

Regular Council Meeting of the City of Melvindale was held in the Mayor's office, 3100 Oakwood Blvd., on Wednesday, May 19, 2021 at 7:30 p.m., VIA ZOOM.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Wheeler T. Marsee, Jr. and roll call was taken:

PRESENT COUNCIL MEMBERS: Jackson, Filipowski, Rauser, Frederick, Densmore, Cartrette

***NOTE: All council attended via ZOOM**

ALSO PRESENT (via ZOOM): Linda Land, City Clerk;
Michel Belch, Treasurer; Lawrence J. Coogan, Corporation Counsel;
Richard S. Ortiz, City Administrator/Finance Director; Dan Jones, Police Chief;
Joseph Murray, Fire Chief; Larrie Ordus, DPW Director; Brad Burns, Chief Building Official

Invocation – Deaconess Annette Taylor

21-05-087 Moved by Filipowski and supported by Jackson, to approve the Regular Council meeting minutes dated May 5, 2021.

Passed Unanimously

Audience Participation

21-05-088 Moved by Filipowski and supported by Frederick, to approve the purchase of a new K9 vehicle, 2021 Ford Utility Interceptor from Gorno Ford, 22025 Allen Rd., Woodhaven, MI 48183, in the amount of \$56,472.90 and further that the funds will come from the Federally Distressed Cities, Townships and Villages grant (FDCVT) in the amount of \$53,378.00 and the balance of the funds in the amount of \$3,394.90 will come from the general fund.

Passed Unanimously

21-05-089 Moved by Filipowski and supported by Cartrette, to waive the right to rescind the vote on resolution #21-05-088.

Passed Unanimously

21-05-090 Moved by Cartrette and supported by Rauser, to concur with the Planning Commission PC21-15 regarding the site plan approval at 2521 Oakwood.

Passed Unanimously

21-05-091 Moved by Filipowski and supported by Jackson, to receive and place on file the April 2021 Treasurer's report.

Passed Unanimously

Second Audience Participation

21-05-092 Moved by Filipowski and supported by Jackson, to receive and place on file the invoice and cover sheet and to authorize the payment of the approved invoices totaling \$334,609.42 and the electronic transfers totaling \$329,535.74.

Passed Unanimously

21-05-093 Moved by Filipowski and supported by Frederick, to adjourn at 8:16 p.m., no objections, so ordered.

Passed Unanimously

Wheeler T. Marsee, Jr., Mayor

Linda Land, City Clerk