

REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING MAY 17, 2016

The second semi-monthly meeting of Mansfield City Council met on Tuesday, May 17, 2016 at 7:30 PM in the Council Chambers of the City Building.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited by the audience.

Councilman Jason Lawrence led the audience in prayer.

ROLL CALL: The following answered present at roll call: Bryant, Hill, Jefferson, Lawrence, Pender, Rock, Scott and Van Harlingen.

There being no objections, the reading of the Journal and Communications were dispensed with.

MR. BRYANT: I just want to give a brief Safety update to Council and the Administration. I was invited to attend a planning session today for an event taking place this Friday. It's a group of mothers that I met with at the Oasis of Love Church on the north end. They're holding a rally at the Oasis of Love park across from the Ocie Hill building. The group is called Mothers United to Save and the Save stands for Standing Against Violence Everywhere, so this, there are several mothers who have lost their children to violence and more specifically gun violence in the Mansfield community over the past decades, so they're getting together and they're calling 5 speakers to rally at the park and speak on the subject of violence and gun violence and it's taking place from 4-6 pm and I have a flyer I'll pass around. I'm inviting everyone to attend this very important rally, again, it's just to raise awareness of violence in the community. One more thing. The Cherry Hill Neighborhood Watch group over there asked me last Council session about working with the Animal Control Officer issue and I didn't have a committee meeting set up tonight but we are working on it.

SUSPEND RULES

MR. HILL: I move with respect to all bills that come before Council tonight that the rule requiring reading on three different days be suspended and that each bill be read one time by title only, seconded by Mr. Rock. The vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes: 8, Nays: 0.

LEGISLATION

AMEND 14-020 TO CHANGE CERTIFICATION BENEFITS

BY: MRS. PENDER

ORDINANCE 16-090

Amending Ord. No. 14-020 to change certain certification/license benefits and terms of employment for employees of the City, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mrs. Pender that Bill 16-091 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion, seconded by Mr. Jefferson. The bill was placed upon the floor for final passage, seconded by Mr. Jefferson. The vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes: 7, Nays: 1. Ayes: Bryant, Hill, Lawrence, Mears, Pender, Rock and Van Harlingen. Nay: Jefferson.

The bill was declared passed, signed by the President, approved by the Mayor and attested by the Clerk.

AUTH JUDGES & CLERK OF COURT TO EXECUTE SOFTWARE AGREE.

BY: MR. VAN HARLINGEN

ORDINANCE 16-091

Authorizing the Mansfield Municipal Judges and the Clerk of Court to execute a Software License Agreement and Software Maintenance Agreement with Pioneer Technology Group, LLC (“PTG”) and related documents, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mr. Van Harlingen that Bill 16-092 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion, seconded by Mr. Jefferson. The bill was placed upon the floor for final passage, seconded by Mr. Jefferson. The vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes: 8, Nays: 0. Ayes: Bryant, Hill, Jefferson, Lawrence, Mears, Pender, Rock and Van Harlingen.

The bill was declared passed, signed by the President, approved by the Mayor and attested by the Clerk.

AUTH SSD PURCHASE INTERCEPTOR UTILITY VEHICLES

BY: MR. VAN HARLINGEN

ORDINANCE 16-092

Authorizing the Safety-Service Director to purchase, without competitive bidding, from Matthews Ford Marion, Inc. two (2) 2017 Ford Police Inceptor Utility Vehicles, for the Police Department, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mr. Van Harlingen that Bill 16-094 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion, seconded by Mr. Jefferson. The bill was placed upon the floor for final passage, seconded by Mr. Jefferson. The vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes: 8, Nays: 0. Ayes: Bryant, Hill, Jefferson, Lawrence, Mears, Pender, Rock and Van Harlingen.

The bill was declared passed, signed by the President, approved by the Mayor and attested by the Clerk.

AUTH SSD ACCEPT GRANT FOR COMM. DEV.

BY: MR. LAWRENCE

ORDINANCE 16-093

Authorizing the Safety Service Director to accept and appropriate a grant from the Richland County Foundation in the amount of Four Thousand Two Hundred Dollars (\$4,200) from the Fran and Warren Rupp Donor Advised Fund, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mr. Lawrence that Bill 16-095 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion, seconded by Mr. Jefferson. The bill was placed upon the floor for final passage, seconded by Mr. Jefferson. The vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes: 8, Nays: 0. Ayes: Bryant, Hill, Jefferson, Lawrence, Mears, Pender, Rock and Van Harlingen.

The bill was declared passed, signed by the President, approved by the Mayor and attested by the Clerk.

AUTH FUNDING FROM OHIO SUPREME COURT FOR SECURITY CAMERAS

BY: MR. VAN HARLINGEN

ORDINANCE 16-094

Authorizing the acceptance of funding from the Supreme Court of Ohio in the total amount of Thirteen Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$13,500) for the purchase of security cameras, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mr. Van Harlingen that Bill 16-096 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion, seconded by Mr. Jefferson. The bill was placed upon the floor for final passage, seconded by Mr. Jefferson. The vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes: 8, Nays: 0. Ayes: Bryant, Hill, Jefferson, Lawrence, Mears, Pender, Rock and Van Harlingen.

The bill was declared passed, signed by the President, approved by the Mayor and attested by the Clerk.

APPROP \$39,500 FOR TAXIWAY E

BY: MR. VAN HARINGEN

ORDINANCE 16-095

Appropriating the sum of Thirty-nine Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$39,500) from the unappropriated General Fund (#1020) for the purpose of a required grant match for the reconstruct and straightening of Taxiway E under a grant from the Ohio Department of Transportation, office of Aviation, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mr. Van Harlingen that Bill 16-097 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion, seconded by Mr. Jefferson. The bill was placed upon the floor for final passage, seconded by Mr. Jefferson. The vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes: 8, Nays: 0. Ayes: Bryant, Hill, Jefferson, Lawrence, Mears, Pender, Rock and Van Harlingen.

The bill was declared passed, signed by the President, approved by the Mayor and attested by the Clerk.

AUTH SSD ACCEPT GRANT FOR TAXIWAY E

BY: MR. BRYANT

ORDINANCE 16-096

Authorizing the Safety-Service Director to file a grant application and to accept a grant from the Ohio Department of Transportation, Office of Aviation to advertise for bids and enter into a contract or contracts to reconstruct and straighten Taxiway "E" to said grant, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mr. Bryant that Bill 16-098 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion, seconded by Mr. Jefferson. The bill was placed upon the floor for final passage, seconded by Mr. Jefferson. The vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes: 8, Nays: 0. Ayes: Bryant, Hill, Jefferson, Lawrence, Mears, Pender, Rock and Van Harlingen.

The bill was declared passed, signed by the President, approved by the Mayor and attested by the Clerk.

AUTH CITY ACCEPT DONATION OF \$100 FOR MINORITY HEALTH FAIR

BY: MR. LAWRENCE

ORDINANCE 16-097

Authorizing the City to accept a donation of One Hundred Dollars (\$100) from Martin Tremmil for use by the Minority Health Fair, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mr. Lawrence that Bill 16-099 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion, seconded by Mr. Jefferson. The bill was placed upon the floor for final passage, seconded by Mr. Jefferson. The vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes: 8, Nays: 0. Ayes: Bryant, Hill, Jefferson, Lawrence, Mears, Pender, Rock and Van Harlingen.

The bill was declared passed, signed by the President, approved by the Mayor and attested by the Clerk.

AUTH SSD ACCEPT GRANT FOR HOOKED ON FISHING NOT DRUGS

BY: MRS. PENDER

ORDINANCE 16-098

Authorizing the Safety-Service Director to accept a Grant from the Richland County Foundation in the amount of Six Hundred Seventy-seven and 18/100 Dollars (\$677.18) to be used for the “Hooked on Fishing – Not Drugs” Program.

Upon motion by Mrs. Pender that Bill 16-100 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion, seconded by Mr. Jefferson. The bill was placed upon the floor for final passage, seconded by Mr. Jefferson. The vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes: 8, Nays: 0. Ayes: Bryant, Hill, Jefferson, Lawrence, Mears, Pender, Rock and Van Harlingen.

The bill was declared passed, signed by the President, approved by the Mayor and attested by the Clerk.

ADJOURN: Upon motion by Mr. Hill, seconded by Mr. Jefferson, and passed by voice vote, the meeting was adjourned.

Amy Yockey
Clerk of Council

Phillip Scott
President of Council