# February 4, 2020 City Council, Cheviot, Ohio

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Council President 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 members were in attendance:

Mayor President of Council Law Director

Sam Keller **Mark Waters** 

Council Ward 1 Council Ward 2 Kimberlee Erdman-Rohr **David Voss** 

RaeJean Hardig Council Ward 3 Council At Large Council At Large

Jim Sunderhaus Kathleen Zech Gail Griffin

Council At Large

**Amy Richter** 

Mr. Sunderhaus motioned to excuse Mrs. Tucker. Mr. Voss seconded and the motion carried by a 6-0 voice vote.

Minutes from the January 21 meeting were approved with a motion by Ms. Griffin, second by Mrs.Richter and a 6-0 voice vote.

# **Committee Reports:**

-Mrs. Richter read her report of the January 28 Public Works committee. The report was received and filed with a motion by Mrs. Richter. Second by Mrs. Zech and a 6-0 voice vote.

Public Recognition: No one from the public asked to be recognized

## Legislation:

Resolution 20-02 To Request That The County Auditor Make Advance Payment of Taxes To The City Of Cheviot. Motion to introduce made by Mr. Voss, second by Mrs. Zech. There was no discussion. Motion to adopt made by Mr. Sunderhaus, second by Ms. Griffin. Motions carried unanimously. (Mr. Waters graciously agreed to deliver the necessary paperwork to the county auditor's office.)

Ordinance 20-04 To Accept The Bid Of Barrett Paving Materials, Inc. For The Reconstruction Of The Municipal Parking Lot On North Bend Road And Portions Of Saint Martin's Place; And To Declare An Emergency. Motion to introduce made by Mr. Voss, second by Mrs. Zech. Motion to suspend the rules made by Mrs. Richter, second by Mr. Sunderhaus. Motion to adopt made by Ms. Griffin, second by Mr. Voss. All motions carried unanimously.

Ordinance 20-03 To Enact Section 92.12 Of The Cheviot Code Of Ordinances; And To Amend Section 92.99 Of The Cheviot Code Of Ordinances. Presented for its second reading by Mrs. Zech.

## **Administrative Reports:**

-Mayor's Report: Mayor Keller stated that he and Mr. Braun will be meeting with ODOT officials regarding the safety study. ODOT is offering 3 proposals. The City would be responsible for ten percent of the cost, although it is possible that 100 percent funding may be coming available. The speed limit for the length of Harrison Avenue, including those parts under City of Cincinnati jurisdiction is now 25 mph. Mrs. Richter requested updates to Open Checkbook. She also requested a proclamation for a St. Martin's choir member who has served for 80 years. Mayor Keller will ask Sarah to prepare an updated directory for all of administration. .

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- -Safety Services Director: Grass cutting and sidewalk assessments should be ready for the next meeting. Water line replacements for St. Martin's Place will commence very soon.
- -Law Director: No appeal has been filed by Family Dollar with regard to their liquor license application. Legislation to accept the annexation from Green Twp will be prepared.

Public Recognition: No one from the public addressed Council.

#### **Other Business**

- -Ms. Griffin presented a written report from the LSDMC meeting she attended on January 14. (A copy of the report is available at Cheviot.org
- -Mrs. Richter will be absent from the February 19 meeting.
- -Mrs. Richter stated that Debbie Slaughter and Kerry Smyth will be co-chairing Family Day again this year. The date is Wednesday, June 3, 5-8pm.
- -Submission for HGTV Hometown Makeover will be made available on Youtube.
- -Clerk reminded everyone that Financial Disclosures are due by May 15.

Seeing no further business before this council Mrs. Richter motioned for adjournment. The motion was seconded by Mr. Sunderhaus, and the meeting adjourned at 8:01PM.

Jenny M. Eilermann, Clerk of Council

Mark G Waters, President of Council