

Minutes of the Regular Meeting of Stow City Council held on Thursday, June 23, 2022 at 7:00 p.m.

Any members of the public wishing to have a public comment read at a standing committee or Council meeting must provide their name, address, and comment in writing to the Clerk of Council no later than 3 P.M. the day of the meeting. Comments may be delivered in person, by mail or emailed to clerkofcouncil@stow.oh.us. Any written public comments will be read by the Clerk of Council or another appropriate meeting participant during the requested meeting.

Public comments must come directly from the person requesting the comment to be read and cannot be compiled or vetted by a third-party representative. Any public comments requested to be read shall provide their name and address for the record and shall be read in the same reasonable time permitted to those speaking in person. Any public comments submitted by persons other than the indicated (signed) party will not be read.

Council Members Present: Lowdermilk, McIntire, Riehl, Fiocca, Feldman, Licate, Harrison

Council Members Absent: None

City Officials Present: Mayor Pribonic, Chief of Staff/Service Director Wren, Finance Director Costello, Police Chief Film, Fire Chief Stone, City Engineer McCleary, Law Director Syx, Deputy Planning Director Cowan, Deputy Clerk Mottram and Clerk of Council Villers.

Press Representatives: None

Call to Order

President McIntire called the meeting to order. Mr. Fiocca led the prayer and Pledge of Allegiance.

Approval of Minutes

Motion made by Lowdermilk seconded by Harrison for approval of Minutes of the Regular Council Meeting of June 9, 2022. Vote – Yeas: Harrison, Lowdermilk, McIntire, Riehl, Fiocca, Feldman, Licate. Nays: None. Motion carried unanimously.

Oral Synopsis by Committee Chairpersons of Committee of Council

- Planning Committee – Vice Chairman Harrison – No meeting scheduled.
- Public Improvements Committee – Chairman Lowdermilk – No meeting scheduled.
- Roads & Safety Committee – Chairman Feldman – No meeting scheduled.
- Finance Committee – Chairman Harrison – Several legislative items.
- Committee-of-the-Whole – President of Council McIntire – One legislative item.

Public Comment Period (§123.14)

None.

Reports, Advice or Recommendations of the Mayor

- Listed a few upcoming exciting events including the July 4th Parade.
- Read Proclamation for July 4th Grand Marshall Tom Stephan.

Report of the Finance Director

- No report.

Report of the Law Director

- Announced Deputy Law Director Channell had resigned, appreciated everything Mrs. Channell had done since 2020 and asked for support in hiring her replacement Drew Reily.

Report of the Director of Public Service

- Reported the Fox Den crosswalk was completed.
- Explained the Fox Den project for the noticeable piles of dirt.

Comments from other City Officials

Director of Budget & Management Earle:

- No report; not present.

City Engineer McCleary / Deputy City Engineer Jones:

- Gave a quick report on the progress of the current storm water projects.

Chief Film: (Captain Snavelly)

No report.

Chief Stone: (Assistant Fire Chief Lang)

- No report.

Parks & Recreation Director Nahrstedt

- No report; not present.

Old Business

None.

New Business

Mr. McIntire announced there was one item from Executive Session

T-315 ORDINANCE NO. 2022-109 AN ORDINANCE CONFIRMING THE LAW DIRECTOR'S APPOINTMENT OF DREW REILLY AS DEPUTY LAW DIRECTOR OF THE CITY OF STOW, ESTABLISHING COMPENSATION FOR SAID APPOINTEE, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Clerk read by title as instructed.

Motion made by McIntire seconded by Feldman for the suspension of rules. Vote – Yeas: Harrison, Lowdermilk, McIntire, Riehl, Fiocca, Feldman, Licate. Nays: None. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion made by McIntire seconded by Riehl for the adoption of Ordinance No. 2022-109. Vote – Yeas: Harrison, Lowdermilk, McIntire, Riehl, Fiocca, Feldman, Licate. Nays: None. Motion carried unanimously.

Legislative Agenda

T-240 RESOLUTION NO. 2022-104 A RESOLUTION AMENDING CHAPTER 123, C.O.S., ENTITLED, "COUNCIL," AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Clerk read by title as instructed.

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Mr. McIntire announced this reading placed Resolution No. 2022-104 on second reading.

T-304 (VERSION 2) ORDINANCE NO. 2022-110 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 1981-215, AMENDED MOST RECENTLY BY ORDINANCE NOS. 2004-156 & 2008-120, PARTICULARLY SECTION 2 THEREOF, TO INCREASE THE EXISTING TRAVEL EXPENSE REIMBURSEMENT ALLOWANCES; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Clerk read by title as instructed.

Motion made by Harrison seconded by Riehl for the suspension of rules. Vote – Yeas: Harrison, Lowdermilk, McIntire, Riehl, Fiocca, Feldman, Licate. Nays: None. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion made by Harrison seconded by Feldman for the adoption of Ordinance No. 2022-110. Vote – Yeas: Harrison, Lowdermilk, McIntire, Riehl, Fiocca, Feldman, Licate. Nays: None. Motion carried unanimously.

T-310 ORDINANCE NO. 2022-111 AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO MAKE AND ENTER INTO A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITH THE STOW-MUNROE FALLS SCHOOL FOUNDATION, FOR SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS FROM CHARITABLE DONATIONS, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Clerk read by title as instructed.

Motion made by Harrison seconded by Riehl for the suspension of rules. Vote – Yeas: Harrison, Lowdermilk, McIntire, Riehl, Fiocca, Feldman, Licate. Nays: None. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion made by Harrison seconded by McIntire for the adoption of Ordinance No. 2022-111. Vote – Yeas: Harrison, Lowdermilk, McIntire, Riehl, Fiocca, Feldman, Licate. Nays: None. Motion carried unanimously.

T-311 ORDINANCE NO. 2022-112 AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AN EXPENDITURE, FOR THE STATE OF OHIO LINK LAYER AUTHENTICATION MANDATE FROM MOTOROLA SOLUTIONS, INC., FOR ALL PUBLIC SAFETY RADIOS, WITHOUT THE NECESSITY OF PUBLIC BIDS, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Clerk read by title as instructed.

Motion made by Harrison seconded by Riehl for the suspension of rules. Vote – Yeas: Harrison, Lowdermilk, McIntire, Riehl, Fiocca, Feldman, Licate. Nays: None. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion made by Harrison seconded by Riehl for the adoption of Ordinance No. 2022-112. Vote – Yeas: Harrison, Lowdermilk, McIntire, Riehl, Fiocca, Feldman, Licate. Nays: None. Motion carried unanimously.

T-312 ORDINANCE NO. 2022-113 AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO MAKE AND ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH THE OSER STUMP GRINDING, INC., AND AUTHORIZING EXPENDITURES FOR THE PURCHASE OF TREE REMOVAL SERVICES, FOR USE AT 3421 CHARRING CROSS, STOW, OHIO, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Clerk read by title as instructed.

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Motion made by Harrison seconded by Riehl for the adoption of Ordinance No. 2022-113. Vote – Yeas: Harrison, Lowdermilk, McIntire, Riehl, Fiocca, Feldman, Licate. Nays: None. Motion carried unanimously.

T-313 ORDINANCE NO. 2022-114 AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO MAKE AND ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH AECOM TECHNICAL SERVICES, INC., WITHOUT THE NECESSITY OF PUBLIC BIDS, FOR PROFESSIONAL PRELIMINARY ENGINEERING DESIGN AND RELATED SERVICES IN CONNECTION WITH THE SUM-91-8.60 PID 102745 DARROW ROAD RECONSTRUCTION PROJECT, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Clerk read by title as instructed.

Motion made by Harrison seconded by Riehl for the suspension of rules. Vote – Yeas: Harrison, Lowdermilk, McIntire, Riehl, Fiocca, Feldman, Licate. Nays: None. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion made by Harrison seconded by Riehl for the adoption of Ordinance No. 2022-114. Vote – Yeas: Harrison, Lowdermilk, McIntire, Riehl, Fiocca, Feldman, Licate. Nays: None. Motion carried unanimously.

T-314 ORDINANCE NO. 2022-115 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 505, C.O.S., ENTITLED "ANIMALS AND FOWL," TO CREATE SECTION 505.21 THEREOF, ENTITLED, "DEFECATION AS A NUISANCE."

Clerk read by title as instructed.

Motion made by Harrison seconded by Feldman to place Ordinance No. 2022-115 on first reading. Vote – Yeas: Harrison, Lowdermilk, McIntire, Riehl, Fiocca, Feldman, Licate. Nays: None. Motion carried unanimously.

Disposition of Bills

Motion made by McIntire seconded by Harrison to approve the release of the checks for the current Bill Listing. Vote – Yeas: Harrison, Lowdermilk, McIntire, Riehl, Fiocca, Feldman, Licate. Nays: None. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion made by McIntire seconded by Harrison to cancel the Committee and Council Meetings of August 25, 2022. Vote – Yeas: Harrison, Lowdermilk, McIntire, Riehl, Fiocca, Feldman, Licate. Nays: None. Motion carried unanimously.

Mr. McIntire announced there would be a Committee of the Whole for the Zoning Code Diagnostic Review on September 29, 2022 at 5:30.

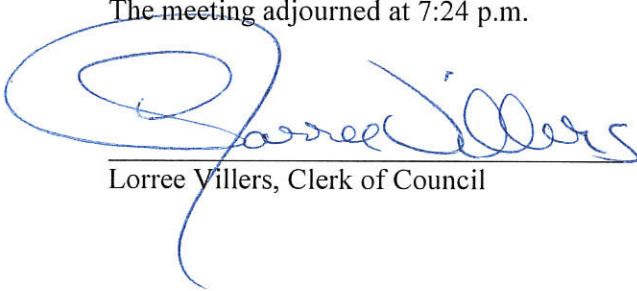
Committee Meetings Scheduled for Thursday, July 14, 2022

(Roads & Safety – Finance Committee – COW)

Adjournment

Motion made by Harrison seconded by Riehl to adjourn. Vote – Yeas: Harrison, Lowdermilk, McIntire, Riehl, Fiocca, Feldman, Licate. Nays: None. Motion carried unanimously.

The meeting adjourned at 7:24 p.m.



Lorree Villers, Clerk of Council



Jeremy McIntire, President of Council