

A regular meeting of the City Council was held at City Hall, 200 S. Main Street on Monday, November 10, 2014. The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m.

Mayor Platte called the meeting to order.

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

The invocation was given by Pastor Mark Michalcewicz of Grace Baptist Church.

The Agenda was approved as printed with the addition of item 12a, Closed Session to Discuss the Purchase or Lease of Real Property.

The October 27, 2014, Regular Minutes and the November 3, 2014 Worksession Minutes were approved as printed.

Councilwoman Brown moved that disbursements of \$588,885.67 be approved with the breakdown being General Fund Checks in the amount of \$390,138.26 - check numbers 62922 through 62999; Meter Deposit Refund Checks in the amount of \$1,396.42 - check numbers 211037 through 211047; and Wire Fund Transfers in the amount of \$197,350.99; seconded by Councilman McGee, passed unanimously.

Councilwoman Brown moved Council approve the Eaton Rapids Area Chamber of Commerce request to hold their annual Hometown Family Christmas Event and Parade on Saturday, December 6, 2014, 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.; seconded by Councilman Burke, passed unanimously.

Councilman Burke reported on the following: congratulated the ERHS Football Team on winning Districts for the second year in a row, and wished them luck on the Regional game on Friday.

Councilman Harri reported on the following: congratulated the Football Team for winning Districts for the second year.

Councilwoman Brown reported on the following: thanked all the citizens for coming to the meeting; congratulated the Greyhound Football team on their victory; thanked all of the Veterans for all the wonders they have done and cannot say thank-you enough; thanked the Council for allowing her to attend the MML Conference and passed out information to the Council, and that the energy at the event was very high and the networking was wonderful and was very grateful for the opportunity to represent the City of Eaton Rapids.

City Manager Stoppels reported on the following: that crews are making plans for winter preparation; that crews are still working on storm clean-up and catch-up; that he has received applications for the WWTP/DPW and Building Code Official positions and will be getting interviews scheduled in the near future.

Councilwoman Brown moved Council go into Closed Session for the discussion of the purchase or lease of real property; seconded by Councilman Harri, passed unanimously. Council went into Closed Session at 7:21 p.m.

Councilwoman Brown moved Council reconvene back into Open Session; seconded by Councilman McGee, passed unanimously. Council reconvened back into Open Session at 7:46 p.m.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:46 p.m.

Steven G. Platte, Mayor

Kristy Reinecke, City Clerk