Elkton Village Council Regular Meeting
Tuesday October 13th, 2026
Elkton Village Hall
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Elkton, MI 48731
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President Pro-tem Bridgette Dufty called the regular meeting of the Elkton Village Council to order at 6:30P.M. with the Pledge of Allegiance. Trustees Present: Bob Prill, Matt Lewis, Deena Jobes, and Agnes Kosinski. Excused Absent: President Dan Armbruster and Trustee Shane Schember.

Motion Matt Lewis, second Bob Prill to approve the agenda, as amended.
Motion carried.

Motion Matt Lewis, second Agnes Kosinski to approve the minutes from the Sept. 8th, 2026 Regular Meeting, as presented.
Motion carried.

Public Comment: Dwayne Keller from the Elkton Community Club asked permission to host a Christmas Lighted Parade on Saturday December 5th at 5:30P.M. with the usual parade route. Motion Agnes Kosinski, second Bob Prill to allow the Elkton Community Club to host the Christmas Lighted Parade as presented. Discussion.
Motion carried.

Guests: 1. Lions Club-Halloween Events
Agnes Kosinski stated the Elkton Lions Club is requesting Main Street from M-142 to Hoffman Street be closed to through traffic for Trunk-or-Treat on Saturday October 31st from 4P.M.-7:30P.M.
Motion Bridgette Dufty, second Matt Lewis to allow the Lions Club to host Trunk-or-Treat as presented.
Motion carried.

2. Huron Youth Center
Phyllis Baranski stated Melissa Parrish emailed a rendering of the Huron Youth Center façade improvements they would like to complete, along with a list. Discussion.
Motion Bob Prill, second Matt Lewis to allow the Huron Youth Center Board to complete the improvements with grants, fundraising, and proper permits.
Motion carried.

Old Business: None

New Business:
1. Treasurer's Report Village Tax Collection
Phyllis Baranski reviewed the 2026 Village tax collection. The collected amount was $330,643.55 and the uncollected amount was $23,836.73 for a total of $354,480.28. Phyllis Baranski stated she already settled with the County and the County reimbursed the Village for the uncollected amount. Phyllis Baranski stated the DDA money has already been transferred to the DDA and that amount was over $26,000.

Motion Bridgette Dufty, second Matt Lewis to accept the Treasurer's Report, as presented.
Motion carried.

2. Appoint New DDA Member
   Agnes Kosinski stated the DDA is recommending the appointment of Janet Devroye to the open seat on the DDA board. Discussion.
   Motion Agnes Kosinski, second Bob Prill to approve the appointment of Janet Devroye to the DDA.
   Motion carried.

Accounts Payable
Motion Deena Jobes, second Agnes Kosinski to approve the accounts payables in the amount of $56,337.10, as presented.
Motion carried.

Department Reports
Clerk/Treasurer- Phyllis Baranski: Phyllis Baranski stated the Village was well represented at the HCCF annual celebration held at the Youth Center on September 10. Phyllis Baranski stated tax settlement went well. Phyllis Baranski stated the water bills and newsletter were mailed out to residents. Phyllis Baranski stated the Elkton Community Club Autumnfest and Born to Be Wild donated $4,500 to the Village to help with costs from the festivals.

Police-Chief Scott Jobes: Scott Jobes stated he has been working on his MCOLES continuing education credits. Scott stated he has been to the gun range and had Taser training in the last few weeks. Scott Jobes stated complaints are at 543 for the year compared to 582 last year at this time. Scott Jobes stated the Elkton Community Club Born to Be Wild is donating $1,500 to the police department for a new vest for him.

DPW-Superintendent Lonnie Schulz: Lonnie Schulz stated he is working on all the usual fall work and will be flushing hydrants soon. Lonnie stated the fall lagoon discharge will be next week and that the pre-discharge phosphorus number was below limit. Lonnie Schulz stated the bathrooms at the park will probably be closed up in the next couple weeks for winter. Lonnie Schulz thanked Scott Jobes and Phyllis Baranski for helping his department while Bernard Champagne is off work.

Ambulance-Coordinator Tracy Macdowall- Tracy Macdowall is absent. Matt Lewis gave her report. Matt stated there were 29 runs in September with 10 out of service and 7 refusals. Matt stated Cheyenne Rathje is back on the schedule to cover call.

Committee Reports: None
Public Comment: None
Motion Matt Lewis, second Agnes Kosinski to adjourn the meeting.
Motion carried.
President Pro-tem Bridgette Dufty adjourned the meeting at 6:46P.M.

approved 11-10-26
Phyllis Baranski

Respectfully submitted,
Phyllis A. Baranski, CMC, MiPMC
Elkton Village Clerk/Treasurer