

**VILLAGE OF MATTAWAN
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING**

MAY 22, 2023

Minutes

1. CALL TO ORDER @ 7:00 PM
2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE.
3. ATTENDENCE *Begeman, Cole, Daniel, Hedgspeth, McLean, Smith, Stuut,*
OTHERS PRESENT: Manager Mclean
4. WELCOME TO PUBLIC
5. ANNOUNCEMENT OF MEETING BEING RECORDED
6. OPEN PUBLIC HEARING TO RECEIVE COMMENT ON THE 2023/2024 FISCAL
YEAR BUDGET
Motion by Begeman. Supported by McLean. All members in favor. Motion carried
7. PUBLIC COMMENT- *None*
8. CLOSE PUBLIC HEARING
*Motion by Stuut. Supported by Cole to close the public hearing. All members voted in
favor. Motion carried.*
9. ADDITIONS TO AGENDA
*President Smith added to the bills for a new total of \$70,999.57. Motion to approve by
Cole. Supported by Daniel. All members voted in favor. Motion carried.*
10. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA
*Motion by Cole, supported by McLean to approve the agenda as amended. All
members voted in favor. Motion carried. Member Stuut - Memorial day Parade*
11. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF MAY 8, 2023
*Motion by Mclean. Supported by Begeman to May 8, 2023 as presented. All members
voted in favor. Motion carried.*
- 12.. BILLS TO BE APPROVED IN THE AMOUNT OF \$70,999.57
*Motion by Cole, supported by Daniel to approve the bills in the amount of \$70,999.57.
Roll call vote taken. All members voted in favor. Motion carried.*

13. LIMITED PUBLIC COMMENT ON ANY AGENDA ITEM
Kalee with Van Buren County Conservation District about upcoming recycling events.

14. BOARD AND COMMITTEE REPORTS

- A. FINANCE COMMITTEE – CHAIR STUUT
No meeting, no report
- B. COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE – CHAIR COLE
No meeting, no report
- C. DPW COMMITTEE – CHAIR SMITH
No meeting, no report
- D. LAW ENFORCEMENT COMMITTEE – CHAIR DANIEL
No meeting, no report
- E. PARKS & RECREATION COMMITTEE – CHAIR BEGEMAN
Meeting May 16,2023 - Memorial Day Parade
- F. POLICY & PERSONNEL COMMITTEE – CHAIR HEDGSPETH
No meeting, no report
- G. ZONING AND ORDINANCE COMITMTEE – CHAIR MCLEAN
No meeting, no report
- H. PLANNING COMMISSION LIAISON REPORT – LIAISON STUUT
May 17, 2023- Nothing to report. Only approved minutes
- I. DDA COMMITTEE –CHAIR ROB BROOKS
No meeting, no report
- J. KATS –
No meeting, no report

15. STAFF REPORTS

- A. POLICE DEPARMENT-*Chief Mansfield reported Monthly complaints 96. Department CPR training completed. Audit of Department inventory. Completed inventory of Evidence room. Tasers arrived. Body worn Cameras implemented. Law Enforcement meeting requested. Motion by Smith. Supported by Hedgspeth. All members in favor. Motion carried.*
- B. ATTORNEY’S REPORT – *Attorney Graham, advised he will address any items as needed on agenda.*
- C. ENGINEER’S REPORT- *Engineer Woodhams No report.*

16. OLD BUSINESS *None*

17. NEW BUSINESS

- A. ADOPT 2023/2024 FISCAL YEAR BUDGET
Motion by Cole, support by Begeman to adopt 2023-2024 fiscal year budget as presented. Role call vote taken. Begeman, Cole, Daniel, Hedgspeth and Stuut voted yes, McLean abstained, and Smith voted no. Motion carried