

November 19, 2012
Gladwin, Michigan

The Regular Meeting of the Gladwin City Council was called to order by Mayor Thomas L. Winarski at 5:00 p.m.

Present: Alward, Caffrey, Crawford, Jungman, Smith

Absent: Hindman, Mienk, Rowley

Staff Present: Bob Moffit, Shannon Greaves

Also Present: Mayor Thomas Winarski, Attorney Douglas Jacobson, Nancy Bodnar, Commissioner Bill Rhode, Commissioner Terry Walters, Dan Svetcos

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mayor Winarski and the invocation was given by Mayor Winarski.

The minutes of the November 5, 2012 meeting were approved as presented.

Motion by Council Member Alward, supported by Council Member Crawford to approve Warrant #13-14 in the amount of \$41,351.31 and payroll for pay period ending November 11, 2012 in the amount of \$55,175.74. All ayes. Motion carried.

Hearing of Delegations

County Commissioner Bill Rhode stated Gladwin County issues.

County Commissioner Terry Walters stated Gladwin County issues.

Administrator Moffit thanked Bill Rhode for all his work as a County Commissioner.

Council Member Smith thanked Bill Rhode and Terry Walters for their clean campaign.

Motion by Council Member Jungman, supported by Council Member Alward to approve the agenda as presented. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Council Member Crawford, supported by Council Member Jungman to approve the consent agenda as follows: Communications – (i) Notice of Hearing – Consumers Energy Company, (ii) Master Plan – Possible Revision, (iii) Administrator Updates; Meetings – Housing Commission – October 16, 2012, County Commissioners – October 23, 2012, Fire Board – November 7, 2012

New Business

Motion by Council Member Caffrey, supported by Council Member Alward to approve Purchase Order #12-687 to Watersolve, LLC in the amount of \$4,103.00 for Polymer – Solve 5220 to come from 590-536-726.000. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Council Member Jungman, supported by Council Member Alward to approve the Christmas Parade’s use of the Waste Water Treatment Plant for the fireworks at the December 1, 2012 Christmas Parade. All ayes. Motion carried.

RESOLUTION
2013 POVERTY EXEMPTIONS

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Gladwin has recognized the need to adopt standardized guidelines when reviewing poverty exemptions; and

WHEREAS, the guidelines were adopted prior to the 1994 March Board of Review which included income levels set forth using federal poverty income standards.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the asset level for 2013 poverty exemption applications not exceed \$10,000 and the following income levels be utilized as well by the city board of review when considering 2013 applications for hardship exemptions:

Size of Family Unit	Annual allowable income
1 person	11,170
2 persons	15,130
3 persons	19,090
4 persons	23,050
5 persons	27,010
6 persons	30,970
7 persons	34,930
8 persons	38,890
For each additional person, add	3,960

The foregoing resolution was offered by Council Member Jungman and supported by Council Member Alward.

Roll Call Vote:

Ayes: Alward, Caffrey, Crawford, Jungman, Smith
 Nays: None
 Absent: Hindman, Mienk, Rowley
 Abstain: None

Resolution declared adopted this 19th day of November, 2012.

Comments

Mayor Winarski and Council Members stated Happy Thanksgiving.

Council Member Caffrey stated that he met with the State about the preliminary plans for a snow removal storage building. The ribbon cutting for the new fuel farm system at the Airport is scheduled for May 9, 2013 from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Administrator Moffit gave an update on the proposed Dollar General on North State Street.

Motion by Council Member Jungman, supported by Council Member Alward to adjourn. All ayes. Motion carried.

Meeting ended at 5:12 p.m.

Thomas L. Winarski, Mayor

Shannon Greaves, City Clerk