the Veteran's for all they have done and to not only honor them today, but every day; and that the Dollar General Store is slated to open on Wednesday at noon.

City Clerk Reinecke reported on the following: Congratulated the Mayor, Councilman Burke and Councilman-Elect McGee on the election held on Tuesday.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:40 p.m.

Steven G. Platte, Mayor

Kristy Reinecke, City Clerk