

**REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING**  
**April 20, 2021**

The second monthly meeting of Mansfield City Council met on  
Tuesday, April 20, 2021 at 7:24 PM in the  
Council Chambers of the City Building.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited by the audience.

Councilman Lawrence led the audience in prayer.

**ROLL CALL:** The following answered present at roll call: Burns, Meier, Van Harlingen, Davenport, Lawrence, Moton, Scott, Zader and Falquette.

There being no objections, the reading of the Journal and Correspondence was dispensed with.

**PUBLIC COMMENTS:**

**PRESIDENT FALQUETTE:** Clerk Amy do we have anyone that wanted to speak this evening or does any council member have any correspondence to read into the record this evening?

**AMY YOCKEY:** Nothing from me.

**PRESIDENT FALQUETTE:** Ok, very good, thank you. Are there any committee reports? And second round, would the Mayor have anything for council this evening?

**MAYOR THEAKER:** No additional Mr. President.

**PRESIDENT FALQUETTE:** Thank you. Safety Service Director Cope?

**LORI COPE:** No thank you Mr. President.

**PRESIDENT FALQUETTE:** Thank you very much. Public Works Director Ramey?

**DAVE RAMEY:** I have nothing further sir.

**PRESIDENT FALQUETTE:** Alright, and our Law Director Spon.

**JOHN SPOHN:** I have nothing further, thank you.

**PRESIDENT FALQUETTE:** Alright, thank you very much. We'll now proceed...

**LAURA BURNS:** David your muted.

**PRESIDENT FALQUETTE:** Huh, wonder when that happened. I'm sorry. Thank you. So were all the way up to Mrs. Burns if she would like to make any motions at this time about suspending any rules.

**END OF DISCUSSION**

## SUSPEND RULES

**LAURA BURNS:** I would, thank you sir. I move with respect to all bills that come before council this evening that the rule regarding reading on three different days be suspended and that each bill be read one time by title only, seconded by Mr. Falquette. The vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes: 8, Nays: 0

**STEPHANIE ZADER:** Second.

**PRESIDENT FALQUETTE:** We'll call on our first bill this evening, Councilman Davenport, 21-078. Go right ahead.

**PRESIDENT FALQUETTE:** The last bill for tonight is 21-078, Councilman Davenport.

**ALOMAR DAVENPORT:** Thank you Mr. President. I move that bill 21-078 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

**STEPHANIE ZADER:** Second.

**PRESIDENT FALQUETTE:** The clerk will now read bill 21-078.

**AMY YOCKEY:** Urging and encouraging those living and working in Mansfield and Richland County, OH, who want to get vaccinated against COVID-19 to do so as quickly as possible

### ADOPT RICHLAND COUNTY 2020 MULTI-HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN

BY: MR. DAVENPORT

BILL #21-078

ORDINANCE # 21-078

Urging and encouraging those living and working in Mansfield and Richland County, OH, who want to get vaccinated against COVID-19 to do so as quickly as possible

Upon motion by Mr. Davenport, that Bill 21-078 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion, seconded by Mrs. Zader. The bill was placed upon the floor for final passage, seconded by Mrs. Zader. The vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes: 8, Nays: 0

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

**PRESIDENT FALQUETTE:** Is there any discussion? Ok hearing none, Councilman Davenport.

**DISCUSSION:** NONE

**ALOMAR DAVENPORT:** Thank you Mr. President I move bill 21-078 be placed upon the floor for final consideration.

**STEPHANIE ZADER:** Second.

**PRESIDENT FALQUETTE:** Ok I will now make a call for the voice vote on bill 21-078. Measure passes 8-0.

END OF DISCUSSION

**PRESIDENT FALQUETTE:** The last bill for tonight is 21-079, Councilman Van Harlingen.

**JON VAN HARLINGEN:** Thank you Mr. President. I move that bill 21-079 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

**STEPHANIE ZADER:** Second.

**PRESIDENT FALQUETTE:** The clerk will now read bill 21-079.

**AMY YOCKEY:** Transferring appropriations in the amount of one thousand one hundred sixty-seven and 52/100 dollars (\$1,167.52) within the Safety Service Fund (#214), for funds to cover cost of required warranty for parking ticket equipment, and declaring an emergency.

**ACCEPTING \$22,000,000.00 FROM THE AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT OF 2021**

BY: MR. VAN HARLINGEN

BILL #21-079

ORDINANCE # 21-079

Transferring appropriations in the amount of one thousand one hundred sixty-seven and 52/100 dollars (\$1,167.52) within the Safety Service Fund (#214), for funds to cover cost of required warranty for parking ticket equipment, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mr. Van Harlingen, that Bill 21-079 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion, seconded by Mrs. Zader. The bill was placed upon the floor for final passage, seconded by Mrs. Zader. The vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes: 8, Nays: 0

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

**PRESIDENT FALQUETTE:** Is there any discussion? Ok hearing none, Councilman Van Harlingen.

**DISCUSSION:** NONE

**JON VAN HARLINGEN:** Thank you Mr. President I move bill 21-079 be placed upon the floor for final consideration.

**STEPHANIE ZADER:** Second.

**PRESIDENT FALQUETTE:** Ok I will now make a call for the voice vote on bill 21-079. Measure passes 8-0.

END OF DISCUSSION

**PRESIDENT FALQUETTE:** The last bill for tonight is 21-080, Councilwoman Meier.

**CHERYL MEIER:** Thank you Mr. President. I move that bill 21-080 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

**STEPHANIE ZADER:** Second.

**PRESIDENT FALQUETTE:** The clerk will now read bill 21-080.

**AMY YOCKEY:** Authorizing the Public Works Director to accept and appropriate a donation in the amount of three thousand and 00/100 dollars (\$3,000.00) to be used for Cyclops Ball Field, and declaring an emergency.

**AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO SUBMIT AN ANNUAL ACTION PLAN FOR FY 2021**

BY: MRS. MEIER

BILL #21-080

ORDINANCE # 21-080

Authorizing the Public Works Director to accept and appropriate a donation in the amount of three thousand and 00/100 dollars (\$3,000.00) to be used for Cyclops Ball Field, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mrs. Meier, that Bill 21-080 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion, seconded by Mrs. Zader. The bill was placed upon the floor for final passage, seconded by Mrs. Zader. The vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes: 8, Nays: 0

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

**PRESIDENT FALQUETTE:** Is there any discussion? Ok hearing none, Councilwoman Meier.

**DISCUSSION:** NONE

**CHERYL MEIER:** Thank you Mr. President I move bill 21-080 be placed upon the floor for final consideration.

**STEPHANIE ZADER:** Second.

**PRESIDENT FALQUETTE:** Ok I will now make a call for the voice vote on bill 21-080. Measure passes 8-0.

END OF DISCUSSION

**PRESIDENT MEARS:** The last bill for tonight is 21-081, Councilwoman Meier.

**CHERYL MEIER:** Thank you Mr. President. I move that bill 21-081 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

**STEPHANIE ZADER:** Second.

**PRESIDENT FALQUETTE:** The clerk will now read bill 21-081.

**AMY YOCKEY:** Authorizing the Mayor to submit Mansfield's FY 2021 Action Plan to the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) for FY 2021 Home Investment Partnership Program Funds, and declaring an emergency

**AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO SUBMIT MANSFIELD'S FY 2021 ACTION PLAN TO HUD**

**BY: MRS. MEIER**

**BILL #21-081**

**ORDINANCE # 21-081**

Authorizing the Mayor to submit Mansfield's FY 2021 Action Plan to the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) for FY 2021 Home Investment Partnership Program Funds, and declaring an emergency

Upon motion by Mrs. Meier, that Bill 21-081 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion, seconded by Mrs. Zader. The bill was placed upon the floor for final passage, seconded by Mrs. Zader. The vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes: 8, Nays: 0

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

**PRESIDENT FALQUETTE:** Is there any discussion? Ok hearing none, Councilwoman Meier.

**DISCUSSION: NONE**

**CHERYL MEIER:** Thank you Mr. President I move bill 21-081 be placed upon the floor for final consideration.

**STEPHANIE ZADER:** Second.

**PRESIDENT FALQUETTE:** Ok I will now make a call for the voice vote on bill 21-081. Measure passes 8-0.

**END OF DISCUSSION**

**CLOSING COMMENTS:**

**PRESIDENT FALQUETTE:** You're welcome. Anything further to come before council tonight? So could I have a motion for adjournment?

**STEPHANIE ZADER:** I move to close.

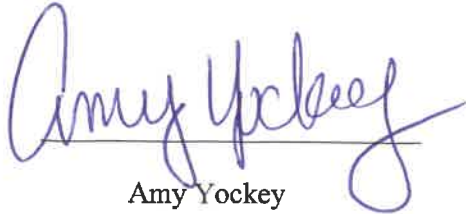
**COUNCIL MEMBERS:** Second.

**PRESIDENT FALQUETTE:** I think that was a second there. All in favor?

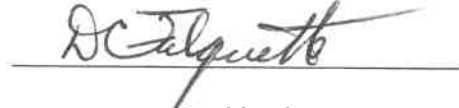
**COUNCIL MEMBERS: I**

**PRESIDENT FALQUETTE:** All opposed? Mansfield City Council is adjourned. Thank you all very much. Stay safe.

**ADJOURN:** Upon motion by Mr. Falquette, seconded by Mr. Scott, and passed by voice vote, the meeting was adjourned.



Amy Yockey  
Clerk of Council



David Falquette  
President