



CITY OF BURTON
BURTON CITY COUNCIL MEETING
JULY 7, 2014
MINUTES

Council Chambers
Committee of the Whole
6:00 PM

4303 S. CENTER ROAD
BURTON, MI 48519

This meeting was opened by President Tom Martinbianco at 6:00 PM.

A. CALL TO ORDER

Attendee Name	Title	Status	Arrived
Tom Martinbianco	President	Present	
Duane Haskins	Vice-President	Present	
Dennis O'Keefe	Councilman	Present	
Steve Heffner	Councilman	Late	6:09 PM
Ellen Ellenburg	Councilwoman	Present	
Danny Wells	Councilman	Late	6:30 PM
Vaughn Smith	Councilman	Present	

B. STAFF PRESENT

Rik Hayman, Executive Assistant, Sue Warren, Human Resources, Teresa Karsney, City Clerk

C. AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION

None

D. COUNCIL DISCUSSION

None

E. AGENDA ITEMS

1. Interview Auditing Firms: Plante Moran 6:00 - 6:15 p.m., Yeo & Yeo 6:15 - 6:30 p.m., Taylor & Morgan 6:30 - 6:45 p.m., Rehmann Group 6:45 - 7:00 p.m.

The City Council interviewed the following four companies that had bid on the auditing services for the City. Plante Moran, Yeo & Yeo CPA's & Business Consultants, Taylor & Morgan and Rehmann Group. Some of the questions that were asked was how the transition would be handled? How many people are in each organization? Why they felt their firm was the best firm for the job? How many people would be working on the audit and what their qualification's are? Why some firms had more CPA's working on the audit than others. Were they willing to help staff through out the year if they had questions? Would the cost jump up higher after the three year are up? What other municipalities were each of them working with? Have these companies worked with MERS or forecasting for OPEB? The interviews each lasted 15 minutes.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:05 PM.