

# CITY OF PERRY REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING

## PERRY COMMUNITY BUILDING

REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING HELD ON OCTOBER 7, 2008

PRESENT: COUNCILMEMBERS THOMAS CHAPUT, JAMES HUGUELET, MARK LANDERS, CHRISTINE TOBIAS, GREGORY WEKWERT, TERRY WOOD, MAYOR ROSS DELAU, AND CITY CLERK JUDY GUENTHER

ABSENT: NONE

ALSO PRESENT: POLICE CHIEF, Kyle Bawks  
PUBLIC WORKS SUPT., Chuck Mudge

Mayor Ross DeLau called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. and led the Pledge of Allegiance.

### READING AND APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES:

10-07-08-01

Moved by Wekwert, seconded by Chaput that we suspend the rules, waive the reading and approve the minutes of the September 16, 2008 meeting as written. Carried, all aye.

10-07-08-02

Moved by Landers, seconded by Chaput that we suspend the rules, waive the reading and approve the minutes of the September 23, 2008 Special Meeting as written. Carried, all aye.

### PUBLIC COMMENTS:

- City Resident, Jim LeFay, Jr. of 226 S. Main St., was present to request that Council consider allowing them to have their Sewer/Trash Billing lowered to Single Family. They are zoned R-2. He was referred to the Planning Commission.
- Andrea Berry of the Shiawassee Conservation District spoke regarding the Upper Looking Glass River Watershed Project. They are applying for a Grant and are asking that the City work with them on their project.
- Devin Miller, PerryFest Coordinator, presented money from the proceeds of PerryFest to the Parks and Properties Committee.

10-07-08-03

Moved by Chaput, seconded by Tobias that the City accepts the \$500 dollar donation from PerryFest to go towards steps at Mudge Hill. Carried, all aye.

Leona Smith was present to discuss the Noise Ordinance.

## **DEPT. HEAD REPORTS:**

DPW Supt., Chuck Mudge gave an update on the Iron Removal Plant project. The City plans to go online with the new plant about the middle of December if all continues to go smoothly. October 22<sup>nd</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup> are the hydrant flushing dates starting at 9pm each of those nights.

Police Chief, Kyle Bawks responded to Mrs. Smith's questions on the Noise Ordinance. Several traffic stops have been made regarding the Noise Ordinance. Mrs. Smith lives on a very busy street and the offenders are very hard to catch. The Police Dept. will continue to strive to do their best to enforce the Ordinance.

## **COMMITTEE REPORTS:**

Next Planning Commission meeting will be on Monday, October 13, 2008 at 6:30pm.

## **PRESENTATION AND APPROVAL OF THE BILLS:**

10-07-08-04

Moved by Wood, seconded by Landers that we approve the bills as presented and that payment be authorized. Carried, all aye.

**OLD BUSINESS:** None

## **NEW BUSINESS:**

### **PURCHASE OF NEW COMPUTER FOR CITY HALL-**

10-07-08-05

Moved by Huguelet, seconded by Wood that we approve the purchase of a new Nobilis I284M RTS Basic Computer for the Utility Clerk for an amount not to exceed \$573.00 from I.T.Right and purchase will include transfer of all data from the old system to the new. Carried, all aye.

## **ANY OTHER BUSINESS THAT MAY COME BEFORE COUNCIL:**

The City has a chance to purchase a Skate Ramp for \$575.00 for the City.

10-07-08-06

Moved by Wood, seconded by Wekwert that we allow the City Parks & Property Committee to purchase a Skate Ramp for \$575.00. Carried, all aye.

Brad Sharlow asked that Council be reminded that the final draft of the Master Plan is now on the City Web Site.

## **ITEMS FOR NEXT AGENDA:**

1. Change of Cancel Next Council Meeting due to Election
2. Christmas Party
3. Gift Certificates for Employee's not receiving Longevity
4. Christmas Lighting Contest
5. Santa

6. Announcement of Trick or Treat Hours
7. Announcement of General Election on November 4<sup>th</sup>, 7am-8pm
8. Discuss Election for S.A.T.A.
9. Civil Drug Forfeiture Agreement
10. Master Plan - Final Draft Approval
11. 6:30pm Conservation meeting

**ADJOURNMENT: 8:12pm**

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Ross A. DeLau, Mayor Date

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Judy A. Guenther, City Clerk Date