

MINUTES OF DIMONDALE VILLAGE COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING

136 N. Bridge Street, Dimondale, MI 48821

March 10, 2025

Danielle Tiedeman, Clerk

7:00 p.m. Meeting called to order by President Reznick

Trustee Campbell led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll Call: Present: Bowen, Campbell, Conarton, Haidamous, Reznick, Tardino

Absent: O'Neal

Also Present: Danielle Tiedeman, Village Manager; Betsy Kelly, Recording Secretary.

Approval of Agenda

Motion by Campbell, second Bowen, to approve the March 10, 2025 agenda. Motion carried.

Minutes

Motion by Campbell, second Haidamous, to approve the February 10, 2025 Regular Meeting minutes.

Motion carried. Motion by Conarton, second Tardino, to approve the February 18, 2025 Special Meeting and Public Hearing minutes. Motion carried.

Treasurer's Report

The February 28, 2025 treasurer's report was filed with no corrections.

Bills

The bills were reviewed. Motion by Bowen, second Campbell, to approve payment of \$46,579.19 in the General Fund, \$7,764.34 in the Major Street Fund, \$3,898.75 in the Local Street Fund and \$401.10 in the Farmers' Market Fund for February 28, 2025 bills and transfers. Motion carried.

Open to the Public

Sgt. Popa, ECSD, provided a report for February 2025.

Assistant Fire Chief Fabijancic, WTES, provided a report for February 2025 and the 2024 Annual Report.

Recommendations/Reports from Council Committees and Village Officers

1. Reznick provided a report.
2. Tiedeman provided a report.
3. Bowen reported on the February 20, 2025 Property Acquisition Committee meeting.
4. Conarton reported on the February 25, 2025 Administration Committee meeting.

Unfinished Business

1. No unfinished business was presented.

New Business

1. Reznick introduced the Meetings Proceedings Resolution. Motion by Campbell, second Bowen, to approve the resolution. Motion carried O'Neal absent. (Copy attached.)
2. Conarton presented the recommendation from the Administration Committee to proceed with researching amendments to the marijuana ordinance and holding a public meeting. The Council agreed by consensus to proceed.
3. Reznick presented a request for Local Government Approval for a Joint Off-Premises Tasting Room License for 140 N. Bridge Street. Tiedeman noted that an additional winery has been added. Conarton requested a voting abstention due to possible financial gain. Motion by Campbell, second Tardino, to approve the abstention. Motion carried O'Neal absent. Motion by Campbell, second Tardino, to approve the request as presented. Motion carried, Conarton abstained, O'Neal absent.
4. Reznick presented a Special Event Application for the Memorial Day Parade. Motion by Campbell, second Haidamous, to approve the request pending receipt of insurance. Motion carried O'Neal absent.

Open to the Public

Roger Rich spoke about the previous Memorial Day parade.

Announcements, Communications, Meeting Schedule

1. Reznick reminded the Council that the Hugh Heward group will likely have a request for overnight camping in Lions Park on the next agenda.

2. Committee meetings scheduled: Recreation, March 17, 2025 at 5:00 p.m.; Property Acquisition, March 27, 2025 at 6:00 p.m.; and Administration, April 7, 2025 at 6:00 p.m.

Motion by Campbell, second Bowen, to adjourn. Motion carried at 7:43 p.m.

Danielle Tedeman