



**MINUTES
REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING
40TH CITY COUNCIL
OAK PARK, MICHIGAN
SEPTEMBER 3, 2024
7:00 PM**

1. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM by Mayor McClellan in the Council Chambers of City Hall located at 14000 Oak Park Boulevard, Oak Park, MI 48237. (248) 691-7544.

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

3. ROLL CALL

PRESENT: Mayor McClellan, Council Member Edgar, Council Member Radner, Council Member Whitehead

Excused: Mayor Pro Tem Carolyn Burns (Illness)

OTHERS

PRESENT: City Manager Tungate, City Clerk Norris, City Attorney Krause

4. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Motion by Radner, seconded by Whitehead, CARRIED, to approve the agenda as presented.

Voice Vote:	Yes:	McClellan, Edgar, Radner, Whitehead
	No:	None
	Absent:	Burns

5. CONSENT AGENDA

Motion by Edgar, seconded by Radner, CARRIED, to approve the consent agenda consisting of the following items:

Voice Vote:	Yes:	McClellan, Edgar, Radner, Whitehead
	No:	None
	Absent:	Burns

- A. Regular City Council Meeting Minutes for August 26, 2024
CM-09-277-2024
- B. Approval of Pay Application No. 2 for the 2024 Sidewalk Replacement Project, M-762 in the amount of \$421,088.30
CM-09-278-2024
- C. Payment of invoices from OHM Advisors for the West Nine Mile Road Design, the Eight-Mile Booster Station Rehabilitation, and the ISO Review for the total amount of

\$7,544.00

CM-09-279-2024

- D. Recycling Commission Meeting Minutes for July 18, 2024

CM-09-280-2024

- E. Resolution with the Michigan Department of Transportation to participate in their standard maintenance agreement for the period of October 1, 2024 through September 30, 2029

CM-09-281-2024

- F. Request to approve Payment Application No. 8 (Final) for the 2023 Block Pruning Project, M-748, to Urban Tree Trimming of Detroit, MI in the amount of \$2,250.00

CM-09-282-2024

- G. Payment request from Neumann Smith Architecture for Architectural Services on the Event Hub and Municipal Services Move.

CM-09-283-2024

- H. New & Renewal License for September 3, 2024

CM-09-284-2024

6. RECOGNITION OF VISITING ELECTED OFFICIALS

- A. Oak Park Board of Education Secretary Larmender Davis

Trustee Davis provided an update on several projects being conducted by the School District including the construction of a new athletics facility that will be replacing the site of the current pool, the renovation of the High School Auditorium, the installation of new playgrounds at every Elementary School, and a state-of-the-art gaming area that has been built in the High School.

7. SPECIAL LICENSES

- A. Request for a Special Event License submitted by Dog and Pony Show Brewing, 14661 W. 11 Mile Rd. Ste. 200, for the Angelfish Elementary PTA Cornhole Tournament, to be held September 29, 2024 from 10:00 am. – 4:00 pm.

CM-09-285-2024

Motion by Radner, seconded by Edgar, CARRIED, to approve the request for a Special Event License submitted by Dog and Pony Show Brewing, 14661 W. 11 Mile Rd. Ste. 200, for the Angelfish Elementary PTA Cornhole Tournament, to be held September 29, 2024 from 10:00 am. – 4:00 pm.

Voice Vote:	Yes:	McClellan, Edgar, Radner, Whitehead
	No:	None
	Absent:	Burns

8. CITY MANAGER

- A. Administration

1. Michigan Municipal League Community Excellence Award

City Manager Tungate informed everyone that the City of Oak Park is a finalist for a Michigan Municipal League Community Excellence Award for the 9-Mile Redesign Project. The winner will be announced at the MML Conference on September 13, 2024.

B. City Clerk

1. Institute for Responsive Government Grant Award

City Clerk Norris announced that the City of Oak Park was awarded an \$18,000 grant for election administration from the Institute for Responsive Government.

9. CALL TO THE AUDIENCE

Ken Sherman, 23840 Jerome, spoke about his concern with the lack of new programing on cable channel 15.

Pamela (Pea Gee) Geraldts, PO Box 155 Southfield, MI 48037, spoke about her plans to schedule a fourth task force meeting with Director Cooper, the Chief of Police in Southfield, and the Chief of Police in Farmington Hills and also spoke of the importance of voting in the next election.

10. CALL TO THE COUNCIL

11. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the City Council, Mayor McClellan adjourned the meeting at 07:20 PM.

T. Edwin Norris, City Clerk