

A regular meeting of the City Council was held at City Hall, 200 S. Main Street on Monday, October 24, 2016. 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, Burke, McGee and Colestock. None were absent.

The invocation was given by Pastor Marty DeBow of the First United Methodist church.

The Agenda was approved as printed.

The October 10, 2016, Regular Minutes and the October 17, 2016 Worksession Minutes were approved as printed.

Councilman McGee moved that disbursements of \$1,225,119.19 be approved with the breakdown being General Fund Checks in the amount of \$902,351.64 - check numbers 66272 through 66335; Meter Deposit Refund Checks in the amount of \$1,401.13 - check numbers 101357 through 101371; and Wire Fund Transfers in the amount of \$321,366.42; seconded by Councilwoman Colestock, passed unanimously.

Councilman Burke moved that Council approve the recommendation from Staff for the purchase of a Jacket Water Heater for Generator Engine 1, from Hot Start in the amount of \$5,400.00; seconded by Councilman McGee, passed unanimously.

Councilwoman Colestock moved Council approve the Agreement with Granger for City Curbside Recycling Services for citizens who use Granger as their refuse carrier; seconded by Councilman Harri, passed unanimously.

Councilman Burke moved Council approve the Lease to Purchase Agreement from D&G Equipment for the purchase of a tractor, brush hog, front loader and backhoe for an amount of \$29,930.46; seconded by Councilman Harri, passed unanimously.

Barb Rogers, Eaton County Commissioner, appeared before Council and gave an update on what is happening at the County level. Council thanked Commissioner Rogers for the update.

Councilwoman Colestock reported on the following: that the Saturday Ribbon Cutting ceremony at the Rapids Project was a great event and thanked all who had done the planning and everyone who had participated; that the Main Street Trick-or-Treat Event is scheduled for Wednesday from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m., with the rain date being on Thursday at the same time; wondered if we could have more pet waste stations put up around the City and in the various Parks; and was happy about the Agreement with Granger for the curbside recycling services that were being offered free to citizens.

Councilman Harri reported on the following: that the Agreement with Granger is a great addition of services to the citizens of Eaton Rapids that is a free service and was happy to see this accomplished.

Mayor Platte reported on the following: that the Dedication at Mill Pointe on Saturday was a very nice event and was happy to add this amenity to the City.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:14 p.m.

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Steven G. Platte, Mayor

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Kristy Reinecke, City Clerk