

## Village of Concord Council Minutes

The Village Council of Concord met on December 13, 2022 at 7:00 pm in the Village Commons Meeting Room.

Council Members Present: Jeremiah Bush, J. Jackson, T. Norris, A. Meeks, and M. Lovitt.

Council Members Absent: T. Thurman, K. George.

Public Present: K. Wyatt, D. Saenz, DPW Director J. Blossom and Village Clerk J. Lefere.

For their review, Council Members were e-mailed or given: Bills to be Paid in Amount of \$47,548.87; Revenue & Expense Report thru 11/30/2022; Concord Area Police Blotter November 2022; November 22, 2022 Village Council Meeting Proposed Minutes; 12-13-2022 Council Meeting Agenda.

Motioned by A. Meeks, seconded by M. Lovitt, to accept the minutes from the 11/22/2022 meeting. Motion approved by all.

### Public Comments:

K. Wyatt discussed information given by E. Poleski at the Township Meeting. For information on the Jackson County Commissioners meeting go to <https://www.co.jackson.mi.us/365/Jackson-County-Commissioners> and select the news tab.

D. Saenz expressed his concern regarding Granger picking up trash on Main Street during school starting time and wondered if the trash pickup time could be changed. Clerk J. Lefere stated that she will contact Granger to request S. Main St be picked up before 7:30am or after 7:50am. He also informed everyone that the Township is having 10 trees cut down in the cemetery next week and that the equipment will be delivered to the cemetery on Saturday afternoon.

The Payment of Bills in the amount of \$47,548.87 was presented. Motioned by A. Meeks, seconded by M. Lovitt, to approve the payment of bills in the amount of \$47,548.87. Motion approved by all.

J. Bush presented the 2022 budget amendments to the council. Motioned by J. Bush, seconded by A. Meeks to approve the 2022 budget amendments as presented. All were in favor. Motion approved.

J. Bush presented the 2023 budget. Motioned by J. Bush, seconded by A. Meeks to approve the 2023 budget as presented. All were in favor. Motion approved.

Motioned by J. Bush, seconded by M. Lovitt to approve the 2023 Fire budget. All in favor. Motion approved.

L. Jacobson was unable to attend the meeting. To view a copy of L. Jacobson's Concord Area Police Blotter, go to the Village website at [www.villageofconcord.com](http://www.villageofconcord.com) look on the home page – quick links. A copy may also be picked up in the Village Office.

J. Blossom stated that the furnace replacements will be complete on Wednesday. The M-60 water main replacement should be complete by next week other than the paving which will be done in the spring. J.

Blossom also informed the council that he is getting prices on 7 doors that need to be replaced in village buildings. ARPA funds will be used to replace the doors.

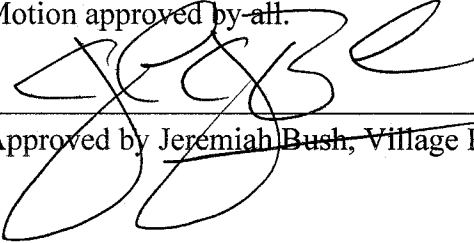
The village received one application for the Planning Commission position. Motioned by J. Bush, seconded by M. Lovitt to appoint John Compton to the Planning Commission. All were in favor. Motion approved.

Council Comments:

J. Bush presented a picture of the Concord Class of 1925 that was donated to the village.

With no other business to discuss, it was motioned by A. Meeks, seconded by J. Bush, to adjourn at 7:20 pm.

Motion approved by all.

  
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Approved by Jeremiah Bush, Village President

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