

REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
April 6, 2021

The first monthly meeting of Mansfield City Council met on
Tuesday, April 6, 2021 at 7:36 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

JASON LAWRENCE: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Ok we have a second by Councilman Lawrence. Please cast your vote. Motion passes 8 to 0. Thank you. Sounds like there were no late bills then. And we'll call on our first bill this evening, Councilman Scott, 21-059. Go right ahead.

PHIL SCOTT: Thank you Mr. President I move that bill 21-059 be read and placed up on the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: I have a motion and a second for 21-059. Is there.... Do we read first Clerk Amy? The clerk will now read bill 21-059.

AMY YOCKEY: Yes.

AMY YOCKEY: Honoring Captain Douglas P. Noblet Jr. upon his retirement from the Mansfield Division of Police.

HONORING CAPTAIN DOUGLAS P. NOBLET JR.

BY: MR. SCOTT

BILL #21-059

RESOLUTION #21-059

Honoring Captain Douglas P. Noblet Jr. upon his retirement from the Mansfield Division of Police.

Upon motion by Mr. Scott, that Bill 21-059 be read and placed upon the floor for final consideration, 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 further comment about Captain Noblet?

PHIL SCOTT: The only thing Mr. President, I realized I...of course it's a little different being on zoom but I didn't know if any of the council members had any personal knowledge of Captain Noblet and would like to make any personal recognition of him, so. We do that in council chambers.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: That's true, we should do that this evening. I did know Captain Noblet, I did know his uncle. He was a very gracious officer the few times I met him over the last 10 years. I'm looking at his commendations here. He certainly was not afraid to get in and do different things having

been on so many different types of service to the City of Mansfield over his career. So, he will certainly be missed. He was a very good guy. Anyone else?

DISCUSSION: NONE

PHIL SCOTT: Thank you Mr. President I move bill 21-059 be placed upon the floor for final consideration.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Council now cast their vote for passage of bill 21-059. The measure passes 8 to 0. Excellent.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Next bill 21-060. Councilman Scott.

PHIL SCOTT: Thank you Mr. President. I move that bill 21-060 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: The clerk will now read bill 21-060.

AMY YOCKEY: Honoring Officer Richard E. Dittrich upon his retirement from the Mansfield Division of Police

HONORING OFFICER RICHARD E. DITTRIC

BY: MR. SCOTT

BILL #21-060

ORDINANCE #21-060

Honoring Officer Richard E. Dittrich upon his retirement from the Mansfield Division of Police.

Upon motion by Mr. Scott, that Bill 21-060 be read and placed upon the floor for final consideration, 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: Ok thank you. Is there any discussion on the bill? Alright hearing none, Councilman Scott.

DISCUSSION: NONE

PHIL SCOTT: Thank you Mr. President I move bill 21-060 be placed upon the floor for final consideration.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Council now cast their vote for passage of bill 21-060. And the measure passes 8 to 0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Moving onto bill #21-061, Councilman Lawrence.

JASON LAWRENCE: Thank you Mr. President. I move that bill 21-061 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: The clerk will now read bill 21-061.

AMY YOCKEY: Authorizing payment of the claim of Gabrielle Cooney of 1155 Devonwood Road, Mansfield, Ohio 44907, and declaring an emergency.

CLAIM OF GABRIELLE COONEY

BY: MR. LAWRENCE

BILL #21-061

ORDINANCE #21-061

Authorizing payment of the claim of Gabrielle Cooney of 1155 Devonwood Road, Mansfield, Ohio 44907, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mr. Lawrence, that Bill 21-061 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? Hearing none, Councilman Lawrence.

DISCUSSION: NONE

JASON LAWRENCE: Thank you Mr. President I move bill 21-061 be placed upon the floor for final consideration.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Council will now cast their vote for passage of bill 21-061. Measure passes 8 to 0. Thank you all very much.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE We will move onto bill 21-062, and that is Councilman Lawrence.

JASON LAWRENCE: Thank you Mr. President. I move that bill 21-062 be read and placed on the floor, be re-read.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE The clerk will now read bill 21-062.

AMY YOCKEY: Authorizing payment of the claim of Harry and Judith Waldman, 4137 W. Covert Road Perrysville, Ohio 44864 and, declaring an emergency.

CLAIM OF HARRY AND JUDITH WALDMAN

BY: MR. LAWRENCE

BILL #21-062

ORDINANCE # 21-062

Authorizing payment of the claim of Harry and Judith Waldman, 4137 W. Covert Road Perrysville, Ohio 44864 and, declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mr. Lawrence, that Bill 21-062 be placed upon the floor for final consideration, 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: Thank you Amy. Is there any discussion? Ok hearing none, Councilman Lawrence.

DISCUSSION: NONE

JASON LAWRENCE: Thank you Mr. President. I move that bill 21-062 be placed on the floor for final consideration.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Council will now cast their vote for final passage of bill 21-062. The measure passes 8 to 0. Very nice.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Ok and another bill we moved on to tonight 21-063, Councilman Lawrence.

JASON LAWRENCE: Thank you, Mr. President. I move that bill 21-063 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: The clerk will now read bill 21-063.

AMY YOCKEY: Authorizing payment of the claim of Michael Cline, in his capacity as owner and agent of “161 N TRIMBLE LLC”, located at 161 North Trimble Road, Mansfield, Ohio 44906, and declaring an emergency

AUTHORIZING PAYMENT OF THE CLAIM OF MICHAEL CLINE

BY: MR. LAWRENCE

BILL #21-063

ORDINANCE # 21-063

Authorizing payment of the claim of Michael Cline, in his capacity as owner and agent of “161 N TRIMBLE LLC”, located at 161 North Trimble Road, Mansfield, Ohio 44906, and declaring an emergency

Upon motion by Mr. Lawrence, that Bill 21-063 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 on this very important bill? Ok hearing none, Councilman Lawrence.

DISCUSSION: NONE

JASON LAWRENCE: Thank you President Mears I move bill 21-063 be placed on the floor for final consideration.

STEPHANIE ZADER Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Council will now cast their vote for the passage of bill 21-063. Thank you very much, bill 21-063 passes 8 to 0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Next bill 21-064, again Councilwoman Meier.

CHERLY MEIER: Thank you President. I move that bill 21-064 be read and placed on the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: The clerk will now read bill 21-064.

AMY YOCKEY: Declaring the remains of a designated dwelling (109 Wood 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.

DEMO 109 WOOD STREET

BY: MRS. MEIER

BILL #21-064

ORDINANCE # 21-064

Declaring the remains of a designated dwelling (109 Wood 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 Mrs. Meier, that Bill 21-064 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: Thank you Amy. Is there any discussion on this? Ok hearing none, Councilwoman Meier.

DISCUSSION: NONE

CHERLY MEIER: Thank you Mr. President I move bill 21-0164 be placed upon the floor for final consideration.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Council will now cast their vote for final passage of bill 21-064. Ok measure passes 8 to 0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Next bill 21-065, again Councilwoman Meier.

CHERLY MEIER: Thank you President. I move that bill 21-064 be read and placed on the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: The clerk will now read bill 21-064.

AMY YOCKEY: Declaring the remains of a designated dwelling (109 Wood 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.

DEMO 109 WOOD STREET

BY: MRS. MEIER

BILL #21-064

ORDINANCE # 21-064

Declaring the remains of a designated dwelling (109 Wood 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 Mrs. Meier, that Bill 21-064 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: Thank you Amy. Is there any discussion on this? Ok hearing none, Councilwoman Meier.

DISCUSSION: NONE

CHERLY MEIER: Thank you Mr. President I move bill 21-0164 be placed upon the floor for final consideration.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Council will now cast their vote for final passage of bill 21-064. Ok measure passes 8 to 0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Next bill 21-066, again Councilwoman Meier.

CHERLY MEIER: Thank you President. I move that bill 21-064 be read and placed on the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: The clerk will now read bill 21-064.

AMY YOCKEY: Declaring the remains of a designated dwelling (109 Wood 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.

DEMO 109 WOOD STREET

BY: MRS. MEIER

BILL #21-064

ORDINANCE # 21-064

Declaring the remains of a designated dwelling (109 Wood 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 Mrs. Meier, that Bill 21-064 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: Thank you Amy. Is there any discussion on this? Ok hearing none, Councilwoman Meier.

DISCUSSION: NONE

CHERLY MEIER: Thank you Mr. President I move bill 21-0164 be placed upon the floor for final consideration.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Council will now cast their vote for final passage of bill 21-064. Ok measure passes 8 to 0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Next bill 21-067, again Councilwoman Meier.

CHERLY MEIER: Thank you President. I move that bill 21-064 be read and placed on the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: The clerk will now read bill 21-064.

AMY YOCKEY: Declaring the remains of a designated dwelling (109 Wood 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.

DEMO 109 WOOD STREET

BY: MRS. MEIER

BILL #21-064

ORDINANCE # 21-064

Declaring the remains of a designated dwelling (109 Wood 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 Mrs. Meier, that Bill 21-064 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: Thank you Amy. Is there any discussion on this? Ok hearing none, Councilwoman Meier.

DISCUSSION: NONE

CHERLY MEIER: Thank you Mr. President I move bill 21-0164 be placed upon the floor for final consideration.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Council will now cast their vote for final passage of bill 21-064. Ok measure passes 8 to 0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Next bill 21-068, again Councilwoman Meier.

CHERLY MEIER: Thank you President. I move that bill 21-064 be read and placed on the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: The clerk will now read bill 21-064.

AMY YOCKEY: Declaring the remains of a designated dwelling (109 Wood 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.

DEMO 109 WOOD STREET

BY: MRS. MEIER

BILL #21-064

ORDINANCE # 21-064

Declaring the remains of a designated dwelling (109 Wood 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 Mrs. Meier, that Bill 21-064 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: Thank you Amy. Is there any discussion on this? Ok hearing none, Councilwoman Meier.

DISCUSSION: NONE

CHERLY MEIER: Thank you Mr. President I move bill 21-0164 be placed upon the floor for final consideration.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Council will now cast their vote for final passage of bill 21-064. Ok measure passes 8 to 0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Next bill 21-069, again Councilwoman Meier.

CHERLY MEIER: Thank you President. I move that bill 21-064 be read and placed on the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: The clerk will now read bill 21-064.

AMY YOCKEY: Declaring the remains of a designated dwelling (109 Wood 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.

DEMO 109 WOOD STREET

BY: MRS. MEIER

BILL #21-064

ORDINANCE # 21-064

Declaring the remains of a designated dwelling (109 Wood 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 Mrs. Meier, that Bill 21-064 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: Thank you Amy. Is there any discussion on this? Ok hearing none, Councilwoman Meier.

DISCUSSION: NONE

CHERLY MEIER: Thank you Mr. President I move bill 21-0164 be placed upon the floor for final consideration.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Council will now cast their vote for final passage of bill 21-064. Ok measure passes 8 to 0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: The last bill for tonight is 21-070, Councilman Davenport.

ALOMAR DAVENPORT: Thank you Mr. President. I move that bill 21-070 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE The clerk will now read bill 21-070.

AMY YOCKEY: Adding the name of Prince Charles Williams Street, as an honorary recognition of Prince Charles Williams's contribution, to the name of Harker Street between Bowman and Springmill

HONORARY RECOGNITION OF PRINCE CHARLES WILLIAMS'S CONTRIBUTION

BY: MR. DAVENPORT

BILL #21-070

ORDINANCE # 21-070

Adding the name of Prince Charles Williams Street, as an honorary recognition of Prince Charles Williams's contribution, to the name of Harker Street between Bowman and Springmill

Upon motion by Mr. Davenport, that Bill 21-070 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 21-070 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 21-070. Measure passes 8-0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: The last bill for tonight is 21-071, Councilman Van Harlingen.

JON VAN HARLINGEN: Thank you Mr. President. I move that bill 21-071 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: The clerk will now read bill 21-071.

AMY YOCKEY: Transferring appropriations in the amount of ten thousand and 00/100 dollars (\$10,000.00) within the General Fund (#101) for mowing services, and declaring an emergency.

FUNDS FOR MOWING

BY: MR. VAN HARLINGEN

BILL #21-071

ORDINANCE # 21-071

Transferring appropriations in the amount of ten thousand and 00/100 dollars (\$10,000.00) within the General Fund (#101) for mowing services, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mr. Van Harlingen, that Bill 21-071 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 21-071 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 21-071. Measure passes 8-0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: The last bill for tonight is 21-072, Councilman Van Harlingen.

JON VAN HARLINGEN: Thank you Mr. President. I move that bill 21-072 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: The clerk will now read bill 21-072.

AMY YOCKEY: Authorizing the Public Works Director to purchase, according to STS pricing contract #800574, from Best Equipment Co., one Vac-Con Combo Sewer Cleaner Truck with 12 cubic yard debris tank and 1,500-gallon water tank, mounted on a 2021 Freightliner 114 SD Cab & Chassis, for the Sewer Department, and declaring an emergency

PURCHASE OF VAC-CON COMBO SEWER CLEANER TRUCK

BY: MR. VAN HARLINGEN

BILL #21-072

ORDINANCE # 21-072

Authorizing the Public Works Director to purchase, according to STS pricing contract #800574, from Best Equipment Co., one Vac-Con Combo Sewer Cleaner Truck with 12 cubic yard debris tank and 1,500-gallon water tank, mounted on a 2021 Freightliner 114 SD Cab & Chassis, for the Sewer Department, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mr. Van Harlingen, that Bill 21-072 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 21-072 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 21-072. Measure passes 8-0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Councilman Van Harlingen 21-073.

JON VAN HARLINGEN: Thank you Mr. President. I move that bill 21-073 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: The clerk will now read bill 21-073.

AMY YOCKEY: Transferring appropriations in the amount of eighty-six thousand eight hundred eleven and 49/100 dollars (\$86,811.49) within the Sewer Fund (#503), for the purpose of making the first payment on the sewer vacuum truck lease/purchase agreement due May 30, 2021, and declaring an emergency

FIRST PAYMENT ON THE SEWER VACUUM TRUCK

BY: MR. VAN HARLINGEN

BILL #21-073

ORDINANCE # 21-073

Transferring appropriations in the amount of eighty-six thousand eight hundred eleven and 49/100 dollars (\$86,811.49) within the Sewer Fund (#503), for the purpose of making the first payment on the sewer vacuum truck lease/purchase agreement due May 30, 2021, and declaring an emergency

Upon motion by Mr. Van Harlingen, that Bill 21-073 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 21-073 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 21-073. Measure passes 8-0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Councilman Van Harlingen 21-074

JON VAN HARLINGEN: Thank you Mr. President. I move that bill 21-074 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: The clerk will now read bill 21-074.

AMY YOCKEY: Adopt Richland County 2020 Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan as approved by FEMA Region V and the State of Ohio Emergency Management Agency, and declaring an emergency

ADOPT RICHLAND COUNTY 2020 MULTI-HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN

BY: MR. VAN HARLINGEN

BILL #21-074

ORDINANCE # 21-074

Adopt Richland County 2020 Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan as approved by FEMA Region V and the State of Ohio Emergency Management Agency, and declaring an emergency

Upon motion by Mr. Davenport, that Bill 21-074 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 21-074 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 21-074. Measure passes 8-0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Councilman Davenport 21-075

ALOMAR DAVENPORT: Thank you Mr. President. I move that bill 21-075 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: The clerk will now read bill 21-075.

AMY YOCKEY: Accepting \$22,000,000.00 from the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 and affirming that all funds received under the American Rescue Plan will be expended only in the manner prescribed by and consistent with the requirements of the American Rescue Plan, and declaring an emergency

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

BY: MR. VAN HARLINGEN

BILL #21-075

ORDINANCE # 21-075

Accepting \$22,000,000.00 from the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 and affirming that all funds received under the American Rescue Plan will be expended only in the manner prescribed by and consistent with the requirements of the American Rescue Plan, and declaring an emergency

Upon motion by Mr. Davenport, that Bill 21-075 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 Lawrence.

DISCUSSION: NONE

PHIL SCOTT: Thank you Mr. President I move bill 21-075 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 21-075. Measure passes 8-0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Councilman Davenport 21-076

ALOMAR DAVENPORT: Thank you Mr. President. I move that bill 21-076 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: The clerk will now read bill 21-076.

AMY YOCKEY: Authorizing the Mayor to submit an Annual Action Plan for FY 2021 indicating proposed uses for the City's 2021 Community Development Block Grant Funds under the provisions of Public Law 93-383, as amended, and declaring an emergency

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

BY: MR. DAVENPORT

BILL #21-076

ORDINANCE # 21-076

Authorizing the Mayor to submit an Annual Action Plan for FY 2021 indicating proposed uses for the City's 2021 Community Development Block Grant Funds under the provisions of Public Law 93-383, as amended, and declaring an emergency

Upon motion by Mr. Davenport, that Bill 21-076 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: 6, Nays: 0, Abstentions: 2 (Moton & Zader)

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 21-076 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 21-076. Measure passes 6-0 with 2 Abstentions (Moton & Zader).

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: The last bill for tonight is 21-077, Councilman Davenport.

ALOMAR DAVENPORT: Thank you Mr. President. I move that bill 21-077 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: The clerk will now read bill 21-077.

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: MR. DAVENPORT

BILL #21-077

ORDINANCE # 21-077

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 Mr. Davenport, that Bill 21-077 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: 6, Nays: 0, Abstentions: 2 (Moton & Zader)

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

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE Any further comments? Ok hearing none, Councilman Davenport.

DISCUSSION: NONE

ALOMAR DAVENPORT: Thank you Mr. President I move bill 21-077 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 21-077. Measure passes 6-0 with 2 Abstentions (Moton & Zader). That's the last piece of legislation this evening.

END OF DISCUSSION

CLOSING COMMENTS:

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Thank you very much. Appreciate the timeliness of everybody moving right through the meeting. Our next meeting on April 16th, sorry if there was any confusion about tonight, but our next meeting we're going to try to move a few people back into city council. At this point in time I've heard from about four council members that would like to come. Everybody has to wear a mask, all the time if you're in council chambers. We are inviting the media Mr. Hunnel, Mr. Trumbly to come and take a couple of seats in the gallery. If anyone in the city, in the public wishes to attend please contact the council clerk. We have maybe a dozen seats available in the gallery with the latest um State guidelines. Everybody in the gallery has to wear a mask all the time. Absolutely no one is being asked or forced or coerced into coming to the in live and present. Everybody still be voting with their computer whether you're in the council chambers or still at home. We do have a lot of changes in the council chambers. There're cameras there now. There's new microphone system and things like that. We're hoping that this runs fairly smoothly but we're going to find out. So, I do need to know if who from, and I don't need to know right this second send me an email, who on Council wants to come. So, we roughly know about how to space everybody on council out. And then if we have room I'll invite administration in the upper deck, as any room might allow. But we're trying to do the 6-foot spacing and the face mask. And again, from the Health Department absolutely no one is being coerced or pushed or anything to attend in person at council chambers. Are there any question? I'll try and answer more to start working on it right away.

DIRECTOR COPE: Mr. President...oh I'm sorry go ahead Mr...

PHIL SCOTT: Go ahead Director, go ahead.

DIRECTOR COPE: No, I had something separate from that, so go ahead sir.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Alright, Mr. Scott?

PHIL SCOTT: On that, are we planning on kind of like for the first meeting on the 20th doing it kind of 2020...or 50/50...not 2020(laughter). Like half council in, half still virtual? I mean I'm willing to go but if some of the maybe newbies or some other ones want to go first that's fine with me so all right. I didn't know how you it was this first meeting maybe like half of us or what.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Yea, yea it could be it could be. I think we have room for a few more than half but again if only two people want to show up that's perfect, if 8 people want to show up I'll see if I have a room and then we'll make decisions from there. I think we can make room. I hope I'm not offending anybody in the back top of row that from the administration. We may ask you to sit out, just allow us to have council spacing. But we'll still be online. We'll still be live on Facebook. Will still be live on the city website. All of that we intend to continue long to the future. That seems to be working very well. I think we have a lot of people that attend the meetings, that otherwise aren't going to make the drive downtown. And...and they can stay up to speed on what's going on around the city.

PHIL SCOTT: Great I've said for a long time, almost probably since I first came on Council, that we should do something like this to live broadcast it. So, I'm happy to see it happen. Too bad Covid kinda forced us into it.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It may have helped pay some of the bills so...

PHIL SCOTT: Well there you go.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: The shining star. Any other comments from anybody that's here in the close zoom meeting, live on Facebook group here.

JAMES WEINER: Mr. President may I address council?

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Yes, Mr. Weiner, the IT Director, go ahead.

JAMES WEINER: I just wanted to give council a reminder, that for those of you who do come in for the next meeting, you will still need your laptop. You will not be joining the zoom call from your laptop. You will only be using the voting software. But that is going to be necessary. Wanted to thank the maintenance department. They did install some power outlets on the counter there, on the desk area there so that if you need to charge or need to be plugged in, you do have power available. Um also they're working on updating some the lighting with some brighter bulbs to help with the video stream. You will notice on the video stream when we start videoing or broadcasting from council, it...it it's a little bit of a stretch getting everybody in the picture. You're not going to see people as it is quite as large as you do on your personal screens. But were working on tweaking that to the best of our ability. So, I just wanted to mainly make the reminder that you will still need your laptop's if you come in the council chambers next week. Thank you.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Two weeks...but yes at the next council meeting. All right let's see...

DIRECTOR COPE: Mr. President, if I may.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Yes, Ms. Cope.

DIRECTOR COPE: Thank you. I can't let this evening pass without recognizing our officers that did that did retire. They...they feel strongly that it's a calling and not...they don't do it for recognition but they're not comfortable with that. But truly...to to just give a real brief word for them. Captain Noblet and Officer Dietrich, I worked the streets with both of them. Captain Noblet decided to promote through the ranks up to Captain, do his time here and also Dietrich decided and chose to remain in the ranks and basically mentor the new officers. Both are fabulous officers. Our community and our coworkers are safer because of them. And then we did have, so truly thankful for them and their service. And we had 3 promotions today with the with the police department. Captain Brubaker and Lieutenant Garrick and Sargent Kingsborough. So, we're giving our civil service test for police and fire April 17th to hopefully get some new blood in. But I cannot let tonight go without truly recognizing them whether they wanted that or not.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: I really appreciate that Director Code because some of us don't get the opportunity to meet all of the officers. I'm glad there were some extra words said. I'm glad you mentioned the promotions. I saw the promotions go through, it's always exciting when somebody can bump up through the ranks and I appreciate that. Hopefully will be back to cake and punch a soon because I do miss the ceremony and honorary cake for all occasions. Thank you. Anyone else on?

PHIL SCOTT: One last thing Mr. President. Seems like I've talked a lot tonight. But anyway, I would just like to personally thank everyone for their thoughts and prayers and some of the cards I've gotten during my recent past illness. Just an update I'm doing fine. Well not fine, I'm doing better. Still have a little...sometimes a little trouble with the breath. But we're coming along. Were just taking it day-by-day and once again I appreciate everybody's thoughts and prayers during my recent illness. Thank you.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: We're glad to hear...glad to see you and glad you're feeling better. Last call last call anybody have anything else?

JON VAN HARLINGEN: If I could Mr. President real quick.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Mr. Van Harlingen.

JON VAN HARLINGEN: With your comments about the administration possibly transitioning back into council chambers, I remember when because of the beginning of the Covid restrictions on the meeting, we got thrown out of council chambers. And I have to say that I appreciate, not only our clerks but Mr. Weiner, the maintenance crew. We have really gotten through this quite well. We have done quite well. I do look forward to all the hard work that's going in or gone into getting us back into council chambers. All the people behind the scenes. We don't always know who all they are, but I would like to thank everybody for allowing us to be able to not only the zoom today but where we're headed tomorrow. Because I know they've been working real hard on it.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Thank you Mr. Van Harlingen. Anybody feel like making a motion to close?

STEPHANIE ZADER: So moved.

PHIL SCOTT: I'll Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: All right have a motion and a second to close the meeting this evening all those in favor say aye.

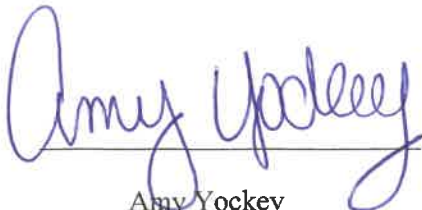
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PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Thank you very much. Council meeting is closed at 8:11 p.m.

PHIL SCOTT: Good night everybody.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Goodnight.

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