

**MONTROSE CITY COUNCIL SPECIAL WORKSHOP MEETING MINUTES**  
**November 2, 2017**

**CALL TO ORDER**

Mayor Brown called the special meeting to order at 7:01 p.m. The meeting was held at the Montrose City Office located at 141 Parkway Drive, in Montrose.

**ROLL CALL**

Present Council Members were Mayor Colleen Brown, Eldon Dunklee, Christy Sanborn, Robert Arnold, Mayor Pro-Tem Mark Richard, Tom Bigelow and Debbie Gross. Also present were City Manager Neil Rankin, and **three (3)** citizens.

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG:** Mayor Brown led the Pledge of Allegiance.

**PUBLIC COMMENTS**

Previous DPW Director Matt Fejedelem, Fejedelem's daughter Lisa Klein and Reyes spoke in favor of the ordinance.

**WORKSHOP SESSION**

*1. MEDICAL MARIHUANA ORDINANCE*

Members agreed on the following;

**First violation** – The ordinance enforcement costs and a violation letter will be hand delivered. They are given 48 hours from the time they receive the letter to fix it. If they fix it, there is still a cost for the inspection. \$5,000 for non-compliance

**Second offense** – The ordinance enforcement costs and a violation letter will be hand delivered, even if they fixed the first violation within 48 hours. If they fix it there are still inspection costs. \$10,000 for non-compliance

**Third violation** – (repeat of same issue), no grace period, automatic \$20,000 fine and revoking of city permit. Special council meeting called to decide if revocation is permanent. Notification to the State of Michigan Licensing, (LARA) after council decision.

Any approvals for ramification are to be recommendation by the Planning Board with the final decision to be determined by city council.

**MAYOR AND COUNCIL COMMENTS:** NONE

**ADJOURNMENT**

\*Mayor Brown adjourned the meeting at 9:28 p.m.

Prepared by Tina Rush, City Clerk