

**July 25, 2022**  
**City Council Meeting**

A regular meeting of the Eaton Rapids City Council was held at City Hall, 200 S. Main Street, on July 25, 2022, at 7:00 p.m.

Mayor Colestock called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

Present were Mayor Colestock and Councilpersons Steele, Nicholas, Robison, and Politza.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

The invocation was given by Pastor Mark Michalcewicz of Grace Baptist Church.

Steele moved, Politza seconded, PASSED, to approve the agenda.

Steele moved, Politza seconded, PASSED, to approve the July 11, 2022 Worksession Minutes .

Steele moved, Politza seconded, PASSED, to approve the July 11, 2022 Council Meeting Minutes.

Steele moved, Politza seconded, PASSED, to approve the disbursements totaling \$657,498.72.

**Public Comments:**

Lynn Ball, 4673 Eaton River Trail, asked permission to install a security camera on a pole behind his building next to City Hall. He commented on his proposed development on Oakridge and the cost to hook up to City water and sewer.

**Unfinished/Special Business:** None

**Items of Business:**

- a. Steele moved, Politza seconded to Adopt Resolution 2022-09. A Resolution Required by MDOT for purposes of issuing to a municipality permits for operations within the State Highway Right of Way. PASSED by roll call vote:  
Yeas: Nicholas, Steele, Politza, Robison, Colestock  
Nays: 0  
Absent: 0
- b. Steele moved, Politza seconded to approve the Hall Street Reconstruction Bid from Iron Horse Excavation for \$283,244.92 as recommended by City Engineers at C2AE.  
PASSED by roll vote:  
Yeas: Colestock, Nicholas, Politza, Steele, Robison  
Nays: 0  
Absent: 0

**Public Comments:**

County Commissioner Rogers reported that the County budget is looking good. She distributed information on Eaton County recycling centers. She advised that the CACS Board is looking for volunteers to serve on the board.

Linda McNutt, 540 Wood St., commented that the Eaton Rapids Conservation Club is sponsoring a raffle and open house on August 21<sup>st</sup> at 1:00 p.m. She advised she is selling raffle tickets.

Paster Mark Michalcewicz of Grace Baptist Church commented thanked the City for their efforts on the 4<sup>th</sup> of July celebration. He thought the turnout was awesome.

**Reports:**

- a. Staff-  
Fire Chief McNutt reported that he has filled the full-time firefighter position. Dave Hendon will start in the position on August 15<sup>th</sup>. He reported that the training room carpet has been installed.
- b. Council-  
Councilwoman Politza thanked everyone who came out to the meeting.
- c. Mayor-  
Mayor Colestock introduced new City Manager Yvonne Ridge.

Robison moved, Steele seconded, PASSED, to adjourn.  
The meeting adjourned at 7:28 p.m.

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Pamela Colestock, Mayor

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Laura Boomer, City Clerk