

City of Albion
Council Special Session Minutes
May 13, 2019

I. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Atchison called the regular meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

II. MOMENT OF SILENCE TO BE OBSERVED

III. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

IV. ROLL CALL

PRESENT: Vicky Clark (1), Lenn Reid (2); Sonya Brown (3); Marcola Lawler (4); Shane Williamson (6) and Mayor Atchison. Jeanette Spicer (5) arrived at 7:15 p.m.

ABSENT: All members were present

STAFF PRESENT:

Scott Kipp, Acting City Manager/Chief Public Safety; Cullen Harkness, City Attorney; Jill Domingo, City Clerk; John Tracy, Director Planning, Building & Code Enforcement and Haley Snyder, Acting Assistant City Manager/Deputy Clerk/Treasurer.

V. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA (Includes any proposed additions, deletions or other changes to the agenda)

Brown moved, Reid supported, CARRIED, to Approve the Agenda as presented. (6-0, vv)

VI. PRESENTATIONS-None

VII. PUBLIC HEARINGS-None

VIII. PUBLIC Comments (Persons addressing the City Council shall limit their comments to agenda items and to no more than three (3) minutes. Proper decorum is required.)

Comments were received from David Warnsley, 1210 Maple St; Garrett Brown, 1016 S. Superior St.; Serena Smith, 903 Burr Oak; Lonnie Brewer, 1200 Hillside Rd Apt. 9; Tiffany Isom; Renee Miller, 208 Miller Dr; Jacques Harris, 212 Dalrymple; Lee Embry, 600 Orchard Dr; Charlene McCormick, 216 S. Ann St;

Fred Alexander, 208 Watson St; Tramaine Williams, 808 S. Eaton St; Leslie Dick, 700 E. Michigan Avenue and Steven Moore.

IX. CLOSED SESSION-None

X. CONSENT CALENDAR (VV) Items on the Consent Calendar are voted on as one unit) - None

XI. ITEMS FOR INDIVIDUAL DISCUSSION

A. Request Approval of an Independent Investigation into the Actions of ADPS following the 11/24/18 Incident

Council Member Brown made a motion to Approve Independent Investigation into the Actions of ADPS following the 11/24/18 Incident.

Council Member Williamson made a motion to **TABLE** Independent Investigation into the Actions of ADPS following the 11/24/18 Incident until Report from Michigan State Police can be Reviewed.

Comments were received from Council Members Williamson, Brown, Reid and Clark; Mayor Atchison and City Attorney Harkness.

Council Member Brown called Point of Order.

Council Member Reid Called the Question.

Mayor Atchison called Point of Order.

Williamson moved, Reid supported, **FAILED** to **TABLE** Independent Investigation into the Actions of ADPS following the 11/24/18 Incident until Report from Michigan State Police can be Reviewed. (3-4, rcv) (Clark, Brown, Lawler, Spicer dissenting).

Comments were received from Council Members Lawler, Spicer, Reid, Clark, Williamson and Brown; Mayor Atchison and City Attorney Harkness.

Brown moved, Lawler supported, **CARRIED** to **Approve** Independent Investigation into the Actions of ADPS following the 11/24/18 Incident as presented. (7-0, rcv)

XII. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS-None

XIII. PUBLIC COMMENTS (Persons addressing the City Council shall limit their comments to no more than three (3) minutes. Proper decorum is required.)

Comments were received from Greg Gant, 26730 W. Michigan Avenue; Fred Alexander, 208 Watson St; Renee Miller, 208 Miller Dr; David Warnsley, 1210 Maple; Jacques Harris, 212 Dalrymple St; Garrett Brown, 1016 S. Superior St; Lee Embry, 600 Orchard Dr; Fred Alexander, 208 Watson St; Lonnie Brewer, 1200 Hillside Rd Apt. 9; Steven Moore; Council Member Reid and Serena Smith, 903 Burr Oak.

Council Member Lawler called Point of Order.

XIV. CITY MANAGER REPORT-None

XV. MAYOR AND COUNCIL MEMBER'S COMMENTS

No comments were received.

XVI. EXCUSE ABSENT COUNCIL MEMBER (S)

No action was necessary as all members were present.

XVII. ROLL CALL

PRESENT: Vicky Clark (1), Lenn Reid (2), Sonya Brown (3), Marcola Lawler (4), Jeanette Spicer (5), Shane Williamson (6) and Mayor Atchison.

ABSENT: All members were present

XVIII. ADJOURNMENT

Brown moved, Clark supported, CARRIED, to adjourn the special session. (7-0, vv)

Mayor Atchison adjourned the Regular Session at 8:33 p.m.

Date

Jill Domingo
City Clerk