

DeTour Village Regular Council Meeting

May 03, 2021

Called Meeting to Order: President Lindsey McGuire 5/3/2021 @ 6:00 PM

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call Present: Lindsey McGuire, Jeremy Vredenburg, Gordon Usher, Ron LaMere, Jen Postula  
Absent: Shirley VanAlstine, Josh Adams, Tim Loehr

Motion to approve Minutes from April 5, 2021 made by: Ron LaMere, Seconded by: Gordon Usher  
Roll Call vote: Yays: 4 Nays: 0 Abstain: 0 Motion Carried.

Motion for approval of current Treasurer's Report was made by Jeremy Vredenburg, seconded by  
Ron LaMere Roll Call vote: Yays: 4 Nays: 0 Abstain: 0 Motion Carried.

Motion for approval of Payment of Bills during the month \$16,599.17 plus those paid prior to meeting,  
and adding Napa bill that came in late for \$181.75 made by Jeremy Vredenburg, Seconded by Gordon  
Usher Roll call vote: Yays: 4 Nays: 0 Abstain: 0 Motion Carried.

Committee and Department Reports:

Ambulance: No new business.

Fire Department: No new business.

Finance: Increase in BCBS: 4.98% was discussed.

Festivals: 4th of July Coordinator Karen Allison

Motion for approval of the 4th of July Resolution for liquor license made by Ron LaMere and seconded  
by Jeremy Vredenburg resolution for special license. Roll call vote: Yays: 4 Nays: 0  
Abstain: 0 Motion Carried.

Motion for 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4th of July temporary street closures; For parade, Sims, Democrat, Ontario and St.  
Mary's on the 4th, Ontario Pine to Church on the 3<sup>rd</sup> was made by Ron LaMere, seconded by  
Gordon Usher. Roll call vote: Yays: 4 Nays: 0 Abstain: 0 Motion Carried.

Parks & Recreation and Beautification:

Susie reported on the upcoming property swap between Nettleton, DeTour School and the  
Village that will result in Mr. Nettleton giving the Village his portion of Michigan St. he will gain after the  
vacating of it.

Motion to adopt resolution #20210405-1 to vacate portion of Michigan St. that runs through Veterans'  
Park made by Ron LaMere, seconded by Gordon Usher Roll call vote: Yays: 4 Nays: 0  
Abstain: 0 Motion Carried.

Motion to adopt resolution #20210405-2 to vacate alley that runs through Veterans' Park made by  
Gordon Usher, seconded by Jeremy Vredenburg Roll call vote: Yays: 4 Nays: 0  
Abstain: 0 Motion Carried.

Susie explained that a Pickleball expert is in touch with them to advise in the process of implementing the new courts.

Susie then informed the council that volunteers had taken down and cleaned up trees at Mallette Park, donated bird houses for Bid Munro Park and are planning the Memorial Day Celebration at Veterans' Park.

Economic Development: No new business.

Planning Commission: Motion to approve resolution that PC gave final approval of Lands' End Plans made by Ron LaMere, seconded by Gordon Usher Roll call vote: Yays: 4 Nays: 0  
Abstain: 0 Motion Carried.

Motion to approve signing the easement for utilities from Lands' End made by Ron LaMere, seconded by Gordon Usher Roll call vote: Yays: 4 Nays: 0 Abstain: 0 Motion Carried.

Zoning: No new business

Public Works: Quote for sand shed concrete from K & K Concrete was reviewed. Council asked for a second quote to be obtained and agreed to vote via to choose one so as not to delay the project any further.

Bob Trudo advised that they need to bring our seasonal help, Nick Brady, on board soon.

Water & Sewer: Sewer upgrade project update-Bond/grant -Bob and Jen updated the council on the progress.

Old Business: Nothing to report

New Business: Rental agreement for Pavilions was discussed.

Meeting schedule going forward will be 6:00pm on the first Monday of each month.

Public Comment: Bob Vaught discussed the collaboration meeting with EUPISD and several local entities, which will be working toward affordable broadband internet for the EUP. He has placed two hotspots for public use, one at Shula Giddens Park and one at Veterans' Park.

Gordon Usher made a motion to adjourn at 6:47pm, meeting adjourned.

Next meeting scheduled for: 06/07/2021 @ 6:00PM

Respectfully submitted,



Jen Postula, Clerk/Treasurer