

**REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING  
November 5, 2019**

The First monthly meeting of Mansfield City Council met on Tuesday,  
November 5, 2019 at 7:00 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: Falquette, Rock, Van Harlingen,  
Jefferson, Lawrence, Taddie, Bryant, Mears and Scott.

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

**Public Comments:**

NONE

**Committee Reports:**

NONE

**MONDAY DEADLINE**

NONE

**SUSPEND RULES**

**MS. TADDIE:** 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.

**CLAIM: KAYLA 7 GRANT GRIGGS 236 FAIRLAWN AVE.**

**BY: MR. MEARS**

**Bill# 19-228**

**ORDINANCE # 19-221**

Authorizing payment of the claim of Kayla and Grant Griggs, 236 Fairlawn Avenue Mansfield, Ohio 44903 and, declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mr. Mears, that Bill 19-228 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion, seconded by Mr. Rock. The bill was placed upon the floor for final passage, seconded by Mr. Rock. 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.

**DISCUSSION: NONE**

**DEMOLITION: 47 GLESSNER AVENUE**

**BY: MR. LAWRENCE**

**BILL # 19-229**

**ORDINANCE # 19-222**

Declaring the remains of a designated dwelling (47 Glessner Avenue) to be insecure, unsafe, structurally defective and dangerous to life and other property; directing the demolition thereof by City forces or contract labor, materials and equipment, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mr. Lawrence that Bill 19-229 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion, seconded by Mr. Rock. The bill was placed upon the floor for final passage, seconded by Mr. Rock. 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.

**DISCUSSION: NONE**

**DEMOLITION: 287 NORTH DIAMOND STREET**

**BY: MR. LAWRENCE:**

**BIL#19-230**

**ORDANANCE # 19- 223**

Declaring the remains of a designated commercial building (287 North Diamond Street) to be insecure, unsafe, structurally defective and dangerous to life and other property; directing the demolition thereof by City forces or contract labor, materials and equipment, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mr. Lawrence, that Bill 19-230 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion, seconded by Mr. Rock. The bill was placed upon the floor for final passage, seconded by Mr. Rock. 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.

**DISCUSSION:**

PRESIDENT SCOTT: Just question? What building; commercial building on...what commercial building is that? On Diamond Street.

COUNCILMAN LAWRENCE: What is 287?

COUNCILMAN VAN HARLINGEN: Is that the one that had the fire?

DIRECTOR REMY: Is that the old scally.. that the one on the corner?

COUNCILWOMAN TADDIE: Where it comes down into a..

DIRECTOR REMY: Franklin and...

COUNCILMAN JEFFERSON: Wilmaso... yeah.

COUNCILWOMAN TADDIE: No, no, no no, no, that South Diamond Street.

(Murmurs)

PRESIDENT SCOTT: Okay.

COUNCILWOMAN TADDIE: North Diamond is up by where Diamond and Main Street come together...fifth building...

PRESIDENT SCOTT: Okay.

COUNCILWOMAN TADDIE: I drive by there all the time, I didn't recognize it...

COUNCILMAN JERFFERSON: Where's the dif...

PRESIDENT SCOTT: Okay.

DEPUTY LAW DIRECTOR CHRISTOPHER BROWN: It says it's owned by Special Visit Ministry, if that sheds some light on the...

PRESIDENT SCOTT: Okay. I was just curious.

DEPUTY LAW DIRECTOR CHIRSTOPHER BROWN: Okay.

COUNCILMAN JEFFERSON: Me too. I'm glad you asked.

PRESIDENT SCOTT: Any uh...

COUCCILMAN JEFFERSON: I can picture it.

PRESIDENT SCOTT: ...other questions, discussion?

**ANNEXATION: Intent of City Council for Annexation, Rezones and Buffer Zone**

**BY: MR. LAWRENCE:**

**BILL #19-231**

**ORDINANCE # 19- 224**

Authorizing the Safety-Service Director and Human Resources Director to enter into a Collective Bargaining Agreement with the Fraternal Order of Police, William Taylor Lodge #32 [Gold Unit] regarding the command officers within the City's Police Department, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Ms. Taddie that Bill 19-231 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion, seconded by Mr. Rock. The bill was placed upon the floor for final passage, seconded by Mr. Rock. 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.

**DISCUSSION: NONE**

**COLLECTIVE BARGINNING AGREEMENT WITH FRATERNAL ORDER OF POLICE**

**BY: MS. TADDIE:**

**BILL # 19-232**

**ORDINANCE # 19- 225**

Authorizing the Safety-Service Director and Human Resources Director to enter into a Collective Bargaining Agreement with the Fraternal Order of Police, William Taylor Lodge #32 [Blue Unit] regarding the police officers within the City's Police Department, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mr. Lawrence that Bill 19-232 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion, seconded by Mr. Rock. The bill was placed upon the floor for final passage, seconded by Mr. Rock. 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.

**DISCUSSION: NONE**

**INCREASE APPROPRIATIONS: UNAPPROPRIATED FUNDS FOR INCOME TAX**

**BY: MR. VAN HARLINGEN:**

**BIL#19-233**

**ORDANANCE # 19- 226**

Increasing appropriations from various unappropriated funds for income tax refunds for the remainder of 2019, and declaring an emergency.

demolition thereof by City forces or contract labor, materials and equipment, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mr. Van Harlingen, that Bill 19-233 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion, seconded by Mr. Rock. The bill was placed upon the floor for final passage, seconded by Mr. Rock. 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.

**DISCUSSION: NONE**

**APPROPRIATION: GRANT FROM THE OHIO CRIME LAB: \$473,049.34**

**BY: MR. VAN HARLINGEN:**

**BILL #19-234**

**ORDINANCE # 19- 227**

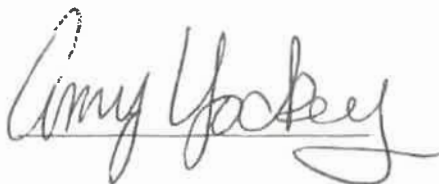
Approving the Law Director's acceptance of a grant from the Ohio Crime Victims Assistance Office to be used for the purpose of the Crime Victims Assistance Program administered by the Law Director's Office in the total amount of seventy-three thousand, forty-nine and 34/100 dollars (\$73,049.34), appropriating the funds to be expended in 2019-2020, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by MR. Van Harlingen that Bill 19-234 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion, seconded by Mr. Rock. The bill was placed upon the floor for final passage, seconded by Mr. Rock. The vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes: 8, Nays: 0

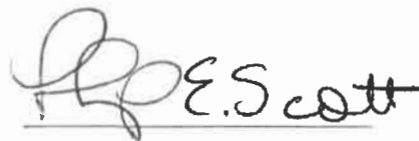
The bill was declared passed, signed by the President, approved by the Mayor and attested by the Clerk.

**DISCUSSION: NONE**

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



Amy Yockey  
Clerk of Council



Phillip Scott  
President