

**May 16, 2017  
City Council, Cheviot, Ohio**

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President Waters called the meeting to order at 7:30 PM with the Pledge of Allegiance and a moment of silent prayer. The following were found to be in attendance:

Mayor	Sam Keller
President of Council	Mark Waters
Law Director	Debbie Slaughter
Safety-Service Director	Tom Braun
Council Ward 1	James Martin
Council Ward 4	Alana Tucker
Council At Large	Kathleen Zech
Council At Large	Amy Richter

Mrs. Tucker motioned to excuse Mssrs. Dinkelacker, Sunderhaus and Tiettmeyer. The motion received a second from Mrs. Zech, and carried with a 4-0 voice vote.

Mrs. Zech motioned to approve the minutes from the May 2 meeting. Mrs. Richter seconded the motion, and it carried with a unanimous voice vote.

Mrs. Zech read her report from the May 9 meeting of the Laws, Rules and Ordinances Committee. She motioned to receive and file, second by Mr. Martin and unanimous voice vote.

Mrs. Tucker read her report from the Community Events Committee meeting held on May 2. She motioned to receive and file, the motion received a second from Mrs. Zech and a 4-0 voice vote.

Mrs. Tucker then read her report from the May 5 Municipal Properties Committee meeting. She motioned to receive and file, second by Mrs. Richter, and unanimous voice vote.

Resolution 17-06 To Transfer Certain Funds (annual ambulance payment, police & fire D & P payment) Introduced by Mr. Martin, second by Mrs. Tucker. Adopted with 4-0 voice vote.

Ordinance 17-10 To Enact Section 131.14(H) Of The Codified Ordinances Of Cheviot; And To Declare An Emergency. Introduced by Mrs. Tucker, second by Mrs. Richter. This constitutes the first reading.

Another ordinance had been prepared by Law Director Slaughter, concerning the amendment of budget appropriations, and it will be presented to council at the next meeting.


Mayor's Report: Mayor Keller reported that Bob Uhl wants to retire, but the hope is that he will stay on as a part time employee and be utilized as a park mediator to address issues as they come up. Mayor Keller wants to raise the permit fee for sidewalk repair from \$10 to \$20 to help defray the cost of issuing the permit. The Mayor and Safety Services Director Tom Braun met with Denise Driehaus and discussed, among other things, the Puhlman Ave property that is to be demolished, the Hillebrand annexation and the empty Frank's building.


Safety Services Director: Mr. Braun reported that he was to attend an Eagle Energy electric aggregation meeting this week. The Memorial Day Parade will be held on Monday, May 29. Those who are participating should line up on Frances Ave by 10:30AM. The newly restored cannon will be paraded through town prior to being installed at its permanent home in front of Cheviot Fieldhouse. 320 sidewalk notices have been mailed out in Ward 2. 18 pool passes have been sold. 80 sheep have been sold. The Ruth, Ruckle, Roswell street project will be going out for bid in June.

Law Director: Mrs. Slaughter had no report.

Upcoming meetings: Mrs. Richter called a meeting for Tuesday, June 6 at 7PM, Streets & Sidewalks committee to discuss sidewalk permit fees.

Seeing no further business before this council, Mr. Martin motioned for adjournment. Motion was seconded by Mrs. Tucker and carried with a 4-0 voice vote. The meeting adjourned at 8:30PM.

  
Jenny M. Eilermann, Clerk of Council

  
Mark G. Waters, President of Council