

**City of Stanton
Regular Meeting Minutes
January 24, 2023**

1. Call to Order

The City of Stanton regular meeting was called to order at 6:30 PM by Mayor Ferguson.

2. Pledge of Allegiance

3. Roll Call

Present: Mayor Bill Ferguson, Lewis Corwin, Tamara Kuhn, Jane Basom, Jacky McGill, Ray Holloway, Charles Miel

Absent:

4. Approval of Agenda

Motion made by Miel second by Corwin to approve the agenda. Motion carried on a voice vote.

5. Public Comments

None.

6. Standing Items

- a. Motion made by McGill second by Kuhn to approve the regular meeting minutes of January 10, 2023. Motion carried on a voice vote.
- b. Motion made by Kuhn second by Holloway to approve the bills for the 2nd half of January 2023 in the total amount of \$50,246.15. Motion carried on a voice vote. Basom abstained from vote due to conflict of interest, as the owner of See Jane B – Creative Solutions, an item on the approval of bills.

7. Monthly Reports

- a. Stanton Police Department- Richmond doing well at academy, SRO contract, potential distracted driving ordinance.
- b. DPW Report- Written report provided, equipment maintenance, Miss Dig.
- c. Clerk/Treasurer Report- May election, water/sewer bond ordinances.
- d. City Manager Report- SRO contract, DWAM Grant agreement update, budget amendments, trail updates, goal setting.

8. Presentation

- a. Presentation on recycling compactor by Mark Sabin, Chair of Montcalm County Solid Waste Committee. Mark spoke about the benefits of a compactor and requested the City contribute funds not to exceed \$5,000 for the installment of a recycling compactor at the Stanton location.

9. Old Business

- a. Discussion on marihuana ordinances regarding curbside and drive-thru services. Motion made by Kuhn second by McGill to instruct the Planning Commission to

review/revise the Marihuana Zoning Ordinance to allow for curbside pickup.
Motion carried on a voice vote, Holloway casting the lone opposing vote.

10. New Business

- a. Motion made by Miel second by Basom to approve Michigan Homeowner Assistance Fund MSHDA Provider Participation Agreement. Motion carried on a voice vote.

11. Committee Reports

None.

12. Public Comments

None.

13. Commission Comments

Mayor Ferguson, Commissioner Holloway, and Commissioner Basom commented about the progress of constructing the new manager evaluation form.

14. Adjournment

Motion made by Miel second by McGill to adjourn at 8:06 PM. Motion carried on a voice vote.

Rachael Coffey, Clerk