

REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
October 19, 2021

The second monthly meeting of Mansfield City Council met on
Tuesday, October 19, 2021 at 7:16 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: Do we have anyone this evening signed up to speak before council? Oh, hey hands are going up. Deborah Mount come on down. As always push the button, state your name, your address, three minutes. Thank you.

DEBORAH MOUNT: Deborah Mount, 114 Cliffbrook Drive, Mansfield. Comment regarding 214, I thought it had been pulled but I think it must obviously be back on the agenda. I had an experience with this ordinance and its insufficiency shortly after I bought a house. I did not know that there was a trap that had been set on the property and one day we found a groundhog in the trap. Thankfully it had not been there long. But that started me off on a journey of trying to figure out what in the world do you do. Um unfortunately... I had received help from the game warden, which was very helpful, he could explain the state law to me and that was very helpful. But what he knew from state law and what the police told me it was actually not in agreement with the current standings of city law. So, there was an issue. I decided to research and found out it said basically no trapping, hunting, killing of any animal. No exceptions, no exceptions for a professional, no exceptions for a mouse. Under this ordinance it is still at legal to trap a mouse whether live or dead. So, there is no exceptions on that. So that's an issue I'm hoping you can create an exception for mice, possibly rats. But at least mice. Cuz I think anybody who's owned a house has probably had to deal with mice. And it would be nice if it wasn't illegal to deal with that problem. Especially considering Codes and Permits can site you for having nuisance conditions on your property. So, to site you for it, but then say there's no legal way for you to take care of it is a problem. But then regarding the addition the one issue it would be a conflict with state law of the game warden said and hopefully you can get with him to clarify this. So, city law can agree with state law. Skunks, raccoons and possums are not legal to transport off of the property. Because of rabies. They have to be either released or dispatched on the scene and they cannot be taken off the property. Groundhogs can. But, so the issue is taking the requirements to take them live, you can't. Under state law so even the professional would be in violation of this ordinance. So, I'm hoping that you can consult with the game warden, with professionals and come up with a way that it would be illegal for the professionals to do what they need to do. Because obviously if you take a raccoon out of the attic and release it, it's going right back at it. So, to bring the city ordinance so that there is a way people can be free of these nuisance animals. And I understand the necessity of having a professional. I would want to have a professional deal with the larger animals. I don't think it's necessary for my mice. But for the larger animals, I would say the professional make sense. But I'm hoping you will update that because you're putting the professionals in a situation where they can actually do nothing legal. Which currently they can do nothing legal. And I asked the law department, so what can they do that we can't? Because it looks like everybody's banned and they said actually they can't do anything. Everybody's

banned from all trapping and hunting animals. So please update that so that we can do what they need to do and also make an exception at least for mice and possibly rats, for regular homeowners thank you.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Thank you Ms. Mount.

DIRECTOR SPON: Mr. President, Law Director John Spon.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Are you making a public comment John, Mr. Spon. We have one more person up for public comment.

DIRECTOR SPON: Oh, it was just a...

PHIL SCOTT: Mr. President, I think he wants to address this.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Should we do that when we're at the bill though? Not during public comment

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Yeah, if you can hang on John we're going to get to the bill. We'll discuss the bill here in just a few minutes.

DIRECTOR SPON: Yea, that's fine.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: All right I'll keep that in mind. Thank you, Director. Somebody named Reach. Mr. Reach.

THOMAS PAPPAS: My name is Thomas Pappas, from the Richland Early American Center for History. I'm the treasurer of the organization. And this is Cheryl Rettig, she is the historian for Reach. We are here tonight to offer an invitation to attend the dedication to the Petersburg cabin and the new Hawk's Nest Blacksmith Shop at SouthPark. That will take place on November 4th at 2 in the afternoon. And we hope that all council members, who can make it, would honor us with your presence. And we will extend or we will give a formal invitation to the Mayor. And Cheryl will be sending an email to all the council members to remind you about attending the dedication. Again, that's November 4th at 2 in the afternoon. I want to thank you, most of you were here when we did the present back in 2015, to give permission to build the cabin and the other buildings which was a blacksmith shop and the Woodshop. There may be one more coming in the future if we can find someone that has more energy than ourselves. It's taken us five years to do this, but we could do another community building if you will. So far, we have three buildings there to represent and to be a compliment to the Blockhouse that we have, the 1812 Blockhouse. And we're hoping to have an education center for all the students in the city, any citizen of Mansfield, anybody from outside to enjoy it. So, thank you very much for your time, were finished.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: We appreciate your efforts in South Park Mr. Pappas. Thank you. All right.

JON VAN HARLINGEN: If I could just a very short comment Mr. President. Anybody that has not had the opportunity to see the work that these people have done with these buildings it's well worth the visit. I encourage you to see, stop by and take a look at it.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: They've done a very nice job. That's alright public comment for this evening. Committee reports? All right.

JON VAN HARLINGEN: Mr. President if you would please?

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Mr. Van Harlingen?

JON VAN HARLINGEN: I have some comments and some things I'd like to say here leading up to our budget hearings in the near future, but it doesn't really reflect on any current legislation. Would you give me permission and the right to reserve a little time at the end of council to speak about these things?

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Do you want to just do it now?

JON VAN HARLINGEN: That's be fine.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Otherwise we'll just forget.

JON VAN HARLINGEN: No that would be fine. Yea I would. No what I would like to do is I want to mention the schedule here coming up in the near future. But before I get to that. Here in the past council meetings and public comments we've had some comments made that I'm very concerned about and I had some feedback on. Back on Tuesday August 3rd, 2021 during public comments we had a citizen reported, and this is all a matter of public comments and on record, and I quote *"as of the last report online that's been posted, which was the end of May. The city has a positive carry over balance of \$86 Million...That is not a small sum. Soo just wanted to remind you that were not broke, were not out of money"*.

Ok, we have comments like that from time to time. We're okay with that. September 21st, once again during public comments and I'm just reading a highlight where I want to go here. Once again, September 21st public comments *"also I went through the same budget numbers at a previous meeting, so I won't be redundant and do it again, but I want to remind you that the city has \$95 plus million dollars cash balance right now. We are not broke."*

We were talking about the dam and different issues at that time. Now I do not believe for one minute that this citizen is sitting here trying and trying to mislead or liar or pull the numbers out. I know where the numbers came from and I think the final result of what the citizens heard could be very misleading. That concerns me now with us going into a new budget cycle for the new year. On the first one where we were talking about the 86, well basically it's 86.6 million dollars, that is a cash count overall. What is not being...is a gross...it's not a net. At the end of the day what's not happening is that...we don't...it's not looking at purchase orders and it's not look at cumbrances and things like this. That 86 million dollars cut in half right now. Also included in this final numbers with this, and my God there's over there 70 accounts. I'm not going through all these. Some are restricted, some are this, some are that. So, I just picked out a few so I could make it short. Included in that money, the one that is the freshest in everybody's mind right now is a 35 million-dollar bond that we have for a water treatment plant. That money is sitting in the special account for accounting purposes.

As of that report we had 34, just shy, 34.4 million. We're starting to spend it, appropriate it and use it. So that 34.4 million should automatically off the gross come right out of that 86. So, there's the water meter program. There's still 3.6 million sitting in that month, at that time, in that account. We also have a stabilization fund. There's five million dollars that was included in that. Separation fund...this fund moves around because we anticipate people retiring, there's a special formula ordinance blah blah blah. We have that money in there so we can pay for them to retire. Demolition, we got a fair amount of money there. My whole point on those three funds alone, all of those funds are, they are specific. They are covered by ordinance. They're covered by the Ohio Revised Code. We cannot sit here as a council, as a finance committee and the mayor, the administration and say we have millions of dollars free and clear that we can budget. We don't have that. We have to be very careful. The reason I brought that out tonight is we're going to have budget hearings in the very, very near future. We're going to be starting them up here starting tomorrow night. This is nothing but an overall general review. We don't have any final revenue estimates at this time. We're only looking at, well 3 quarter's revenue. And also, with that being said I would like to at this time since we're talking about the budget hearings, unless somebody has some questions if we could talk all night about this that full City budget. We currently have scheduled budget hearings for next Monday the 25th. Unfortunately, members of city council, elected officials, candidates have been invited for

candidate's night for questions and answers and I don't know what all they have in mind but I just got a feeling we might want to be there. I might be the only one here if we don't reschedule that meeting. So, what I would like to do is we're going to push that...we're going to have to reschedule that meeting. I am looking at the week of November 7th. Whatever my council members feel is reasonable. We will still hold I still want to hold the budget hearings on 10/26, which is Tuesday and 10/28 which is a Thursday. Those we'll leave alone. But the one coming up next Monday we need to reschedule. So, would there be any questions or concerns at this time? I just wanted to be a little heads-up on going into this budget site.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Thank you Mr. Van Harlingen again for your comments and education and background and all that. It does help to understand. Alright, any other committee reports? Back to the Mayor?

MAYOR THEAKER: No, Mr. President, I have nothing.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Director Remy?

DIRECTOR REMY: I have nothing.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Director Spon?

DIRECTOR SPON: I just wanted to mention to Ms. Mount, she can write a letter in detail raising her fine-tuned questions about this particular ordinance. And I can also say that Mansfielders have always had a proud and great tradition of removing mice from their home without the necessity of a licensed trapper. And we have not lost one home owner.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Thank you Director. Let's proceed with legislation, Mrs. Burns do you have any late bills to report this evening?

SUSPEND RULES

LAURA BURNS: I move with respect to bill 21-220 that the rule requiring legislation be submitted by Monday at 4:00 pm be suspended and that bill 21-220 be allowed on the floor this evening. Seconded by Mrs. Zader. The vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes: 8, Nays: 0

LAURA BURNS: Thank you Mr. President. I 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, now I think I have an update title sheet. Bill 21-212, Mr. Davenport.

ALOMAR DAVENPORT: Thank you Mr. President I move that bill 21-212 be read and...I forget what I'm supposed to say... placed upon the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. The clerk shall read bill 21-212.

AMY YOCKEY: Authorizing the Mayor to immediately allocate 5% of the 2021 HOME-ARP funding for administrative and planning costs pursuant to HOME-ARP guidelines.

HOME-ARP

BY: MR. DAVENPORT

BILL #21-212

ORDINANCE #21-211

Authorizing the Mayor to immediately allocate 5% of the 2021 HOME-ARP funding for administrative and planning costs pursuant to HOME-ARP guidelines.

Upon motion by Mr. Davenport that Bill 21-212 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: Is there any discussion on bill 21-212? Hearing none, Mr. Davenport.

DISCUSSION: NONE

ALOMAR DAVENPORT: Thank you Mr. President I move bill 21-212 be placed upon the floor for final passage.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded to vote on 21-212. Bill passes 7 to 1, with one abstention, Ms. Moton. Thank you.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Bill 21-214, Mr. Scott.

PHIL SCOTT: Thank you Mr. President I move that bill 21-214 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. The clerk shall read bill 21-214.

AMY YOCKEY: Amending Section 505.17 of the Mansfield Codified Ordinances of 1997 concerning hunting and trapping in the City limits.

AMENDING SECTION 505.17 OF THE M.C.O.

BY: MR. SCOTT

BILL #21-214

ORDINANCE # (moved back to Caucus)

Amending Section 505.17 of the Mansfield Codified Ordinances of 1997 concerning hunting and trapping in the City limits.

Upon motion by Mr. Scott that Bill 21-214 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?

DISCUSSION:

STEPHANIE ZADER: Just a comment about it not following state law. When I spoke with the Law Director's office they said that we are allowed Home Rule. Spon can clarify that if he would like to. So, we can pass this and not be in violation of state law.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Thank you Mrs. Zader. Does anyone want any clarification from anyone? From the Law Director. Mr. Scott.

PHIL SCOTT: Thank you Mr. President. I understand the same thing that Mrs. Zader said. But Law Director could you clarify that please?

LAW DIRECTOR SPON: What ordinance is she talking about?

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Were looking at 21-214, this is the one that has to do with the trapping. Were adding in that you can trap live animals if you're a licensed person.

LAW DIRECTOR SPON: Yes, we have Home Rule power to do that.

PHIL SCOTT: Thank you.

LAW DIRECTOR SPON: Now, it requires a licensed trapper to do it. That's the proposal and our legal analysis.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Thank you Mr. Scott...er Thank you Director Spon. Thank you, Mr. Scott, for bringing it up. Mrs. Zader do you have a further question?

STEPHANIE ZADER: Just a question about addressing the other concern she raised. About people not being able to get animals out of their house themselves. Do we want to look at that? Do we want to put this off until we get an answer from the Law Directors office? Or were just passing it as it is?

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: I'm sure that we can discuss that for a minute or two. I'm sure one option would be just finish this as it is. And then the next option would be we could change it next week, or the next meeting, whenever it is and add in the extra stuff at that time. That way this would be taken care of tonight. And then the third option is whatever you guys want to do. Any further questions or comment anybody else? Mr. Van Harlingen, you have a point?

JON VAN HARLINGEN: Yeah, I can appreciate the spirit of the bill. But I just got a feeling if I got a critter running around in my basement, that is gonna weigh 2, 3, 4, 5 lb. squirrel, groundhog's. Something that's got in my house, my wife's not going to let me wait so that I can go try to find somebody to take care of this thing. That little guys got to go. So, I don't know. This is just a thought.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Mr. Davenport?

ALOMAR DAVENPORT: Yea, exactly what is happening now is why I'm so for holding off, I voting on the same day on bills. It does not give the public the opportunity to voice their concerns and now there has been a concern that is voiced and we are talking about maybe postponing it. I just want to...I've been barking up that tree for a long time but I just want to now that there's a true example, I just want to point it out. We should not always be in such a rush to vote on an ordinance the first time. That we should give the opportunity for the public to express their concerns or just a given opinion on that particular bill.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Mrs. Zader?

STEPHANIE ZADER: Just one more thought about the professional companies. We really don't have a lot of special companies around here that do that either. So, I do think there's it needs to be addressed and I'm with Jon or Jill, whichever one. If there's an animal in my house, I'm not waiting for someone to come get it. Someone's getting out of my house right now.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: All right, so does anyone want to make a motion or do we want to move forward and vote on it. And we could always vote no and that would be an option too. So you got all kinds of options. What would you like to do with this?

STEPHANIE ZADER: Currently scheduled for vote on November 3rd. We didn't make the motion in council to change that, did we?

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: We did. We got it bumped up.

STEPHANIE ZADER: I would like to make a motion that we reverse that motion.

DAVE REMY: Place it back in Caucus, to vote at a future time.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Would anyone like to second Mrs. Zader's motion?

CHERYL MEIER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: I have a motion and a second to revert bill 21-214 to caucus and the committee. Any further question or comment? We will vote then.

LAW DIRECTOR SPON: Mr. President.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Mr....Director Spon.

LAW DIRECTOR SPON: Yes, I would suggest that if anyone has a question about the ordinance and if their question is pertaining to a specific type of animal, if they could send an email to our office so this doesn't become a question of what particular animal are subject to the requirement to have a licensed trapper. That could become endless. So, if someone has a particular question applicable to a particular animal, then we would like to know that ahead of time so we can analyze it.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Alright, I think the committee will have to take that under advisement at that time.

LAW DIRECTOR SPON: Thank you.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: So, are you able to vote now?

AMY YOCKEY: Should be able to vote now. Well, I had 30 seconds to word it.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: So, if you vote yes, were not voting on it tonight. So, motion to hold this up till November 3rd passes 8 to 0. Will not vote on 21-214 tonight.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Bill 21-216, Mr. Van Harlingen.

JON VAN HARLINGEN: Thank you Mr. President I move that bill 21-216 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. The clerk shall read bill 21-216.

AMY YOCKEY: Authorize the Finance Director to advance funds, as needed, from the General Fund (#101) to the Grant Fund (#224) for the purpose of providing temporary resources at month-end in the event there is a negative cash balance due to the timing of federal and/or state reimbursable grant receipts, and declaring an emergency.

GENERAL FUND (#101) TO THE GRANT FUND (#224)

BY: MR. VAN HARLINGEN

BILL #21-216

ORDINANCE #21-212

Authorize the Finance Director to advance funds, as needed, from the General Fund (#101) to the Grant Fund (#224) for the purpose of providing temporary resources at month-end in the event there is a negative cash balance due to the timing of federal and/or state reimbursable grant receipts, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mr. Van Harlingen that Bill 21-216 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: Is there any discussion on bill 21-216? Hearing none, Mr. Van Harlingen.

DISCUSSION: NONE

JON VAN HARLINGEN: Thank you Mr. President I move bill 21-216 be placed upon the floor for final consideration.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. Council shall cast their vote for final passage of bill 21-216. Bill passes 8 to 0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: 21-218 Mr. Van Harlingen.

JON VAN HARLINGEN: Thank you Mr. President I move that bill 21-218 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. The clerk shall read bill 21-218.

AMY YOCKEY: Authorizing the Public Works Director to accept a Grant from the Richland County Foundation in the aggregate amount of two thousand four hundred and 00/100 dollars (\$2,400.00) for the purpose of hiring an intern in the Community Development Department, and declaring an emergency.

GRANT TO HIRE AN INTERN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

BY: MR. VAN HARLINGEN

BILL #21-218

ORDINANCE #21-213

Authorizing the Public Works Director to accept a Grant from the Richland County Foundation in the aggregate amount of two thousand four hundred and 00/100 dollars (\$2,400.00) for the purpose of hiring an intern in the Community Development Department, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mr. Van Harlingen that Bill 21-218 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: Is there any discussion on bill 21-218? Hearing none, Mr. Van Harlingen.

DISCUSSION: NONE

JON VAN HARLINGEN: Thank you Mr. President I move bill 21-218 be placed upon the floor for final consideration.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. Council shall cast their vote for final passage of bill 21-218. Bill passes 8 to 0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Mr. Van Harlingen 21-219.

JON VAN HARLINGEN: Thank you Mr. President I move that bill 21-219 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. The clerk shall read bill 21-219.

AMY YOCKEY: Authorizing the Public Works Director to purchase, according to STS pricing contract RS903121, from Valley Ford Truck Inc., one (1) 2022 Ford F-750 Chassis with dump bed, for the Sewer Repair Department, through the state bidding schedule and without competitive bidding, and declaring an emergency.

2022 FORD F-750 CHASSIS WITH DUMP BED

BY: MR. VAN HARLINGEN

BILL #21-219

ORDINANCE #21-214

Authorizing the Public Works Director to purchase, according to STS pricing contract RS903121, from Valley Ford Truck Inc., one (1) 2022 Ford F-750 Chassis with dump bed, for the Sewer Repair Department, through the state bidding schedule and without competitive bidding, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mr. Van Harlingen that Bill 21-219 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: Is there any discussion on bill 21-219? Mr. Van Harlingen.

DISCUSSION: NONE

JON VAN HARLINGEN: Thank you Mr. President I move bill 21-219 be placed upon the floor for final consideration.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. Council shall cast their vote for final passage of bill 21-219. Bill passes 8 to 0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Mr. Van Harlingen, 21-220.

JON VAN HARLINGEN: Thank you Mr. President I move that bill 21-220 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. The clerk shall read bill 21-220.

AMY YOCKEY: Authorizing the Public Works Director to purchase according to STS#515, pricing contract 800864, from Murphy Tractor & Equipment, one (1) John Deere 544 P Wheel Loader, for the Street Department through the State Term Schedule and without competitive bidding, and declaring an emergency.

JOHN DEERE 544 P WHEEL LOADER

BY: MR. VAN HARLINGEN

BILL #21-220

ORDINANCE #21-215

Authorizing the Public Works Director to purchase according to STS#515, pricing contract 800864, from Murphy Tractor & Equipment, one (1) John Deere 544 P Wheel Loader, for the Street Department through the State Term Schedule and without competitive bidding, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mr. Van Harlingen that Bill 21-220 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: Is there any discussion on bill 21-220? Hearing none, Mr. Van Harlingen.

DISCUSSION: NONE

JON VAN HARLINGEN: Thank you Mr. President I move bill 21-220 be placed upon the floor for final passage.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. Council shall cast their vote for final passage of bill 21-220. Bill passes 8 to 0.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Mrs. Meier, 21-221.

CHERYL MEIER: Thank you Mr. President I move that bill 21-221 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. The clerk shall read bill 21-221.

AMY YOCKEY: Reaffirming Section 105.01 of Chapter 105 (Wards and Boundaries) of the Mansfield Codified Ordinances of 1997, as amended, to maintain the current boundaries of the City Ward Map according to the population evidenced by the 2020 decennial census, and declaring an emergency.

REAFFIRMING SECTION OF THE MANSFIELD CODIFIED ORDINANCES

BY: MRS. MEIER

BILL #21-221

ORDINANCE #21-216

Reaffirming Section 105.01 of Chapter 105 (Wards and Boundaries) of the Mansfield Codified Ordinances of 1997, as amended, to maintain the current boundaries of the City Ward Map according to the population evidenced by the 2020 decennial census, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mrs. Meier that Bill 21-221 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: Is there any discussion on bill 21-221? Hearing none, Mrs. Meier.

DISCUSSION: NONE

CHERYL MEIER: Thank you Mr. President I move bill 21-221 be placed upon the floor for final discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. Council shall cast their vote for final passage of bill 21-221. Bill passes 8 to 0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Ms. Moton, 21-222 so were up to you now.

KIM MOTON: Thank you Mr. President I move that bill 21-222 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. The clerk shall read bill 21-222.

AMY YOCKEY: Upgrading wages, salaries, fringe benefits and terms of employment for certain employees of the City, repealing ordinances, and declaring an emergency.

UPGRADING WAGES

BY: MR. VAN HARLINGEN

BILL #21-222

ORDINANCE #21-217

Upgrading wages, salaries, fringe benefits and terms of employment for certain employees of the City, repealing ordinances, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Ms. Moton that Bill 21-222 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: Is there any discussion on bill 21-222? Hearing none, Ms. Moton.

DISCUSSION: NONE

KIM MOTON: Thank you Mr. President I move bill 21-222 be placed upon the floor for final passage.

STEPHANIE ZADER: Second.

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: It's been moved and seconded. Council shall cast their vote for final passage of bill 21-222. Bill passes 8 to 0.

END OF DISCUSSION

CLOSING COMMENTS:

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: That's the last piece of legislation I have this evening. Are there any further comments to come before council this evening? Hearing none. Anyone want to move to close?

STEPHANIE ZADER: Move to close.

CHERYL MEIER: Second

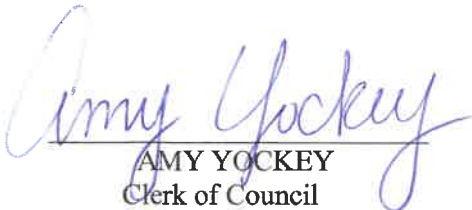
PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: I have a motion and a second to close Mansfield City Council at 5:50pm. All those in favor say aye.

COUNCIL MEMBERS: Aye

PRESIDENT FALQUETTE: Anyone opposed say aye. Were closed. Thank you very much.

END OF DISCUSSION

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


AMY YOCKEY
Clerk of Council


David Falquette
President