

Present: President Mooney; President Pro-Tem Peddie; Members: Abboud, Delaney, Mueller, Nunez and Oen

Absent: None

Also Present: Manager, Wilson
Assistant Manager/Clerk, Marshall
Village Attorney, Ryan

President Mooney called the regular Council meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. in the Village of Beverly Hills municipal building at 18500 W. Thirteen Mile Road. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited by those in attendance.

ADDITIONS TO AGENDA/APPROVE AGENDA

Motion by Oen, second by Mueller, to amend the agenda, adding “Business Item 2. Waive Sales Restrictions in Beverly Park for Birmingham Next Octoberfest on September 14, 2017”.

Motion passed.

Motion by Oen, second by Mueller, to approve the agenda as amended.

Motion passed.

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

None.

PUBLIC COMMENTS ON ITEMS NOT ON THE PUBLISHED AGENDA

None.

CONSENT AGENDA

Motion by Oen, second by Peddie, to approve the consent agenda as follows:

1. Review and consider approval of minutes of a regular Council meeting held August 1, 2017.
2. Review and file bills recapped as of Monday, August 7, 2017.

Roll Call Vote:

Motion passed (7-0)

BUSINESS AGENDA

REVIEW AND CONSIDER TRAFFIC CONTROL ORDER #421-TP-17 REGARDING NO TURN ON RED FOR WEST BOUND 14 MILE RD. AT LAHSER RD.

Wilson explained that a Traffic Control order for a no turn on red for west bound 14 Mile Rd. at Lahser Rd. had been reviewed by Village Engineer Tom Meszler, and submitted to Council for

approval. He and Meszler have investigated the site, and due to overgrown vegetation on private property, sight lines are not clear, making a right turn on red unsafe.

Sharon Tischler, Virmar Court, voiced concern that the intersection is a boundary between the Village and Bloomfield Township; and questioned whether the Village has authority to put this traffic order in place.

Wilson stated that Meszler spoke with Oakland County who assured him the Village has full jurisdiction over the intersection.

Motion by Delaney, second by Oen, be it resolved that the Beverly Hills Village Council approve Traffic Control Order #421-TP-17 to prohibit right turn on red for west bound 14 Mile rd. at Lahser.

Roll Call Vote:

Motion passed (5-2)

Mueller Yes

Nunez No

Oen Yes

Peddie Yes

Delaney Yes

Mooney No

REVIEW AND CONSIDER WAIVING SALES RESTRICTION IN BEVERLY PARK FOR BIRMINGHAM NEXT OCTOBERFEST SEPTEMBER 14, 2017

Birmingham Next will be holding their annual picnic at Beverly Park and requested having a food truck on site.

Motion by Oen, second by Delaney, be it resolved that the Council for the Village of Beverly Hills waive sales restrictions in Beverly Park for Birmingham Next Octoberfest on September 14, 2017.

Roll Call Vote:

Motion passed (7-0).

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Residents Tony and Jennifer Roma, Beverly Road, expressed their support of residents Racheal and Damon Hrydziuszko, Evergreen Road, and their efforts to request that the Council consider a change in the ordinance as it relates to keeping chickens on residential property.

The Romas were advised to schedule a meeting with Administration and were directed to consult the Village Charter for directives on how to petition to have an ordinance placed on the ballot.

MANAGER'S REPORT

Eriy Dam Project - The Village received permit approval for the Evergreen Rd. Culvert Stabilization project on August 2nd from the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality

(MDEQ). This project will repair failures to the spillway of the Erity Dam that were damaged in 2015 and also stabilize the area around the culvert on Evergreen. I have attached a copy of the permit for Council's review. Preliminary sitework will begin on Monday, August 14th. The existing guardrail will be removed. Brush, debris, and fallen trees will be removed to allow the contractor to access the site. Construction work will begin on Monday, August 21st and will be completed by Friday, September 1st. Evergreen Rd. will be closed to through traffic from the 21st to the 1st, but will remain open for local traffic.

Evergreen Rd. Paving Project - The City of Southfield has informed the Village that final paving of the intersection of Evergreen Rd. and 13 Mile will begin on Tuesday, August 15th. With final pavement marking and clean up, the road will be reopened to traffic by Friday, September 1st.

Safest Cities Award - The Village has been notified by the organization Safewise that Beverly Hills ranks as the 12th safest community in Michigan for 2017. This ranking is up from 19th last year. So far for 2017 the Village has received the following awards/recognitions:

- Best City in Michigan to Buy a Home. ~ Simplehost.com
- 3rd Best Community in Michigan to Raise a Family. ~ Wallethub.com
- 4th Best Suburban Community in Michigan. ~ Niche
- Top 10 Safest Cities in Michigan (7th). ~ Alarms.org
- 20 Safest Cities in Michigan (12th). ~ Safewise

Labor Day - Village Offices will be closed on Monday, September 4th in observance of Labor Day. Trash collection will be delayed by one day that week.

Recycling Bins – SOCRRA continues to deliver the new recycling carts, they are currently ahead of delivery schedule and the carts should be delivered in Beverly Hills before the projected September 11th date.

COUNCIL COMMENTS

Council members extended well wishes to Chief Torongeau for a speedy recovery.

Nunez stated he attended the Planning Commission meeting and communicated Council's intentions regarding the fence ordinance. There was also a long and productive conversation regarding the tree ordinance.

Mueller announced the Parks and Recreation Board meeting has been canceled for August, and encouraged residents to attend Movie Night in the Park to watch "Sing" on August 24th.

Delaney will be attending the Cable Board meeting on August 16th at 7:45 am. He reiterated that the Village Charter does provide for how a resident can get a petition on the ballot.

Oen congratulated Lt. Howard Shock who was selected by his classmates to be the recipient of the Franklin M. Kreml Leadership Award at Northwestern University's School of Police Staff and Command.

Motion by Oen, second by Abboud, to adjourn the meeting at 8:10 pm.

Motion passed.

John G. Mooney
Council President

Ellen E. Marshall
Village Clerk

Elizabeth M. Lyons
Recording Secretary