

REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING
July 15th, 2025
Public Hearing – 6:55pm

The first monthly meeting of Mansfield City Council met on
Tuesday, July 15th, 2025 at 7:50pm in the
Council Chambers of the City Building.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited by the audience.

David Falquette led the audience in prayer.

ROLL CALL: The following answered were present at roll call: Burns, Meier, Akuchie, Daley, Diaz, Mount, Robertson, Falquette, and Scott. *{Excused Absence: Akuchie-Passes 7-0}*

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

PUBLIC COMMENTS:

No Public Comments

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

No Committee Reports

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Anything further from the mayor?

MAYOR JODIE PERRY: I do. So, July is Parks and Recreation Month, so I have a proclamation that I would like to issue. Our Parks Director snuck out before I could his end, but I'll give it to the Public Works Director and he can pass it on. So...

- WHEREAS,** parks and recreation are an integral part of communities throughout this country, including Mansfield, Ohio, and
- WHEREAS,** both promote health and wellness, improving the physical and mental health of people, and are fundamental to the environmental well-being of our community; and
- WHEREAS,** parks and recreation promote time spent in nature, which positively impacts mental health by increasing cognitive performance and well-being, and reducing the risk of obesity, cardiovascular disease, depression, and attention deficit disorders; and
- WHEREAS,** parks and recreation encourage physical activities by providing space for popular sports, hiking trails, swimming pools, and many other activities designed to promote active lifestyles; and
- WHEREAS,** both increase a community's economic prosperity through increased property values, expansion of the local tax base, increased tourism, and the attraction and retention of businesses; and
- WHEREAS,** our parks and natural recreation areas ensure the ecological beauty of our community and provide a place for children and adults to connect with nature, as well as opportunities for relaxation and social interaction.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, JODIE A. PERRY, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF MANSFIELD, OHIO, do hereby proclaim the month of July as *Parks and Recreation Month* and urge all citizens to recognize this and continue working together to preserve and enjoy the natural beauty of our park areas, and the benefits derived from parks and recreation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Mansfield, Ohio, to be affixed this 1st day of July, 2025.

Jodie A. Perry, Mayor, City of Mansfield

And I will just add to that, you know, a lot of the great partnerships that have been taking place is strong public private partnership. We were at Liberty Park this weekend for Sunfest. The fields, the baseball field there, has been named in honor of the late Ray Peterson who was a well-known baseball player, actually all-around athlete, from the sounds of it, but in particularly baseball. Now, we do need to make that official at City Council, so that will come before you at the next City Council meeting. But his family was just overjoyed and really excited by that. So, I just wanted to make sure that I mentioned that. And you know certainly encourage you to promote the parks as much as possible. There's been a lot of really great energy there. So, thank you Sir.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Thank you. Okay, anything else from the other directors?

DIRECTOR LOUIE ANDRES: Nothing further.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Director Blankenship.

DIRECTOR KELLY BLANKENSHIP: Nothing further.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Director Porch.

DIRECTOR KEITH PORCH: Nothing further.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Director Harper.

DIRECTOR ROELIFF HARPER: Nothing further.

LATE BILLS

ANTOINETTE DALEY: I move respect to **Bill 25-112**, that the rule requiring legislation be submitted by Monday at 4:00 pm be suspended and that **Bill 25-112**, be allowed on the floor this evening. Seconded by Mr. Falquette. A vote was taken and resulted as follows: Aye: 7, Nays: 0.

SUSPEND RULES

ANTOINETTE DALEY: I would like to 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 Miss Robertson. A voice vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes: 7, Nays: 0

LEGISLATION

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Okay we will proceed with legislation and we will start with Bill 25-103, which has to do with the tax budget. Mr. Falquette.

DAVID FALQUETTE: Thank you Mr. President. I move that Bill 25-103 be read and placed on the floor for discussion.

SHARI ROBERTSON: Second.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: It's been moved and seconded. The clerk will now read Bill 25-103.

DELAINE WEINER: Adopting the Tax Budget of the City of Mansfield, Ohio, for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 2026, and directing submission of the same to the County Auditor.

ADOPTING TAX BUDGET – CITY OF MANSFIELD

BY: MR. FALQUETTE

BILL #25-103

ORDINANCE: 25-102

Adopting the Tax Budget of the City of Mansfield, Ohio, for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 2026, and directing submission of the same to the County Auditor.

Upon motion by Mr. Falquette that Bill 25-103 be read and placed upon the floor for final consideration, seconded by Miss Robertson. The vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes: 7 Nays: 0

The Bill was declared passed, signed by the President, approved by the mayor and attested by the Clerk.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Is there any discussion on Bill 25-103? Hearing none, Mr. Falquette.

DAVID FALQUETTE: Thank you Mr. President. I move Bill 25-103 be placed on the floor for final passage.

SHARI ROBERTSON: Second.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: It's been moved and seconded. Please cast your vote for Bill 25-103. Bill Passes 7-0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Mr. Falquette, Bill 25-104.

DAVID FALQUETTE: Thank you Mr. President. I move that Bill 25-104 be read and placed on the floor for discussion.

SHARI ROBERTSON: Second.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: It's been moved and seconded. The clerk will now read Bill 25-104.

DELAINE WEINER: Adopting the Tax Budget of the Township of Mansfield, Richland County, Ohio, for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 2026, and directing submission of the same to the County Auditor.

ADOPTING TAX BUDGET – TOWNSHIP OF MANSFIELD

BY: MR. FALQUETTE

BILL #25-104

ORDINANCE: 25-103

Adopting the Tax Budget of the Township of Mansfield, Richland County, Ohio, for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 2026, and directing submission of the same to the County Auditor.

Upon motion by Mr. Falquette that Bill 25-104 be read and placed upon the floor for final consideration, seconded by Miss Robertson. The vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes: 7 Nays: 0

The Bill was declared passed, signed by the President, approved by the mayor and attested by the Clerk.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Is there any discussion on Bill 25-104? Hearing none, Mr. Falquette.

DAVID FALQUETTE: Thank you Mr. President. I move that Bill 25-104 be placed on the floor for final passage.

SHARI ROBERTSON: Second.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: It's been moved and seconded. Please cast your vote for Bill 25-104. Bill Passes 7-0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Mrs. Meier, Bill 25-105.

CHERYL MEIER: Thank you Sir. I move with respect to Bill 25-105 that it be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

SHARI ROBERTSON: Second.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: It's been moved and seconded. The clerk will now read Bill 25-105.

DELAINE WEINER: Authorizing the Safety Service Director to accept and appropriate a donation of One Thousand Seven Hundred and 00/100 (\$1,700.00) from the Gorman Rupp Company and the Gorman Rupp Employee Civic Fund to be used for the purchase of hand-held radios for the Police Athletic League and declaring an emergency.

DONATION – GORMAN RUPP COMPANY

BY: MRS. MEIER

BILL #25-105

ORDINANCE: 25-104

Authorizing the Safety Service Director to accept and appropriate a donation of One Thousand Seven Hundred and 00/100 (\$1,700.00) from the Gorman Rupp Company and the Gorman Rupp Employee Civic Fund to be used for the purchase of hand-held radios for the Police Athletic League and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mrs. Meier that Bill 25-105 be read and placed upon the floor for final consideration, seconded by Miss Robertson. The vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes: 7 Nays: 0

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

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Is there any discussion on Bill 25-105? Hearing none, Mrs. Meier.

CHERYL MEIER: We would just like to extend our appreciation to the Gorman Rupp Company and Gorman Rupp Employee Civic Fund for their generous donation. I move that Bill 25-105 be placed on the floor for final passage.

SHARI ROBERTSON: Second.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: It's been moved and seconded. Please cast your vote for Bill 25-105. Bill Passes 7-0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Mr. Falquette, Bill 25-106.

DAVID FALQUETTE: Thank you Mr. President. I move that Bill 25-106 be read and placed on the floor for discussion.

SHARI ROBERTSON: Second.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: It's been moved and seconded. The clerk will now read Bill 25-106.

DELAINE WEINER: Accepting a Community Corrections Act Grant in the amount of Six Hundred Eighteen Thousand Two Hundred Twenty-three and 00/100 dollars (\$618,223.00), authorizing the Safety-Service Director and any other appropriate City official, to execute a subsidy grant agreement for community-based corrections programs with the Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Correction, and declaring an emergency.

COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS ACT GRANT

BY: MR. FALQUETTE

BILL #25-106

ORDINANCE: 25-105

Accepting a Community Corrections Act Grant in the amount of Six Hundred Eighteen Thousand Two Hundred Twenty-three and 00/100 dollars (\$618,223.00), authorizing the Safety-Service Director and any other appropriate City official, to execute a subsidy grant agreement for community-based corrections programs with the Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Correction, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mr. Falquette that Bill 25-106 be read and placed upon the floor for final consideration, seconded by Miss Robertson. The vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes: 7 Nays: 0

The Bill was declared passed, signed by the President, approved by the mayor and attested by the Clerk.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Is there any discussion on Bill 25-106?

DIRECTOR KEITH PORCH: Just for clarification, this is a courts grant.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Thank you for that clarification. Mr. Falquette.

DAVID FALQUETTE: Thank you Mr. President. I move Bill 25-106 be placed on the floor for final passage.

SHARI ROBERTSON: Second.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: It's been moved and seconded. Please cast your vote for Bill 25-106. Bill Passes 7-0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Next is Bill 25-107, Mrs. Meier.

CHERYL MEIER: Thank you Mr. President. I move that Bill 25-107 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

SHARI ROBERTSON: Second.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: It's been moved and seconded. The clerk will now read Bill 25-107.

DELAINE WEINER: Authorizing the Mayor and Safety-Service Director to accept a Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) from the Ohio Office of Criminal Justice Services (OCJS) under the 2024 Subgrant in the amount of Eighty-One Thousand Seven Hundred Ninety-nine and 73/100 Dollars (\$81,799.73) to be used for the purpose of conducting drug law enforcement operations within the ten-county METRICH region, and to appropriate \$81,799.73 from the unappropriated Grant Fund (#224) to the Police METRICH Grants (224.15.51) Other Charges Classification, and declaring an emergency.

ACCEPTING JUSTICE ASSISTANCE GRANT - OCJS

BY: MRS. MEIER

BILL #25-107

ORDINANCE: 25-106

Authorizing the Mayor and Safety-Service Director to accept a Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) from the Ohio Office of Criminal Justice Services (OCJS) under the 2024 Subgrant in the amount of Eighty-One Thousand Seven Hundred Ninety-nine and 73/100 Dollars (\$81,799.73) to be used for the purpose of conducting drug law enforcement operations within the ten-county METRICH region, and to appropriate \$81,799.73 from the unappropriated Grant Fund (#224) to the Police METRICH Grants (224.15.51) Other Charges Classification, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mrs. Meier, that Bill 25-107 be read and placed upon the floor for final passage, seconded by Miss Robertson. The vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes:7 Nays:0

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

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Is there any discussion on Bill 25-107? Hearing none, Mrs. Meier?

DISCUSSION:

CHERYL MEIER: Thanks Mr. President. I move that Bill 25-107 be placed upon the floor for final passage.

SHARI ROBERTSON: Second.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: It's been moved and seconded. Please cast your vote for Bill 25-107. Bill Passes 7-0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Next is Bill 25-108, Mrs. Meier.

CHERYL MEIER: Thank you Mr. President. I move that Bill 25-108 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

SHARI ROBERTSON: Second.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: It's been moved and seconded. The clerk will now read Bill 25-108.

DELAINE WEINER: Authorizing the Safety-Service Director to accept a Canine Therapy Project Grant from the Richland County Foundation in the amount of Five Thousand Six Hundred Seventy-five and 62/100 Dollars (\$5,675.62) to be used for the Mansfield Police Department Canine Therapy Project, and declaring an emergency.

CANINE THERAPY PROJECT GRANT - MPD

BY: MRS. MEIER
BILL #25-108

ORDINANCE: 25-107

Authorizing the Safety-Service Director to accept a Canine Therapy Project Grant from the Richland County Foundation in the amount of Five Thousand Six Hundred Seventy-five and 62/100 Dollars (\$5,675.62) to be used for the Mansfield Police Department Canine Therapy Project, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mrs. Meier, that Bill 25-108 be read and placed upon the floor for final passage, seconded by Miss Robertson. The vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes:7 Nays:0

The Bill was declared passed, signed by the President, approved by the mayor and attested by the Clerk.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Any discussion on Bill 25-108? Mr. Falquette.

DAVID FALQUETTE: I will thank the Richland County Foundation for this donation.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Very good. With that, Mrs. Meier?

DISCUSSION:

CHERYL MEIER: Thanks Sir. I move that Bill 25-108 be placed upon the floor for final passage.

SHARI ROBERTSON: Second.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: It's been moved and seconded. Please cast your vote for Bill 25-108. Bill Passes 7-0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Alright, Miss Robertson, Bill 25-109.

SHARI ROBERTSON: Thank you Mr. President I move that Bill 25-109 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

AURELIO DIAZ: Second.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: It's been moved and seconded. The clerk will now read Bill 25-109.

DELAINE WEINER: Authorizing the Safety Service Director to enter into a modified contract for Fair Housing Services with the Richland County Board of Commissioners and the Richland County Regional Planning Commission for the 2026-2028 years, and declaring an emergency.

MODIFIED CONTRACT – RICHLAND COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

BY: MISS ROBERTSON

BILL #25-109

ORDINANCE: 25-108

Authorizing the Safety Service Director to enter into a modified contract for Fair Housing Services with the Richland County Board of Commissioners and the Richland County Regional Planning Commission for the 2026-2028 years, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Miss Robertson that Bill 25-109 be read and placed upon the floor for final consideration, seconded by Mr. Diaz. The vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes:7 Nays: 0

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

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Is there any further discussion for Bill 25-109? Hearing none, Miss Robertson.

SHARI ROBERTSON: Thank you Mr. President. I move that Bill 24-246 be placed on the floor for final passage.

AURELIO DIAZ: Second.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: It's been moved and seconded. Please cast your vote for Bill 25-109. Bill Passes 7-0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Alright, Mr. Falquette, Bill 25-110.

DAVID FALQUETTE: Thank you Mr. President I move that Bill 25-110 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

SHARI ROBERTSON: Second.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: It's been moved and seconded. The clerk will now read Bill 25-110.

DELAINE WEINER: Authorizing payment to Hofsaecass Building & Remodeling in the amount of Three Thousand Eight Hundred and 00/100 Dollars (\$3,800.00) by affirming a Then and Now Certificate of the Finance Director, and declaring an emergency.

THEN & NOW – HOFSAEASS BUILDING & REMODELING

BY: MR. FALQUETTE

BILL #25-110

ORDINANCE: 25-109

Authorizing payment to Hofsaecass Building & Remodeling in the amount of Three Thousand Eight Hundred and 00/100 Dollars (\$3,800.00) by affirming a Then and Now Certificate of the Finance Director, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mr. Falquette that Bill 25-110 be read and placed upon the floor for final consideration, seconded by Miss Robertson. The vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes:5 Nays: 2 (Falquette, Mount)

The Bill was declared passed, signed by the President, approved by the mayor and attested by the Clerk.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Is there any discussion on Bill 25-110? Miss Mount.

DEBORAH MOUNT: Yes, just to state. I think that the project itself is a good project, I'm not opposed to the project but I am concerned with the repeated continuation of this after it was said it would not happen again.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Any other comments? Hearing none, Mr. Falquette.

DAVID FALQUETTE: I move Bill 25-110 be placed on the floor for final passage.

SHARI ROBERTSON: Second.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: It's been moved and seconded. Please cast your vote for Bill 25-110. Bill Passes 5-2 (Falquette, Mount).

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Okay, moving on to Bill 25-111. Miss Daley.

ANTOINETTE DALEY: Thank you Mr. President I move that Bill 25-111 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

SHARI ROBERTSON: Second.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: It's been moved and seconded. The clerk will now read Bill 25-111.

DELAINE WEINER: Revising the Codified Ordinances of the City of Mansfield by adopting current replacement pages, and declaring an emergency.

REVISING CODIFIED ORDINANCES

BY: MISS DALEY

BILL #25-111

ORDINANCE: 25-110

ODOT - Revising the Codified Ordinances of the City of Mansfield by adopting current replacement pages, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Miss Daley that Bill 25-111 be read and placed upon the floor for final consideration, seconded by Miss Robertson. The vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes:7 Nays: 0

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

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Any discussion on Bill 25-111? Hearing none, Miss Daley.

ANTOINETTE DALEY: Thank you Mr. President. I move Bill 25-111 be placed on the floor for final passage.

SHARI ROBERTSON: Second.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: It's been moved and seconded. Please cast your vote for Bill 25-111. Bill Passes 7-0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Alright, Mr. Falquette, Bill 25-112.

DAVID FALQUETTE: Thank you Mr. President I move that Bill 25-112 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

SHARI ROBERTSON: Second.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: It's been moved and seconded. The clerk will now read Bill 25-112.

DELAINE WEINER: Approving appointments by the Mayor to the Mansfield Community Improvement Corporation, and declaring an emergency.

APPOINTMENTS – MANSFIELD COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENT CORPORATION

BY: MR. FALQUETTE

BILL #25-112

ORDINANCE: 25-111

Approving appointments by the Mayor to the Mansfield Community Improvement Corporation, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mr. Falquette that Bill 25-112 be read and placed upon the floor for final consideration, seconded by Miss Robertson. The vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes:7 Nays: 0

The Bill was declared passed, signed by the President, approved by the mayor and attested by the Clerk.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Is there any discussion on Bill 25-112? Hearing none, Mr. Falquette.

DAVID FALQUETTE: Thank you Mr. President. I move Bill 25-112 be placed on the floor for final passage.

SHARI ROBERTSON: Second.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: It's been moved and seconded. Please cast your vote for Bill 25-112. Bill Passes 7-0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Mrs. Meier, Bill 25-113.

CHERYL MEIER: Thank you Mr. President. I move that Bill 25-113 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

SHARI ROBERTSON: Second.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: It's been moved and seconded. The clerk will now read Bill 25-113.

DELAINE WEINER: Amending Section 19 of Ordinance No. 25-005 adopting personnel positions, pay grades, and salaries for certain employees of the City of Mansfield 2025 payroll year, and declaring an emergency.

AMENDING SECTION 19 OF ORDINANCE NO. 25-005

BY: MRS. MEIER

BILL #25-113

ORDINANCE: 25-112

Amending Section 19 of Ordinance No. 25-005 adopting personnel positions, pay grades, and salaries for certain employees of the City of Mansfield 2025 payroll year, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mrs. Burns that Bill 25-113 be read and placed upon the floor for final consideration, seconded by Miss Robertson. The vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes: 7 Nays: 0

The Bill was declared passed, signed by the President, approved by the mayor and attested by the Clerk.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Is there any discussion on Bill 25-113? Hearing none, Mrs. Meier.

CHERYL MEIER: Thank you Sir. I move that Bill 25-113 be placed on the floor for final consideration.

SHARI ROBERTSON: Second.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: It's been moved and seconded. Please cast your vote for Bill 25-113. Bill Passes 7-0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Mrs. Burns, Bill 25-114.

LAURA BURNS: Thank you Mr. President. I move that Bill 25-114 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

SHARI ROBERTSON: Second.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: It's been moved and seconded. The clerk will now read Bill 25-114.

DELAINE WEINER: Authorizing the Public Works Director to purchase, according to Sourcewell Contract 020223-CEC, a Bobcat Compact Track Loader with a heavy-duty pallet fork from Bobcat in the amount of Ninety Thousand Nine Hundred Thirty-six and 72/100 Dollars (\$90,936.72) from Bobcat of 480 W. Henry Street, Wooster, Ohio 44691, and declaring an emergency.

PURCHASE – BOBCAT COMPACT TRACK LOADER

BY: MRS. BURNS

BILL #25-114

ORDINANCE: 25-113

Authorizing the Public Works Director to purchase, according to Sourcewell Contract 020223-CEC, a Bobcat Compact Track Loader with a heavy-duty pallet fork from Bobcat in the amount of Ninety Thousand Nine Hundred Thirty-six and 72/100 Dollars (\$90,936.72) from Bobcat of 480 W. Henry Street, Wooster, Ohio 44691, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mrs. Burns that Bill 25-114 be read and placed upon the floor for final consideration, seconded by Miss Robertson. The vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes: 7 Nays: 0

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

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Is there any discussion on Bill 25-114? Hearing none, Mrs. Burns.

LAURA BURNS: Thank you Mr. President. I move that Bill 25-114 be placed on the floor for final passage.

SHARI ROBERTSON: Second.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: It's been moved and seconded. Please cast your vote for Bill 25-114. Bill Passes 7-0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Alright, Mr. Falquette, Bill 25-115.

DAVID FALQUETTE: Thank you Mr. President I move that Bill 25-115 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

SHARI ROBERTSON: Second.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: It's been moved and seconded. The clerk will now read Bill 25-115.

DELAINE WEINER: Authorizing the Public Works Director to enter into a Lease and Access Easement Agreement for the construction of a cell-tower for economic development purposes, located upon the real property located at 480 Park Avenue East, Mansfield, Ohio 44906, and declaring an emergency.

LEASE AND ACCESS EASEMENT AGREEMENT

BY: MR. FALQUETTE

BILL #25-115

ORDINANCE: 25-114

Authorizing the Public Works Director to enter into a Lease and Access Easement Agreement for the construction of a cell-tower for economic development purposes, located upon the real property located at 480 Park Avenue East, Mansfield, Ohio 44906, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mr. Falquette that Bill 25-115 be read and placed upon the floor for final consideration, seconded by Miss Robertson. The vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes:7 Nays: 0

The Bill was declared passed, signed by the President, approved by the mayor and attested by the Clerk.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Is there any discussion on Bill 25-115? Hearing none, Mr. Falquette.

DAVID FALQUETTE: Thank you Mr. President. I move Bill 25-115 be placed on the floor for final passage.

SHARI ROBERTSON: Second.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: It's been moved and seconded. Please cast your vote for Bill 25-115. Bill Passes 7-0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Next is Bill 25-116, Mrs. Burns.

LAURA BURNS: Thank you Mr. President. I move that Bill 25-116 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

SHARI ROBERTSON: Second.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: It's been moved and seconded. The clerk will now read Bill 25-116.

DELAINE WEINER: Authorizing the Public Works Director to advertise for bids and enter into contracts for certain yearly needs of the City, and declaring an emergency.

BIDS – YEARLY NEEDS OF THE CITY

BY: MRS. BURNS

BILL #25-116

ORDINANCE: 25-115

Authorizing the Public Works Director to advertise for bids and enter into contracts for certain yearly needs of the City, and declaring an emergency.

Upon motion by Mrs. Burns, that Bill 25-116 be read and placed upon the floor for final passage, seconded by Miss Robertson. The vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes:7 Nays:0

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

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Is there any discussion on Bill 25-116? Miss Mount.

DEBORAH MOUNT: Yes, just a question. Does the city have enough, specifically mentions fire hydrants enough appropriated or available for the repair of the fire hydrants? I know I have a lot that are in need of repair and I am concerned whether that it will be sufficiently taken care of at this point.

DIRECTOR LOUIS ANDRES: Yeah, we do have reserves. So, it's just replacing our reserves when we do have somebody run into water damage, we can replace those. This is basically replacing our stock pile as we get low.

DEBORAH MOUNT: Okay, very good. There's an area in my ward that I brought up before on a street that five or six were out of service for various reasons and I'm just hoping that we have the parts coming in so that we can get that problem remedied.

DIRECTOR LOUIS ANDRES: Yeah, one of the questions is out of service. That has nothing to do with the hydrants not functioning, but also the flow rate. So even though it has out of service, there could

be water there. It's just not sufficient flow. So, we're working with the fire department and street department to look at each one of those and properly identify those by color rings, indicating flow verses just being out of service.

DEBORAH MOUNT: These were all very large lines, so thank you.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Any other questions, discussion on Bill 25-116? Hearing none, Mrs. Burns?

DISCUSSION:

LAURA BURNS: Thanks Mr. President. I move that Bill 25-116 be placed upon the floor for final passage.

SHARI ROBERTSON: Second.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: It's been moved and seconded. Please cast your vote for Bill 25-116. Bill Passes 7-0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Mr. Diaz, Bill 25-117.

AURELIO DIAZ: Thank you Mr. President. I move that Bill 25-117 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

SHARI ROBERTSON: Second.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: It's been moved and seconded. The clerk will now read Bill 25-117.

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

BIDS – SALT SUPPLY

BY: MR. DIAZ

BILL #25-117

ORDINANCE: 25-116

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

Upon motion by Mr. Diaz that Bill 25-117 be read and placed upon the floor for final consideration, seconded by Miss Robertson. The vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes:7 Nays: 0

The Bill was declared passed, signed by the President, approved by the mayor and attested by the Clerk.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Is there any discussion on Bill 25-117? Hearing none, Mr. Diaz.

AURELIO DIAZ: Thank you Mr. President. I move Bill 25-117 be placed on the floor for final passage.

SHARI ROBERTSON: Second.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: It's been moved and seconded. Please cast your vote for Bill 25-117. Bill Passes 7-0.

END OF DISCUSSION

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: And finally, Bill 25-118, Mrs. Burns.

LAURA BURNS: Thank you Mr. President I move that Bill 25-118 be read and placed upon the floor for discussion.

SHARI ROBERTSON: Second.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: It's been moved and seconded. The clerk will now read Bill 25-118.

DELAINE WEINER: Authorizing the Public Works Director to accept and appropriate a donation from Mansfield Association of Realtors in the amount of One Thousand and 00/100 dollars (\$1,000.00) to be used for the Disc Golf Course at Middle Park.

DONATION – MANSFIELD ASSOCIATION OF REALTORS

BY: MRS. BURNS

BILL #25-118

ORDINANCE: 25-117

Authorizing the Public Works Director to accept and appropriate a donation from Mansfield Association of Realtors in the amount of One Thousand and 00/100 dollars (\$1,000.00) to be used for the Disc Golf Course at Middle Park.

Upon motion by Mrs. Burns that Bill 25-118 be read and placed upon the floor for final consideration, seconded by Miss Robertson. The vote was taken and resulted as follows: Ayes:7 Nays: 0

The Bill was declared passed, signed by the President, approved by the mayor and attested by the Clerk.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Is there any discussion on Bill 25-118? Miss Robertson.

SHARI ROBERTSON: I would just like to thank the Mansfield Board of Realtors, Mr. President, for their donation to our park.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Any other questions, discussion on Bill 25-118? Hearing none, Mrs. Burns.

LAURA BURNS: I move Bill 25-118 be placed on the floor for final passage.

SHARI ROBERTSON: Second.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: It's been moved and seconded. Please cast your vote for Bill 25-118. Bill Passes 7-0.

END OF DISCUSSION

CLOSING COMMENTS:

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Is there anything further to come before council this evening?

DAVID FALQUETTE: Move to close.

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: Mayor?

MAYOR JODIE PERRY: It's not really but is Charlie (dog) still here? I would like for us to take a picture with him (Council and Administration).

SHARI ROBERTSON: Second

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: It's been moved and seconded to close. All those in favor say aye.

COUNCIL MEMBERS: Aye

PRESIDENT PHIL SCOTT: We are adjourned. At 8:17pm, council is closed.

END OF DISCUSSION

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



Delaine Weiner
Clerk of Council



Phil Scott
President