

**June 16, 2020
City Council, Cheviot, Ohio**

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Council President Waters called the meeting to order at 7:38PM with the Pledge of Allegiance and a moment of silent prayer. This meeting was held in council chambers with some members attending remotely via the Zoom platform.

Roll was then called, and the following members were in attendance:

Mayor	Sam Keller (attending remotely)
President of Council	Mark Waters (attending in-person)
Safety Service Director	Tom Braun (attending remotely)
Law Director	Kim Rohr (attending remotely)
Council Ward 1	David Voss (attending in-person)
Council Ward 2	RaeJean Hardig (attending in-person)
Council At Large	Kathleen Zech (attending remotely)
Council At Large	Gail Griffin (attending remotely)
Council At Large	Amy Richter (attending in-person)

Also present in council chambers were Mike Murray, John Hardig and Bill Monnier.

Motion to excuse Mr. Sunderhaus's absence was made by Mr. Voss, second by Mrs. Richter

Motion to approve the minutes from the June 2 meeting was made by Mrs. Hardig, second by Mrs. Zech.

Department Reports: None

Committee Reports: None

Public Recognition: None

Legislation:

Resolution 20-09 To Affirm That Funds From The County Coronavirus Relief Distribution Fund Will Be Expended Only To Cover Costs Of The City Of Cheviot, Ohio, Consistent With The Requirements Of Section 5001 Of The CARES Act As Described In 42 U.S.C. 601(D), And Any Applicable Regulations As Is Necessary Pursuant To H.B. 481 Before Receiving Said Funds; And To Declare An Emergency. Motion to introduce was made by Mrs. Hardig, second by Mr. Voss. Motion to adopt made by Mrs. Hardig, second by Ms. Griffin. Both motions carried by 5-0 voice vote.

Ordinance 20-14 An Ordinance to Proceed With Submission Of The Question Of Levying A 0.75 Mill Tax In Excess Of the Ten Mill Limitation For The Purpose Of Current Expenses In The City Of Cheviot, Ohio. (RC 5705.03, 5705.05, 5705.19(A), 5705.191, 5705.192, And 5705.25) Motion to introduce made by Mr. Voss, second by Mrs. Richter and affirmed by 5-0 voice vote. This constitutes the first reading.

Ordinance 20-15 An Ordinance to Proceed With Submission Of The Question Of Levying A 4.25 Mill Tax In Excess Of the Ten Mill Limitation For The Purpose Of Current Expenses In The City Of Cheviot, Ohio. (RC 5705.03, 5705.05, 5705.19(A), 5705.191, 5705.192, And 5705.25) Motion to introduce made by Mr. Voss, second by Mrs. Hardig and affirmed by 5-0 voice vote. This constitutes the first reading.

Ordinance 20-16 An Ordinance to Proceed With Submission Of The Question Of Levying A 3.00 Mill Tax In Excess Of the Ten Mill Limitation For The Purpose Of Current Expenses In The City Of Cheviot, Ohio. (RC 5705.03, 5705.05, 5705.19(A), 5705.191, 5705.192, And 5705.25) Motion to introduce made by Mr. Voss, second by Mrs. Richter and affirmed by 5-0 voice vote. This constitutes the first reading.

Administrative Reports

-Mayor's Report: Mayor Keller stated that he will return to council chambers for the July 7 meeting. He encourages others to do the same, but understands if some are not comfortable with that and wish to continue to attend via Zoom. A local nursing home was hit hard by the coronavirus. Mayor thanked Mr. Braun for his dedication and congratulated him for his 40 years of service. .

-Safety Service Director: Repaving of St. Martins and North Bend Road will start on Monday, June 22. 98 grass notices have been sent out. Playgrounds were cleaned and sanitized . Blood drive will take place June 29. TAP report meeting will be held on July 13 at 6:30PM in the lower level of the Fieldhouse. Mr. Waters asked about the city not be included in the published listing of local police departments participating in the Ohio Collaborative. Mr. Braun stated that it is progressing, but the certification has not yet been issued.

-Law Director: Mrs. Rohr had no report.

Other Business

-Mayors Court Receipts from May 2020 were received and filed with a motion by Mr. Voss, second by Mrs. Richter
-There were 6 property maintenance violations issued

Seeing no further business before this Council, Mrs. Zech motioned for adjournment. Mrs. Richter seconded and the meeting adjourned at 8:05.


Jenny M. Eilermann, Clerk of Council


Mark G. Waters, President of Council