

Minutes of the regular meeting of the City Commission held Monday, July 11, 2011, at 7:00 p.m., in the City Commission Room.

Mayor Kilmer called the meeting to order and the Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Commissioners Present: Mayor Kilmer and Vice Mayor Ling; Commissioners English, Holton, Joslin and Robinette

Commissioners Absent: Commissioner Tilmann (excused)

Others Present: City Manager Grinzinger and City Clerk Howard

Received the following petitions and communications:

1. Capital Projects Status Report (2nd quarter)
2. Downtown Development Board Minutes (May)
3. Downtown Development Board Minutes (June)

Moved by Commissioner Joslin and supported by Vice Mayor Ling to approve the following items on the Consent Calendar:

1. Minutes of the regular meeting of the City Commission held June 27, 2011.
2. Minutes of the special meeting of the City Commission held July 5, 2011.
3. Bid of Central Asphalt of Mt. Pleasant, Michigan in the amount of \$314,698.77 for the 2011 Street Resurfacing & Parking Lots project.
4. Payrolls dated 7/1/11 and 7/8/11 and warrants dated 6/30/11, 7/5/11 and 7/7/11 all totaling \$667,954.27.

Motion unanimously adopted.

Moved by Commissioner Holton and supported by Commissioner English to amend the land contract between the City of Mt. Pleasant and Joe Olivieri for sites located in the Eastpointe and Abbey subdivisions as recommended by the Property Committee and authorize the Mayor and City Clerk to execute said contract as drafted by the City Attorney.

AYES: Commissioners English, Holton, Joslin, Kilmer and Robinette

NAYS: Commissioner Ling

ABSENT: Commissioner Tilmann

Motion carried.

Moved by Commissioner Holton and supported by Commissioner Robinette to set a joint meeting of the City Commission, Zoning Board of Appeals and Planning Commission for Monday, August 8, 2011 at 6:00 p.m. in the Commission Chambers of the Mt. Pleasant City Hall, 320 W. Broadway Street, Mt. Pleasant, Michigan. Motion unanimously adopted.

Announcements on City-Related Issues and Concerns

Mayor Kilmer reminded the public that public comment isn't debated during a meeting, but it is always followed up on.

City Manager Grinzinger responded to the public comment from Dave Zuker of Zuker Towing made June 27, 2011 by stating that all emergency responders are called out from Central Dispatch and they have a policy regarding how that happens and the appeal process if a company feels they have reason. The City does not manage the calls or the process.

Commissioner Joslin encouraged everyone to come to the Street Festival in Downtown Mt. Pleasant July 21 - 23. Contact Michelle Sponseller if you would like to help or participate in some way.

City Clerk Howard announced that Nominating Petition packets for City Commission seats on the November ballot are available at the City Clerk's Office. Completed packets can be filed with the City Clerk beginning Monday, July 18, 2011 with the deadline being 4:00 p.m. on Tuesday, August 16th. There are two full term seats and one partial term seat to be filled.

Mayor Kilmer adjourned the meeting at 7:16 p.m. without objection.

Bruce Kilmer, Mayor

Jeremy Howard, City Clerk