

June 18, 2019
City Council, Cheviot, Ohio

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

Mayor	Sam Keller
President of Council	Mark Waters
Law Director	Kimberlee Erdman-Rohr
Safety Service Director	Tom Braun
Council Ward 1	David Voss
Council Ward 2	RaeJean Hardig
Council Ward 3	Jim Sunderhaus
Council Ward 4	Alana Tucker
Council At Large	Kathleen Zech
Council At Large	Gail Griffin
Council At Large	Amy Richter

Mrs. Zech motioned to approve the minutes from the May 21 meeting. There was a second by Mrs. Tucker and unanimous voice vote.

Department Reports: Not a formal department report, but Mr. Braun reports that instead of marking tires for parking violations, police can apply chalk marks to the ground around the tires and be within the guidelines of the law.

The following legislation was presented to council:

Ordinance 19-20 An Ordinance To Proceed With Submission Of The Question Of Levying a 5.61 Mill Tax In Excess Of The Ten Mill Limitation For The Purpose Of Current Expenses In The City Of Cheviot, Ohio. (R.C. 5705.03, 5705.05, 5705.19(A), 5705.191, 5705.192 and 5705.25). Motion to introduce made by Mr. Voss, second by Mrs. Tucker. Motion to suspend the rules made by Mrs. Zech, second by Mrs. Richter. Motion to adopt made by Mr. Voss, second by Mr. Sunderhaus.

Mayor's Report: Mayor Keller stated that the Harvest Home Fair Committee will be building a permanent stage at Harvest Home Park, near the site of former basketball court, east of the barn. Mrs. Richter commented that she had heard some discussion about this and some have voiced an opinion that the placement of the stage would not be a benefit to residents nearby. Hamilton County Commissioners will hold their meeting at Cheviot Fieldhouse (lower level) this Thursday, June 20 at 6:30PM.

Safety Service Director: Mr. Braun reports that investigation continues regarding who holds ownership of the sewers on Fearman Ave. Mr. Braun states that it may be beneficial to bid out the North Bend Road/municipal parking lot repaving project along with St. Martins Place and defer it to 2020. There is likely to be substantial savings to bid these two projects together, and to postpone until next year would free up funds for any Fearman Ave. repairs that may be the City's responsibility. 165 tall grass orders have been written. The owner of the Frank's building has until July 10 to move toward securing demolition permits.

Law Director: Mrs. Rohr reports that no date has been set to the Family Dollar liquor license appeal.

Other Business:

-2020 Tax Budget must be approved at the July 2 meeting

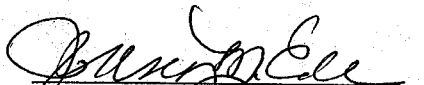
-Mrs. Richter thanked Mrs. Slaughter for all of her hard work with Family Day this year. Mrs. Slaughter in turn thanked all elected who helped out, as well as city administration.

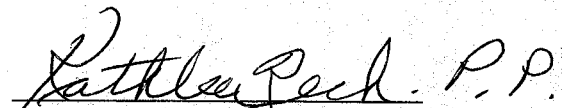
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Other Business (continued)

- Mrs. Zech reported that the marijuana moratorium is progressing.
- Mr. Sunderhaus recently attended the OKI meeting
- July 2 Mr. Waters will be absent. Mrs. Zech will act as Council President
- August 6 will be Council's annual recess. Motioned by Mrs. Tucker, second by Mr. Voss.
- November 5: No council meeting due to it being election day.
- November 10 Veteran's Day Parade, 2PM
- Property Maintenance Violations
- Mrs. Tucker encourages everyone to come to the Commissioners meeting on Thursday

Seeing no further business before this council, at 8:13 Mrs. Zech motioned for adjournment. The motion was seconded by Mr. Voss, and carried unanimously.


Jenny M. Eilermann, Clerk of Council


Mark G. Waters, President of Council