# IMLAY CITY COMMISSION 150 N. Main Street IMLAY CITY, MI 48444

SPECIAL MEETING Tuesday, July 14, 2020 6:30 P.M.

#### 1. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Joi Kempf called the special meeting to order at 6:34pm.

## 2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Mayor Joi Kempf led the Pledge of Allegiance

#### 3. ROLL CALL

Present: Mayor Joi Kempf Commissioner Stu Davis Commissioner Greg Rowden Commissioner Kelly Villanueva Pro-Tem Frank Demske Commissioner Al Ramirez Commissioner Ted Sadler

Absent: none

**Also Present:** City Clerk Dawn Sawicki-Franz, City Attorney David Churchill, Tri City Times Reporter Thomas Wearing and residents.

## 4. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

**Motion** by Davis supported by Sadler to approve the agenda as presented **MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY** 

5. CITIZENS FROM THE FLOOR – Police Chief Scott Pike spoke to council regarding the current issues around the country and reassured council that he has a dedicated staff in place. Pike stated he has several officers out for different reasons as well as one retiring and one new officer beginning training.

### 6. NEW BUSINESS

# A. CITY MANAGER DISCUSSION

Mayor Joi Kempf stated that the Personnel Committee recommended hiring Craig Horton for the posted City Manager position. Lengthy discussion followed.

**Motion** by Villanueva supported by Sadler to allow the personnel committee to negotiate a proposed contract with Craig Horton regarding the position of City of Imlay City, City Manager.

#### **ROLL CALL VOTE**

Ayes: Villanueva, Sadler, Rowden, Demske, Kempf

Navs: Ramirez, Davis

**Motion Carried** 

### 7. OTHER – CARES ACT GRANT

Discussion regarding Hazzard Pay Premium Program for local government police and first responders available through the Cares Act.

**Motion** by Davis supported by Ramirez to move forward with applying for grant funds available for police and first responders as Hazzard Pay for our responders.

# **ROLL CALL VOTE**

Ayes: Davis, Ramirez, Rowden, Sadler, Villanueva, Demske, Kempf

Nays: None

**Motion Carried Unanimously** 

# 8. ADJOURNMENT

**Motion** by Davis supported by Sadler to adjourn at 7:28pm. **MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY** 

Respectfully submitted by: _		
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APPROVED: July 21, 2020