

**CITY OF RIVER ROUGE, MICHIGAN  
REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL  
CONFERENCE July 21, 2020**

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Mayor Bowdler in the Chair

Meeting called to order at 7:30 P.M.

Present: Campbell, Laginess, Pierce, Ward

Absent: Cooney, Perry

Also Present: Patricia Johnson- City Clerk, Dennis Cora-City Treasurer Pasha- Assessor, Dave Greco-Legal Counsel, Roberto Cruz- Public Safety Director, Finance Director-Carl Johnson

20-177

Moved by Commissioner Pierce, supported by Commissioner Campbell, CARRIED to approve the minutes of July 7, 2020.

Yeas: Campbell, Laginess, Pierce, Ward, Bowdler

Nays: None

20-178

Moved by Mayor Bowdler, supported by Commissioner Campbell, Commissioner Pierce, CARRIED to approve to hire Edward Otis as a part time Police Office with an at will contract. Effective hire date of July 22, 2020 pay per Public Safety Director Roberto Cruz.

Yeas: Campbell, Laginess, Pierce, Ward, Bowdler

Nays: None

20-179

Moved by Mayor Bowdler supported by Commissioner Ward, CARRIED to approve two police vehicles to be sold in the Auction per Public Safety Director Roberto Cruz.

Yeas: Campbell, Laginess, Pierce, Ward, Bowdler

Nays: None

20-180

Moved by Mayor Bowdler, supported by Commissioner Pierce, Commissioner Ward, CARRIED to approve to switch Ice Arena demolition money to residential demolition in the value of \$300,000.00

Yeas: Campbell, Laginess, Pierce, Ward, Bowdler

Nays: None

20-181

Moved by Commissioner Laginess, supported by Commissioner Ward, CARRIED to approve to move 542 Lenoir Block Club Party from August 8, 2020 to August 22, 2020.

Yeas: Campbell, Laginess, Pierce, Ward, Bowdler

Nays: None

20-182

Moved by Commissioner Laginess, supported by Commissioner Ward, CARRIED to approve Adidas presentation presented for the Beechwood Center.

Yeas: Campbell, Laginess, Pierce, Ward, Bowdler

Nays: None

20-183

Moved by Mayor Bowdler, supported by Commissioner Campbell, CARRIED to approve Fireworks Sponsored by DTE in the amount of \$10,000.00 for September 5, 2020, in case of a rain out Fireworks will be held on September 6, 2020.

Yeas: Campbell, Laginess, Pierce, Ward, Bowdler

Nays: None

20-184

Moved by Commissioner Ward, supported by Commissioner Pierce, CARRIED to approve name change for Green Care license holder from Marwan Dally to Steven Dally.

Yeas: Campbell, Laginess, Pierce, Ward, Bowdler

Nays: None

20-185

Moved by Commissioner Ward, supported by Commissioner Laginess, CARRIED to approve Michelle Mishaw owner of 264 Richter to purchase 266 Richter for \$100.00.

Yeas: Campbell, Laginess, Pierce, Ward, Bowdler

Nays: None

20-186

Moved by Commissioner Ward, supported by Commissioner Laginess, CARRIED to approve sale of 47. E Pleasant to Edward Frady for \$3,100.00 per City Attorney David Bower.

Yeas: Campbell, Laginess, Ward, Bowdler

Nays: Perry

20-187

Moved by Commissioner Pierce, supported by Commissioner Laginess, Commissioner Ward, CARRIED to approve checks 71113-71201 plus payments to Automated Benefit Services in the amount of \$1,507.52 plus two payrolls.

Yeas: Campbell (except 71127, 71128, 71129, 71201), Laginess, Pierce, Ward(71194), Bowdler

Nays: None

Abstain: Campbell on 71029, 71030, 71031, Pierce on 71081, Ward on 71107

20-188

Moved by Commissioner Pierce, Commissioner Ward, supported by Commissioner Campbell, CARRIED to approve overtime figures in the amount of \$10,605.97.

Yeas: Campbell, Laginess, Pierce, Ward

Nays: None

20-189

Moved by Commissioner Pierce, supported by Commissioner Pierce, Commissioner Ward, CARRIED to approve 11 Building permit, 8 Electrical permits, 10 Mechanical permits, 4 Plumbing permits for a total of 33 Permits.

Yeas: Campbell, Laginess, Pierce, Ward, Bowdler

Nays: None

20-190

Motion to adjourn at 9:10 P.M.

Patricia Hudson-Johnson - City Clerk

Bridgette Bowdler- Deputy City Clerk