

CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING 12 N. Charles Street White Cloud, MI 49349 Minutes for August 7, 2023

A. Meeting Called to Order

The Special Meeting of the White Cloud City Council was held on the above date. Mayor Miller called the meeting to order at 4:00 p.m.

1. Roll Call

Council Members Present: Candice Dault, Damon Anuci, Jeff Murchison, Amy Barnhard, Lori

Shears, Herm Becker, Brian Miller

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: City Manager-April Storms, Clerk-Kelli Arnold, Police Chief-Dan Evans, Utility

Billing Clerk/Deputy-Makayla Brandt

2. Approval of Agenda

Approval of the Agenda for the Special Meeting August 7, 2023.

Motion by Dault, **Supported** by Anuci to approve the special meeting agenda for August 7, 2023.

Vote: Ayes-All Nays- None Absent- None

Motion Carried

3. Invocation & Pledge of Allegiance Led by Murchison

B. New Business

1. Personnel Committee follow up-DPW Full-Time Position

Recommendation from the Personnel Committee to create a position in the DPW department. The position is meant to be a lead position within the DPW in the absence of the DPW Supervisor. The position involves operating equipment and performing manual labor to participate in the completion of assigned projects. Work is performed under the general supervision of the Department Public Works Supervisor. The intent of this position is to be mentored by the DPW Supervisor for future opportunities; A starting rate of \$22.30 per hour. Education/Training includes holding a Class A CDL or ability to attain within four (4) months of hire and encouraging the person in the position to obtain a municipal water license.

Motion by Dault **Supported** by Anuci to create a Lead DPW Maintenance Operator position starting at \$22.30 per hour with the understanding it will require a Class A chauffeur license and would encourage pursuing a water license.

Roll Call Vote: Ayes-Dault, Anuci, Murchison, Barnhard, Shears, Becker, Miller Abstain-None Absent-None Motion Carried

2. Personnel Committee follow up: Full-Time School Resource Officer (SRO)

Personnel Committee is recommending to City Council to approve the 2023-2024 Full-Time SRO Agreement between the City of White Cloud and White Cloud Public Schools. The SRO work schedule will include traditional day time school hours as well as evening sporting events, not to exceed 1,520 hours per school year. The WCPS expense is estimated at \$37,620.00 paid in 3 installments; the City will provide a total of \$13,290.00 in wage, fringe plus additional expenses for the Program. The remaining 14 weeks in a year, the Officer will be on road patrol with all costs, benefits and additional expenses covered by the City of White Cloud. The rate of pay is \$24.75 per hour.

Motion by Becker **Supported** by Dault to approve the Full-Time School Resource Officer Agreement and an hourly pay rate of \$24.75.

Roll Call Vote: Ayes-Becker, Dault, Barnhard, Murchison, Shears, Anuci, Miller Nays-None Abstain-None Absent-None Motion Carried

C. Adjournment

Motion by Becker Supported by Anuci to adjourn the special meeting at 4:17 p.m.

Vote: Ayes-All Nays- None Absent-None Abstained: None Motion Carried

Brian J. Miller, Mayor

Kelli Arnold, Clerk

Approved on 9-5-300

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