

**\*\*Subject to Approval\*\***

**JONESVILLE CITY COUNCIL  
Special Council Meeting  
Minutes of July 7, 2021**

A meeting of the Jonesville City Council was held on Wednesday, July 7, 2021 at the Jonesville City Hall, 265 E. Chicago Street, Jonesville, MI. Mayor Gerry Arno called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. Council members present were: Tim Bowman, Jerry Drake, Brenda Guyse, George Humphries Jr., Delesha Padula and Andy Penrose.

Also present: Manager Jeff Gray, Finance Director Lenore Spahr, Police Chief Mike Lance, Fire Chief Dean Adair, Attorney Jack Lovinger, Alex Stemme, Vicky L. Arno, Deb Hollister, Tom Sawdey, Renee Sawdey, Thomas Lennox, Christine Bowman, David Steel, Ray Leising, Margaret Hughes, Carol Burton, Franklin Bowman, Dean Adair Sr., Penny Swan, Dorothy Pogats, Jim Pogats, Dave Betz, Don Germann, Rick Riggs, Lisa Adair, Kurtis Bulloch, Joe Luna, Alan Russell, Susan Sweeney, Mike Sweeney, Carol Betts, Lisa Conyne, Kathy Humphries, Michael Sweeney, Marcy Boone, Bob Snow, Jim Pope, Steve Tulloch, Mary Playford, Brian Playford, Greg Draper, Corey J. Murray, Joe Ruden, Teryn Bugbee, Marjorie Font and Brittany Page.

The Pledge of Allegiance and moment of silence was led by Mayor Gerry Arno.

A motion was made by Jerry Drake and supported by Brenda Guyse to approve the agenda as presented. All in favor. Motion carried.

The following spoke during the public comment section: Steve Tulloch, Joe Ruden, Alan Russell, David Betz, Thomas Lennox, David Steel, Dean Adair Sr., Bob Snow, Don Germann, Kurtis Bulloch, Rick Riggs, Mike Sweeney, Lisa Conyne, Marcy Boone, Jim Pope, Alex Stemme and Teryn Bugbee.

Council member Delesha Padula spoke on the following topics: the City Manager role and the City complaint process. Attorney Lovinger spoke on the following topics: City property usage and events, along with when council members can or should abstain from voting.

Council member Delesha Padula asked that Council direct Fire Chief Dean Adair to meet with the personnel committee for a fact-finding meeting only to discuss the complaints about the handling of the fire truck presentation/budget.

A motion was made by Brenda Guyse and supported by Andy Penrose for the personnel committee and Fire Chief Dean Adair schedule a meeting to discuss the complaints about the handling of the fire truck presentation/budget. All in favor. Motion carried.

Mayor Gerry Arno adjourned the meeting at 9:04 p.m.

Submitted by:

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Cynthia D. Means  
Clerk

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Gerald E. Arno  
Mayor