

REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
June 21, 2022

The second monthly meeting of Mansfield City Council met on
Tuesday, June 21, 2022 at 7:11 pm in the
Council Chambers of the City Building.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited by the audience.

Eleazer Akuchie led the audience in prayer.

ROLL CALL: The following answered present at roll call: Burns, Meier, Akuchie, Davenport, Diaz (on zoom for meeting), Moton, Zader, Scott and Falquette.

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

PUBLIC COMMENTS:

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Alright, let's see. You're going to grab the sheet. Looks like there's one name minimum on there, two! Mrs. Cathy Cutlip-Wills this evening. You catch...yep perfect.

CATHY CUTLIP-MILLS: I apologize, it's actually Mills. My handwriting is sometimes awful.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Oh, that's right. Thank you.

CATHY CUTLIP-MILLS: Thank you so much for the opportunity to come here this evening and share with you. My message is kind of two-fold. And this is a fun type thing. First of all, I would like to personally invite all of you to come to the Richland County Fair over all anytime during the week. But especially on Wednesday August 10th at five o'clock we have a pie auction. And I would like to invite you to come out and bid on the pies. If you represent a company, they can bid on the pies as well and honor our bakers. And if you notice in your packet that I handed out, there is a flier. And I would ask a favor if you could please put that flier, announcing the pie auction it's the second document, up on any bulletin boards. Or anything you have access to including your churches and where ever you might travel. It would really help us out. And last but not least, I would like to invite all of you to bake a pie. To get involved. And if you don't bake, then find someone who does. You do have to be a member of the Agricultural Society. It's a \$25 membership. But you get seven passes for the fair. So, you can bring your family and they can use those 7 passes. You can come every day and use the pass. However, you would like. It also until entitles you to vote on those individuals who are running for fair board. And that election takes place on that Friday during the afternoon. So that would be an opportunity to come out. Now why should you bake a pie and get involved? If you notice on the front page, which has a pretty nice big pie on it, there are down at the bottom there are 10 categories listed. And you can bake a pie in four of them. Cuz you can only enter four pies. And they cannot be anything that has to be refrigerated. Because we do have the pies out. We start registration with the pies at 10 in the morning. It is over at 2 in the afternoon. And we judge at 2 or 2:30, I'm sorry. I have a panel of undisclosed judges, I keep that anonymous on purpose, who judge the pies. And then in each category there is a first-place winner. Each of those individuals receive a blue ribbon and then overall then I have a panel of three judges, that are not part of the first one, who judge those top ten pies. And they in turn will pick a grand champion. Oh, I'm sorry. I forgot Blue Ribbon winners also receive a \$4 prize. And then if you receive the grand champion, you receive a rosette and \$15. And if you have the Reserve Champion it's \$10 and a rosette. Now that's...you might say that's not all that much. However, I want to entice you just a little bit more. Because at the auction, every Pi is auctioned off and the baker will get 40% of whatever comes in for the pie and the 60% goes to the fair board for the upkeep of the Arts and

Crafts building. And the pies and everything due for the auction and for registration come into the Arts and Crafts building. And you can go in and download more applications if you have friends or relatives who want to make pies on the Richland County Fair website. And I would encourage you to do that. You can also have individuals who are 18 and under bake pies and enter them. I started thinking back and Covid just has me completely confused of when we did what. But I think it was in 20, either 2018 or 2019, we actually had a 17-year-old win the grand champion and it was awesome. She was so thrilled. So, encourage everybody to get involved with this. It's also a way of people knowing that you know there's a lot to the Richland County fair that you might be missing out if you don't come out. Oh, people outside the county can also become a member of the Richland County Agricultural Society. They can enter the four pies but they cannot vote. So that is where there is a difference on that. Any questions?

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Thank you Mrs. Cutlip-Mills.

CATHY CUTLIP-MILLS: Thank you very much. I appreciate being here. Have a good evening.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Alright, Mr. McNeil.

ESTHER MCNEIL: I have a few questions. And statements. I see, I tried to jot this down. But couldn't get it. On the school that their, MYC whatever. The building that you're going to tear down. In the past, I guess they said there's a lot of asbestos in the building, alright. Now we take a step, look at all the people that died from cancer that went to that build...that school there. Somebody should look into that. How many people have died that went to that school? A lot of them have. They all had cancer. Id like to who's in charge of the trees that's been down and you bring them to the front. Can somebody tell me that? The trees that the wind broke down.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: We understand that your asking questions. But remember that the process here is you make your three-minute presentation...

ESTHER MCNEIL: Well somebody tell me. All they have to do is tell me who I talk to.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: There was a public...

ESTHER MCNEIL: Who do I talk to?

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: There's...yea there was a public service announcement that the City's going to start picking that up tomorrow. And it has to be in the front of the yard or on the front curb. And that would be the property owner or persons responsibility to get it to the front curb.

ESTHER MCNEIL: Who do you call to say 'hey we have trees down in our neighborhood?

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: We'll see if we can follow up with you on that Mr. McNeil.

ESTHER MCNEIL: Alright. Cuz on my street my house, next house, next house, they got something down. You know something? I wanna laugh because nobody took me seriously when I talked about the house on Arch Street that caught on fire. The guy had goats, chickens, all this. I came to Council and I spoke on that. Nobody took me serious. So, what happened? The guy got a fire. Poor chickens, three pigs, goats. One of the goats caught on fire. But nobody took me seriously. Same way up here on Eastgate. I asked the City about that. The apartments up there. Nobody took me seriously. So, what happens? Some lady lives up there. Somebody fell down through the ceiling. She calls the News Journal, and they went up and checked it. And Codes spoke on it. But when I spoke on it, nobody said a thing. Somebody better take me seriously.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Thank you Mr. McNeil. Any committee reports? Mrs. Zader?

STEPHANIE ZADER: The owners of the Boot Life we're going to be here tonight but they had something come up. But July 1st they are having the Boot Life block party. And they are attempting to break the world record of line dancing, currently held by China. Which is strange to me. But they're working to do that. So, they are assembling people at the Mansfield Motor Speedway and they're working to get more than 20,000 people line dancing at the same time there. So, I will send the clerk's the information and ask them to include it in the communications after council.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Thank you. Any other committee reports? Mr. Mayor?

MAYOR THEAKER: I have nothing.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Mr. Remy?

DIRECTOR REMY: I will address the storm damage pick up. The city is going to go around and pick up storm damage per the press release in a similar manner that we do in leaf pickup during the fall. The property's...the City's going to be zoned out and we're going to pretty much follow that pattern. No one needs to call necessarily. There will be scouting done by the Street Department Complex to find debris. It will have to be put at the curb though. And it is supposed to be storm-related damage and not something that came down a year ago or two years ago and you just decided to put it out to the curb. It has to be manageable for this for the crews to pick up.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Thank you Director. Assistant Director Law Director?

CHRIS BROWN: No thank you sir.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Thank you.

CHERYL MEIER: President Falquette?

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Yes Mrs. Meier.

CHERYL MEIER: Can I piggy back off with Director Remy. I called Director...Mr. Brown...Steve Brown today at the Street Department. I've had several people asked about whether they could have their debris in receptacles. Whether it be a trash container or a compost bag and he said no he would prefer that they...that it was just on the curb. Less than 6 inches in diameter and 3 to 4 feet in length. So the question about the receptacles and the bags was something that people have been asking about so.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Thank you for the clarification. Anyone else at this time?

DIRECTOR REMY: I will add that part of the reason for that is we have made arrangements with Richland County Solid Waste Facility to use that facility on Carnes Road to dispose of the waste, storm waste. They've been very cooperative with us and worked with very amicably. As always, you're not allowed to put plastic bags out there. You have to empty them. So, we have to make it as easy as possible to comply with their rules and regulations.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Thank you. We'll proceed with legislation Mrs. Burns. Do we have any late bills?

SUSPEND RULES

LAURA BURNS: No sir, but I will move with respect to all bills that come before council this evening that the rule requiring reading on three different days be suspended and that each bill be read one time by title only. Seconded by Mrs. Zader. The vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes: 8, Nays: 0

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Alright. Let's go down through our legislation this evening. Mr. Scott your up first with 22-106.

PHIL SCOTT: Thank you Mr. President I move that 22-106 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded that we talk about 22-106. The clerk will now read that bill.

AMY YOCKEY: Appointing certain members to the Police Review and Community-Police Relations Commission, and declaring an emergency.

POLICE REVIEW COMMISSION

BY: MR. SCOTT

BILL #22-106

ORDINANCE: 22-108

Appointing certain members to the Police Review and Community-Police Relations Commission, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mr. Scott that Bill 22-106 be read and placed upon the floor for second read, 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: Further questions, comments? Hearing none, Mr. Scott.

DISCUSSION:

PHIL SCOTT: Thank you Mr. President I move bill 22-106 be placed upon the floor for final passage.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded that were going to vote on 22-106. Go ahead and vote. Passes 8 to 0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Mr. Davenport, 22-107.

ALOMAR DAVENPORT: Thank you Mr. President I move that bill 22-107 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. The clerk will now read bill 22-107.

AMY YOCKEY: Re-appointing members to the Mansfield Public Arts Commission.

MANSFIELD PUBLIC ARTS COMMISSION

BY: MR. DAVENPORT

BILL #22-107

ORDINANCE #22-109

Re-appointing members to the Mansfield Public Arts Commission.

Upon motion by Mr. Davenport that Bill 22-107 be read and placed upon the floor for second read, 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: Further questions or comments? Hearing none, Mr. Davenport.

DISCUSSION:

ALOMAR DAVENPORT: Thank you Mr. President I move bill 22-107 be placed upon the floor for final consideration.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. Please cast your ballot on 22-107. Passes 8 to 0

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Mrs. Meier, 22-108.

CHERYL MEIER: Thank you Mr. President I move that bill 22-108 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. The clerk will now read 22-108.

AMY YOCKEY: Declaring the remains of a designated structure, located on Permanent Parcel Number 027-01-046-16-000, 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 PARCEL #027-01-046-16-000

BY: MRS. MEIER

BILL #22-108

ORDINANCE: 22-110

Declaring the remains of a designated structure, located on Permanent Parcel Number 027-01-046-16-000, 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 22-108 be read and placed upon the floor for second read, 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: Comments and questions? Hearing none, Mrs. Meier.

DISCUSSION:

CHERYL MEIER: Thank you Mr. President I move bill 22-108 be placed upon the floor for final consideration.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. You may cast your ballot 22-108. Passes 8 to 0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Mrs. Meier, 22-109.

CHERYL MEIER: Thank you sir, I move that bill 22-109 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. May the clerk now read bill 22-109.

AMY YOCKEY: Declaring the remains of a designated dwelling (56 Bartley 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.

DEMO 56 BARTLEY AVENUE

BY: MRS. MEIER

BILL #22-109

ORDINANCE: 22-111

Declaring the remains of a designated dwelling (56 Bartley 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 Mrs. Meier that Bill 22-109 be read and placed upon the floor for second read, 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: Comments? Mrs. Meier.

DISCUSSION:

CHERYL MEIER: Thank you Mr. President I move bill 22-109 be placed upon the floor for final consideration.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded to place bill 22-109 on the floor to vote. Go ahead. Passes 8 to 0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Mrs. Meier, 22-110.

CHERYL MEIER: Thank you Mr. President I move that bill 22-110 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. Bill 22-110, may the clerk now read it.

AMY YOCKEY: Declaring the remains of a designated dwelling (154 Boughton 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.

DEMO 154 BOUGHTON AVENUE

BY: MRS. MEIER

BILL #22-110

ORDINANCE: 22-112

Declaring the remains of a designated dwelling (154 Boughton 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 Mrs. Meier that Bill 22-110 be read and placed upon the floor for second read, 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: Comments? Mrs. Meier.

DISCUSSION:

CHERYL MEIER: Thank you Mr. President I move bill 22-110 be placed upon the floor for final consideration.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. Please cast your ballot on 22-110. Passes 8 to 0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Mrs. Meier, 22-111.

CHERYL MEIER: Thank you Mr. President I move that bill 22-111 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. The clerk will now read bill 22-111.

AMY YOCKEY: Declaring the remains of a designated dwelling (284 Cline 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.

DEMO 284 CLINE AVENUE

BY: MRS. MEIER

BILL #22-111

ORDINANCE: 22-113

Declaring the remains of a designated dwelling (284 Cline 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 Mrs. Meier that Bill 22-111 be read and placed upon the floor for second read, 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: Further comments? Mrs. Meier.

DISCUSSION:

CHERYL MEIER: Thank you Mr. President I move bill 22-111 be placed upon the floor for final consideration.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. Please cast your ballot on bill 22-111. Passes 8 to 0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Mrs. Meier, 22-112.

CHERYL MEIER: Thank you Mr. President I move that bill 22-112 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. The clerk will now read bill 22-112.

AMY YOCKEY: Declaring the remains of a designated dwelling (538 Lida 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 538 LIDA STREET

BY: MRS. MEIER

BILL #22-112

ORDINANCE: 22-114

Declaring the remains of a designated dwelling (538 Lida 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 22-112 be read and placed upon the floor for second read, 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: Comments? Mrs. Meier.

DISCUSSION:

CHERYL MEIER: Thank you Mr. President I move bill 22-112 be placed upon the floor for final consideration.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been move and second. Please cast your ballot on 22-112. Passes 8 to 0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Mr. Davenport, 22-113.

ALOMAR DAVENPORT: Thank you Mr. President I move that bill 22-113 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. The clerk will now read bill 22-113.

AMY YOCKEY: Adopting the Tax Budget of the Township of Mansfield, Richland County, Ohio, for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 2023, and directing submission of the same to the County Auditor, and declaring an emergency.

ADOPTING THE TAX BUDGET

BY: MRS. MEIER

BILL #22-113

ORDINANCE: 22-115

Adopting the Tax Budget of the Township of Mansfield, Richland County, Ohio, for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 2023, and directing submission of the same to the County Auditor, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mr. Davenport that Bill 22-113 be read and placed upon the floor for second read, 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: Any comments, questions? Mr. Davenport.

DISCUSSION:

ALOMAR DAVENPORT: Thank you Mr. President I move bill 22-113 be placed upon the floor for final consideration.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded, bill 22-113. Passes 8 to 0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: 22-114, Mr. Davenport.

ALOMAR DAVENPORT: Thank you Mr. President I move that bill 22-114 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. Clerk will now read bill 22-114.

AMY YOCKEY: Adopting the Tax Budget of the City of Mansfield, Ohio, for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 2023, and directing submission of the same to the County Auditor, and declaring an emergency.

ODOT - PERFORM PAVEMENT REPAIRS

BY: MR. DAVENPORT

BILL #22-114

ORDINANCE: 22-116

Adopting the Tax Budget of the City of Mansfield, Ohio, for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 2023, and directing submission of the same to the County Auditor, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mr. Davenport that Bill 22-114 be read and placed upon the floor for second read, 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: Any further questions or comments? Hearing none, Mr. Diaz.

DISCUSSION:

ALOMAR DAVENPORT: Thank you Mr. President I move bill 22-114 be placed upon the floor for final consideration.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. Please cast your ballot on 22-114. Passes 8 to 0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Ms. Moton, 22-115.

KIM MOTON: Thank you Mr. President I move that bill 22-115 be read and placed on the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. The clerk will now read bill 22-115.

AMY YOCKEY: Authorizing the Public Works Director to advertise for bids and enter into a contract for salt supply, and declaring an emergency.

CONTRACT FOR SALT SUPPLY

BY: MS. MOTON

BILL #22-115

ORDINANCE #22-117

Authorizing the Public Works Director to advertise for bids and enter into a contract for salt supply, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Ms. Moton that Bill 22-115 be read and placed upon the floor for second read, 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: Any further questions or comments? Mrs. Zader.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Just uh...I guess if I could get Director Remy to...well first of all to thank him for doing this and getting trucks. But uh, I just want to make sure the public understands that those trucks aren't going to be here for a while. So, if you could just kind of give us a quick up...like letting us know where we're at on that. And I think we need to hire more drivers to fill those, correct?

DIRECTOR REMY: First of all the trucks have been, to my knowledge, they have been ordered. Again the delivery date on them is going to be dependent upon manufacturers supply and demand and getting them here. We probably will not get...there's no way we're going to get them in 2022. We will get them in early 2023, probably at the earliest. As far as drivers, we have made a concerted effort to get CDL drivers. We've been working on that. We have had some progress on it to take care of them. To take care of those situations. Keeping in mind that only the 8 ton dumps, 8 ton dump trucks require CDL driver's. Which are two of the one's we purchased. The 4 of the ones that we purchased do not necessarily require CDL licenses to drive and operate. So we are working on it and we made a pretty good effort at getting CDL drivers in line and we are working on making it more enticing for current employees to get their CDL.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Thank you. I just wanted to make sure that the public was aware of where we're at on it. And there was no misunderstanding. So thanks for giving us an update.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Thank you Mrs. Zader. Thank you, Mr. Remy. Is there anything else on 115? Ms. Moton

DISCUSSION:

KIM MOTON: Thank you Mr. President I move bill 22-115 be placed upon the floor for final passage.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded, please cast a ballot on 22-115. Passed 8 to 0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Mr. Davenport, 22-116.

ALOMAR DAVENPORT: Thank you Mr. President I move that bill 22-116 be read and placed on the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. The clerk will now read bill 22-116.

AMY YOCKEY: Authorizing the Public Works Director to purchase a new storage area network (SAN) unit from Dell using revenue replacement funds received under the American Rescue Plan Act in the

manner prescribed by and consistent with the requirements of the American Rescue Plan Fund, and declaring an emergency.

NEW STORAGE AREA NETWORK (SAN) UNIT FROM DELL

BY: MR. DAVENPORT

BILL #22-116

ORDINANCE #22-118

Authorizing the Public Works Director to purchase a new storage area network (SAN) unit from Dell using revenue replacement funds received under the American Rescue Plan Act in the manner prescribed by and consistent with the requirements of the American Rescue Plan Fund, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mr. Davenport that Bill 22-116 be read and placed upon the floor for second read, 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: Further questions and comments? Hearing none, Mr. Davenport?

DISCUSSION:

ALOMAR DAVENPORT: Thank you Mr. President. I move bill 22-116 be placed upon the floor for final consideration.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. Please cast the ballot on 22-116. Passes 8 to 0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Back to Mr. Davenport, 22-117

ALOMAR DAVENPORT: Thank you Mr. President I move that bill 22-117 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. The clerk now read bill 22-117.

AMY YOCKEY: Transferring the sum of fifty-five thousand five hundred seventy-five and 00/100 dollars (\$55,575.00) within the Parks and Recreation Fund (#236) from the Parks and Recreation Pools Sub-Department (236.18.35) to the Parks and Recreation Operations Sub-Department (236.18.01), and declaring an emergency.

TRANSFERRING FUNDS WITHIN PARKS DEPARTMENT

BY: MR. DAVENPORT

BILL #22-117

ORDINANCE: #22-119

Transferring the sum of fifty-five thousand five hundred seventy-five and 00/100 dollars (\$55,575.00) within the Parks and Recreation Fund (#236) from the Parks and Recreation Pools Sub-Department (236.18.35) to the Parks and Recreation Operations Sub-Department (236.18.01), and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mr. Davenport that Bill 22-117 be read and placed upon the floor for second read, 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: Any questions or comments? Hearing none, Mr. Davenport?

DISCUSSION: None

ALOMAR DAVENPORT: Thank you Mr. President I move bill 22-117 be placed upon the floor for final discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. Please cast your ballot on 22-117. Passes 8 to 0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Mrs. Meier, 22-118.

CHERYL MEIER: Thank you Mr. President I move that bill 22-118 be placed on the floor or be read into the record. There we go.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. The clerk will now read bill 22-118.

AMY YOCKEY: Authorizing the City of Mansfield to transfer to the Richland County Land Reutilization Corporation one (1) small piece of City-owned property beside 331 Prescott Street, which no longer serves a public purpose, and declaring an emergency.

331 PRESCOTT STREET PROPERTY TRANSFER

BY: MR. DAVENPORT

BILL #22-118

ORDINANCE #22-120

Authorizing the City of Mansfield to transfer to the Richland County Land Reutilization Corporation one (1) small piece of City-owned property beside 331 Prescott Street, which no longer serves a public purpose, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mrs. Meier that Bill 22-118 be read and placed upon the floor for second read, 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: Questions and comments? Mr. Davenport?

DISCUSSION: None

CHERYL MEIER: Thank you Mr. President I move bill 22-118 be placed upon the floor for final passage.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. Please cast your ballot for bill 22-118. Passes 8 to 0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Mr. Davenport, 22-119.

ALOMAR DAVENPORT: Thank you Mr. President I move that bill 22-119 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. The clerk will now read bill 22-119.

AMY YOCKEY: Authorizing the Public Works Director to accept a donation in the amount of three thousand and 00/100 dollars (\$3,000.00) from OhioHealth Corporation, for the purpose of the West End Target Area Project, and declaring an emergency.

\$3,000.00 DONATION FROM OHIO HEALTH CORPORATION

BY: MR. DAVENPORT

BILL #22-119

ORDINANCE #22-121

Authorizing the Public Works Director to accept a donation in the amount of three thousand and 00/100 dollars (\$3,000.00) from OhioHealth Corporation, for the purpose of the West End Target Area Project, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mr. Davenport that Bill 22-119 be read and placed upon the floor for second read, seconded by Mrs. Zader. The vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes: 7, Nays: 0, Abstention:1

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

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Questions? Mrs. Zader?

DISCUSSION:

STEPHANIE ZADER: No questions. But I will be abstaining from this because it is funding going into the West End plans, to be safe.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: We need a motion to allow Mrs. Zader to bow out.

CHERYL MEIER: I move that we allow Councilwoman Zader to be removed from this vote.

LAURA BURNS: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded to allow Mrs. Zader to abstain from voting on bill 22-119.

AMY YOCKEY: Do a voice vote.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Voice vote acceptable.

AMY YOCKEY: We'll have to do Kim too. (inaudible voice in background) She's not allowed to vote on CDBG.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Mr. Brown.

CHRIS BROWN: Yea, I would say Councilwoman Moton I wouldn't. I don't think it's necessary on this one. It's more of West End Target.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Thank you for the clarification. We're going to do a voice vote. If there's no objection, all those in favor of the motion on the floor to excuse Mrs. Zader to vote on 120 say aye. Anyone abstaining, or anyone against that motion the same sign. Hearing none it passes unanimously. Mr. Davenport lets put it on the floor for final consideration.

ALOMAR DAVENPORT: Thank you Mr. President I move bill 22-119 be placed upon the floor for final consideration.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Do-over time. Passes with 7 ayes and 1 abstention. Thank you.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Mr. Davenport, 22-120

ALOMAR DAVEPORT: Thank you Mr. President I move that bill 22-120 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. The clerk will now read bill 22-120.

AMY YOCKEY: Authorizing the Public Works Director to sell all valuable assets at Ocie Hill, including but not limited to a gas stove, range hood, gym scoreboard and basketball hoops using GovDeals, and declaring an emergency.

PUBLIC WORKS DIRECTOR TO SELL ALL VALUABLE ASSETS AT OCIE HILL
BY: MR. DAVENPORT

Authorizing the Public Works Director to sell all valuable assets at Ocie Hill, including but not limited to a gas stove, range hood, gym scoreboard and basketball hoops using GovDeals, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mr. Davenport that Bill 22-120 be read and placed upon the floor for second read, 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: Can I get a second on 120 please?

CHERYL MEIER: Second.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Thank you. I didn't hear it if it came. The clerk read it?

AMY YOCKEY: I feel like I did.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: I'm sorry. Something was going on up there. Anybody else want to say something fun or funny about 120? Alright, M. Davenport lets get a vote on this going.

DISCUSSION: None

ALOMAR DAVEPORT: Thank you Mr. President I move bill 22-120 be placed upon the floor for final consideration.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Thank you very much. Let's...it's been moved and seconded. Let's vote on bill 22-120. Passes 8 to 0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Mrs. Meier let's wrap this up with 22-121.

CHERYL MEIER: Thank you Mr. President I move that bill 22-121 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. The clerk will now read bill 22-121.

AMY YOCKEY: Amending Chapter 1519 of the Mansfield Codified Ordinances of 1997 concerning fireworks, and declaring an emergency.

FIREWORKS AMENDMENT

BY: MRS. MEIER

Amending Chapter 1519 of the Mansfield Codified Ordinances of 1997 concerning fireworks, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mrs. Meier that Bill 22-121 be read and placed upon the floor for second read, seconded by Mrs. Zader. The vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes: 7, Nays: 1

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

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Any questions or comments?

DISCUSSION:

PHIL SCOTT: I'd just like to make one quick comment. I would also like to thank the Law Department. I would also like to thank the Police Department and the Fire Department. And especially Captain Crow for their input on this legislation. I think it...especially at our last meeting it was very well received and worth it. So thank you guys.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Thank you. If there's nothing further, Mrs. Meier.

CHERYL MEIER: Thank you Mr. President I move bill 22-121 be placed upon the floor for final passage.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. Please cast the vote for bill 22-121. Passes 7 with 1 no vote.

END OF DISCUSSION

CLOSING COMMENTS:

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Is there anything else anyone wants to talk about tonight?

STEPHANIE ZADER: Mr. President, if I could.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Yes.

STEPHANIE ZADER: You sound so thrilled. One last update that I was going to ask for is, we haven't heard anything about the water meter replacement. We got a big break before our next meeting, and I was wondering if we could get an update before then.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Mr. Remy, is that something you can do tonight? Or something you'd like to do in the next week or so?

DIRECTOR REMY: Excuse me, I will do it in the next week or so. I will say we do have a meeting with Aclara and Suez scheduled for next week to discuss some questions and concerns we have about the program. Until that...end of that meeting, and after that meeting, then I can give an update.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Ok.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Thank you.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Thank you.

PHIL SCOTT: Mr. President?

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Mr. Scott.

PHIL SCOTT: I guess I got some more, another question for Mr. Remy. Is there any update to, I think it was a year ago or better we passed a bill for debt solutions to collect on past due water bills, I was wondering what is the outcome of that and progress?

DIRECTOR REMY: We are working on it like everything else in Utility Collection. There was a concern and an issue brought up by Debt Recovery Solutions about old, old debt. There is a provision within the utility collection or water regulations to write off debt that's older than 6 years. And so were working on trying to resolve that issue because they do not want to go an try to collect something which is considered uncollectable for all intents and purposes. So, we have to resolve some of those issues.

PHIL SCOTT: Ok, but that all said, have we collected any money in that?

DIRECTOR REMY: To my knowledge, no.

PHIL SCOTT: Ok.

DIRECTOR REMY: Because their trying to sort out which of the debts are actually collectible. That's what were working on.

PHIL SCOTT: Ok. Thank you.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Anyone else?

STEPHANIE ZADER: Move to close.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Thank you.

CHERLY MEIER: Second

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: All those in favor say aye.

COUNCIL MEMBERS: Aye

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Close this meeting this evening at 7:46 p.m. Thank you. Have a good holiday season.

END OF DISCUSSION

ADJOURN: Upon motion by Mrs. Zader, seconded by Mrs. Meier and passed by voice vote, the meeting was adjourned.

Amy Yockey
Clerk of Council

David Falquette
President