

BAY CITY CITY COMMISSION

Synopsis of Regular Meeting

April 17, 2023

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Kathleen L. Newsham at 6:00 PM.

Commissioners Present: Jesse Dockett, Andrea Burney, Brentt Brunner, Rachelle Hilliker, Christopher Girard, Ed Clements, Cordal Morris, 7; Mayor Kathleen L. Newsham.

The following items were approved:

- City Commission Minutes (4/3 /23)
- Accounts and Claims in the \$1,760,494.78 and Investments and Wire Transfers in the amount of \$914,416.45 (4/10/23), and Accounts and Claims in the amount of \$1,030,979.12 and Investments and Wire Transfers in the amount of \$3,329,112.60, less adjustments in the amount of \$2,775.62 (4/17/23)
- Payroll in the amount of \$1,105,261.49 (4/13/23)
- Budget amendments in the amount of \$0 for the Fiscal Year 2022/2023 budget
- CDBG-CV contract with Good Samaritan Rescue Mission, Bay City, for improvements to air circulation and ventilation systems for the homeless shelter facility located at 713 9th Street, in the amount not to exceed \$56,000

Alex Dewitt, Thomas Hardy, Andrew Thibodeau, Jay Samborn, Matt Nemode, and Lionel Grant spoke during public input.

Ordinance amendment to the Code of Ordinances, Chapter 30, Businesses, Article XVII, Section 30-702 and Section 30-706(9), recreational marijuana facilities and Chapter 82 - Peddlers and Solicitors, Article IV - Mobile Food Vehicles, Sections 82-162, 82-163(b), and 82-164(i), (n) and (o) regarding food truck requirements, were received for first reading and referred to next meeting for second reading and adoption.

Public Hearing was held on ordinance amendment to the Code of Ordinances, Chapter 30 - Businesses, Article X - Sidewalk Cafes on Public Sidewalks, Sections 30-413(b), 30-417(6) and (8), and 30-418(f) regarding sidewalk cafe dates and construction. No one came forward.

SPECIAL ORDERS

Ordinance 2023-16

Be It Ordained by the City of Bay City: that the Code of Ordinances, City Manager recommending Ordinance amendment to the Code of Ordinances, Chapter 30 - Busi-

Excused, Commissioners Joseph Rivet (arrived 6:20) and Shelley Niedzwiecki, 2. Absent: None.

Crime Stopper of the Year award and Arbor Day proclamation were presented.

nesses, Article X - Sidewalk Cafes on Public Sidewalks, Section 30-413(b), Section 30-417(6) and (8), and Section 30-418(f) regarding sidewalk cafes be amended to read as follows:

Sec. 30-413. - Minor sidewalk café licensing procedures.

(b) A sidewalk café shall be permitted to open for business April 1 through October 31. A license may also be issued for less than a full season or for a stipulated number of operating days.

Sec. 30-417. - Sidewalk cafés that encroach upon adjacent parking areas.

(6) Sidewalk cafés within designated street parking areas shall be installed no sooner than April 1st of each year and shall be removed no later than October 31.

(8) The city manager shall have the right at any time to terminate and cancel all sidewalk café licensees that encroach upon adjacent parking areas, for the convenience of the City. In such event, the city manager shall provide 5 day written notice to the licensees for all furnishings and fixtures to be removed from the city streets.

Sec. 30-418. - Operating restrictions.

(f) The City reserves the right to limit or restrict a sidewalk café being in place when any city street or sidewalk construction project occurs.

All other sections remain unchanged.

A motion was made by Commissioner Dockett, seconded by Commissioner Brunner to adopt Ordinance No. 2023-16.

Motion approved by the following vote:

Yes, Commissioners Dockett, Rivet, Brunner, Hilliker, Girard, Clements, Morris, 8.
No, None.

The meeting adjourned at 6:52 PM.

Kathleen L. Newsham, Mayor
Jamie McFarland, Deputy City Clerk