

**VILLAGE OF GOODRICH  
SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING  
BUDGET WORK SESSION  
MINUTES**

DATE: TUESDAY, MAY 15, 2018

LOCATION: VILLAGE OF GOODRICH MUNICIPAL OFFICE  
LOWER LEVEL COMMUNITY ROOM  
7338 SOUTH STATE ROAD  
GOODRICH, MICHIGAN 48438

ATTENDANCE: Baldwin, McCafferty, Light, Barraco, Vick, Sidge

CALL TO ORDER: President Baldwin called the meeting to order at 6:00 PM

PUBLIC INQUIRY: One person chose to speak

1. BUDGET WORK SESSION 2018-19

- RATE STUDY WAGES AND BENEFITS: Consensus not to increase the sewer rate at this time. Consensus to change the distribution of wages and benefits from the sewer fund to the general fund for office personnel.
- PERFORMANCE REVIEWS: Sidge distributed communication from Attorney McKenney regarding the procedure for discussing time sheets and performance reviews as it relates to the Open Meetings Act and the Bullard-Plawecki Right to Know Act. Barraco question the need for a letter. Sidge stated she received direction from President Baldwin to request a letter. Sidge further stated that council has created a hostile work environment for the employees. McKenney also suggested they hire a labor attorney in his correspondence. Council began a discussion regarding complaints received about Administrator Sidge, Barraco stated he has received multiple complaints and Vick and Light stated they have also received complaints. Barraco stated they should not renew Sidge's contract. Vick, McCafferty and Barraco suggested that an attorney attend the June meeting to receive counsel on the wording for dismissal. No consensus.
- COMPENSATION: Majority consensus for a cost of living increase of 2% for all employees.

PUBLIC INQUIRY: Two people chose to speak.

ADJOURN 7:50 by consensus.

Respectfully submitted by

Jakki Sidge, Clerk

Presented: 6/11/2018

Adopted: