

CITY OF TECUMSEH  
COUNCIL MEETING  
SEPTEMBER 18, 2017  
TECUMSEH CITY HALL  
7:30 P.M.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Baker.

Mayor Baker led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll call was taken as follows:

PRESENT: Mayor Baker, Council members Fox, Harmon, Keiser, Naugle, Philo,  
and Wimple.

ABSENT: None.

Guests were welcomed to the meeting by Mayor Baker.

Motion Keiser and seconded Wimple, to approve the September 18, 2017 agenda as presented.  
Motion carried unanimously.

Motion Wimple and seconded Harmon, to receive and place on file the report of the City  
Manager. The following items were added or discussed: 1) Brookside Cemetery Community  
Service; 2) Tecumseh listed as one of USA Today's 10 Best Fall Road Trips in MI; 3) TCA's  
National Touring Season and VBO Ticketing System; and 4) Park's & Recreation staff and 7<sup>th</sup>  
Grade STEAM students clear invasive species from Indian Crossing Trails. Motion carried  
unanimously.

#### RESOLUTION

CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TECUMSEH RESOLVES: To adopt the Consent Agenda,  
approving, receiving and placing on file the following: (1) City Council minutes from the regular  
meeting held September 5, 2017; (2) Budget Report; (3) September 2017 Report of the Police  
Department; and (4) September 2017 Report of the Fire Department.

RESOLUTION was offered by Council member Harmon and supported  
by Council member Riddle. A roll call vote was taken as follows:

YES: Baker, Fox, Harmon, Keiser, Naugle, Riddle, and Wimple.

NO: None.

RESOLUTION DECLARED ADOPTED.

#### RESOLUTION

CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TECUMSEH RESOLVES: To approve the September 5,  
2017 list of bills to be paid.

RESOLUTION was offered by Council member Naugle and supported  
by Council member Harmon. A roll call vote was taken as follows:

YES: Fox, Harmon, Keiser, Naugle, Riddle, Wimple, and Baker.

NO: None.

RESOLUTION DECLARED ADOPTED.

## RESOLUTION

CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TECUMSEH RESOLVES: To approve the purchase of a John Deere Z930R Commercial Ztrak from Bader and Son's of Tecumseh in the amount of \$13,435.00 and a trade-in value of \$1,500.00; nothing that the City may choose to sell the existing mower separately if it can obtain a higher price than the trade-in value.

RESOLUTION was offered by Council member Harmon and supported by Council member Keiser. A roll call vote was taken as follows:

YES: Harmon, Keiser, Naugle, Riddle, Wimple, Baker, and Fox.

NO: None.

RESOLUTION DECLARED ADOPTED.

## RESOLUTION

CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TECUMSEH RESOLVES: To approve the sale of the existing John Deere Z830 mower and Easy Rake attachment operated by the Cemetery Department for \$2,250.00; which exceeds the trade-in value of \$1,500.00 which was bid by Bader and Sons Co.

RESOLUTION was offered by Council member Keiser and supported by Council member Harmon. A roll call vote was taken as follows:

YES: Keiser, Naugle, Riddle, Wimple, Baker, Fox, and Harmon.

NO: None.

RESOLUTION DECLARED ADOPTED.

During miscellaneous business, Manager Swallow updated City Council on the Michigan Natural Resources Trust Fund Grant to install new restrooms at the Tecumseh Park (Pit). Tecumseh scored very well, however did not receive the Lowe's Foundation Grant. Manager Swallow stated that the City will need to come up with the match for the trust fund grant money. Fortunately, the City has been contacted by a local trust that would like to donate around \$30,000. Swallow added that we may need a budget amendment to come up with the last \$5000.

Council member Naugle reminded everyone of the last Car Show of the season on Thursday, September 21, 2017.

Council member Wimple requested an update on the election filing deadline for November 2017. Manager Swallow told Council member that the Governor has signed off on the legislation and has approved the extended filing deadlines for the candidates, and the Bureau of Elections has been notified.

Motion Harmon and seconded Wimple, to adjourn the meeting at 7:45 p.m. Motion carried unanimously.

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Jackson L. Baker, Mayor

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Jessica Emrick, City Clerk